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OF THE

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Holcombe, Riordan, Corish, Pawelski, Lillagore

Passed Bills

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Printing

Daab, Breunig, Merz, Pawelski, Haines

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Baker, Mead, Olwell, Alexander, Barber.

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Sinking Fund

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Riordan, Wright, Earle, Firth, Moxon

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State Library

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State Village for Epileptics

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Hand, Brown, Silzer

Clergy

Shinn, Avis, Colby

Commerce and Navigation

Colby, Lee, Hinchliffe

Corporations

Robbins, Hand, Wakelee

Education

Wakelee, Colby, Gebhardt.

Elections

Bradley, Colby, Cornish

Finance

Ackerman, Frelinghuysen, Lee

Game and Fish

Wakelee, Shinn, Brown

Judiciary

Hillery, Wakelee, Minturn

Labor and Industry

Shinn, Hillery, Hinchliffe

Militia

Frelinghuysen, Robbins, Plummer

Miscellaneous Business

Brown, Hillery, Hand

Municipal Corporations

Hutchinson, Ackerman, Bradley

Printed Bills

Brown, Plummer, Hillery

Public Health

Colby, Frelinghuysen, Price

Railroads and Canals

Lee, Shinn, Avis

Revision of Laws

Avis, Hutchinson, Gebhardt

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Ackerman, Brown, Hutchinson

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Lee, Bradley, Hutchinson

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Plummer, Hutchinson, Silzer

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Bradley, Shinn, Frelinghuysen

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Training School for Feeble-Minded Girls and Boys.

Shinn, Plummer, Avis

Sanatorium for Tuberculosis Diseases.

Hillery, Ackerman, Hinchliffe.

MINUTES

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY,
TRENTON, N J, January 8th, 1907

House met at 3 P M

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

Prayer was offered by Rev Benjamin F Buck, of Millville, Cumberland county

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

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Brcunig, Buck, Bunk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Metz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr

Absent—None

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

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

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the Hon Edward H Wright, Jr, of Essex county, who is a Master in Chancery of this State, and a member-elect of this House, administer the oath of office to the Hon Charles E Hendrickson, of Hudson county, a member-elect, by whom the oath of office shall be administered to the members-elect

The oath of office was administered by Mr Wright, Jr, to Mr Hendrickson, who administered it to the other members, who then signed the oaths

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the Hon Edward H Wright, Jr, of Essex county, who is a Master in Chancery of this State and a member-elect of this House, administer the oath of office to the Speaker and other officers, when elected.

The following gentlemen presented their certificates of election:

Atlantic—Thomas C Ervins

Bergen—James Devine, Jr, Guy L Fake

Burlington—John B Irick, Griffith W Lewis

Camden—Samuel P Jones, Theodore B Gibbs, Frank B Jess

Cape May—Corsville E Stille

Cumberland—B Frank Buck, Frank B Potter

Essex—Edward H Wright, Patrick H Corish, Simon Hahn, John Breunig, John J Baader, John C Groel, Thomas J Mead, Edgar E Lethbridge, John W Lane, Daniel J Brady, Harry F. Backus

Gloucester—William C Cattell

Hudson—Mark A Sullivan, Charles C Olwell, Joseph P Dumulty, James Baker, Charles E Hendrickson, Charles H Blohm, Joseph A Riordan, Archibald S Alexander, Philip Daab, Oscar L Auf der Heide, Albert C Eppinger, Valentine Holzapfel

Hunterdon—Oliver C Holcombe

Mercer—Alfred N Barber, William F Burk, Henry D Thompson

Middlesex—William R Drake, Frank Crowther, Edward E Haines

Monmouth—T Nelson Lillagore, Isaac B Davison, Frank J Manson

Morris—Richard J Chaplin, Henry W Buxton

Ocean—Samuel S Taylor

Passaic—Abram Klenert, Frank A Pawelski, William A Metz, Henry J Earle, John D VanBlaricom

Salem—Samuel A Ridgway

Somerset—William W Smalley

Sussex—Levi H Morris

Union—Randolph Perkins, Peter Tillman, John R Moxon

Warren—Joseph H Firth

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

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

Mr Klenert nominated Edgar E Lethbridge, of Essex county

Mr Crowther nominated Randolph Perkins, of Union county

The roll was called, with the following result

For Mr Lethbridge—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—31

For Mr Perkins—

Messrs Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Fake, Gibbs, Haines, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Moxon, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman—29

The Clerk declared Mr Lethbridge elected as Speaker

The Clerk requested Messrs Riordan, of Hudson, and Perkins, of Union, to escort the Speaker to the chair

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

Upon taking the chair, the newly-elected Speaker made the following address

Gentlemen of the Assembly

I would indeed be devoid of all feeling did I not appreciate the honor and compliment you have conferred on me in selecting me for your presiding officer for the present session of the Assembly. I wish to say that it will at all times be my endeavor, as well as pleasure, to accord to each and every member fair and courteous treatment. I ask the kind indulgence of the members, to the end that we may have a session that will not only redound to the credit of each and every member, but will also be for the welfare of the State and its people.

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

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

Mr Klenert nominated Michael W Higgins, of Essex county.

Mr Perkins nominated Mr James Parker, of Passaic county.

The roll was called by the Acting Clerk with the following result

For Mr Higgins—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —31

For Mr Parker—

Messrs Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Fake, Gibbs, Haines, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman—29

Mr Higgins having received the majority of the votes, the Speaker declared he was elected the Clerk of the House of Assembly, and he took and subscribed to the oath of office aforesaid

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the thanks of the House of Assembly of the One Hundred and Thirty-first Legislature be extended to Captain James Parker for presiding at the opening of the said House

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed forthwith by the Speaker to wait upon the Governor and inform him that the House of Assembly has organized by the election of the Hon Edgar E Lethbridge, of Essex county, as Speaker, and Michael W Hig-

gins, of Essex county, as Clerk, and is now ready to proceed to business and to receive any communication he may be pleased to make

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the Clerk of the House be, and he is hereby directed, to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has organized by the election of the Hon Edgar E Lethbridge, of Essex county, as Speaker, and Michael W Higgins, of Essex county, as Clerk, and has proceeded to business

In accordance with the instructions of the House, the Clerk carried to the Senate and delivered the notification that the House of Assembly had organized and proceeded to business

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

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

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read

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

Assistant Clerk—Myron C Ernst, of Hudson county

Journal Clerk—John Schuler, of Hudson county

Assistant Journal Clerk—Lewis J Martin, of Sussex county

Supervisor of Bills—P Anthony Brock, of Hudson county

First Assistant Supervisor of Bills—John A Hopkins, of Hudson county.

Second Assistant Supervisor of Bills—James L DeWitt, of Sussex county.

Sergeant-at-Arms—Frank Hague, of Hudson county

First Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms—P J Whalen, of Hudson county.

Second Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms—John P Kerwin, of Passaic county

Bill Clerk—William H Post, of Passaic county

Assistant Bill Clerk—Henry J Earle, Jr, of Passaic county.

Doorkeepers—Charles Wirth, William Kilroe, of Passaic county, Orville Dilts, of Hunterdon county, Palmer Lindabury, of Warren county, Michael Donegan, Jr, Frank Braun, Sr, Elmer A Day, Joel M Harrison, of Essex county, John Daley, Bernard Garvey, Irving Daniels, Peter Golden, of Hudson county.

Pages—Herbert Holcombe, of Hunterdon county, James F. Donnelly, Julius Lubbert, of Hudson county, James Lyman, David Smith, of Passaic county, Joseph Cavanagh, John McConlogue, Louis Hopp, Leo McMahon, of Essex county, Robert E. Carroll, of Warren county

Mr Barber offered the following substitute resolution, which was read

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

Assistant Clerk—Upton S Jefferys, of Camden county

Journal Clerk—Charles H Angleman, of Union county

Assistant Journal Clerk—William Chew, of Salem county

Supervisor of Bills—George A Grover, of Essex county

First Assistant Supervisor of Bills—Harry A Gittone, of Cumberland county

Second Assistant Supervisor of Bills—Thomas H Cummings, of Bergen county

Sergeant-at-Arms—Charles W Justice, of Atlantic county

First Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms—William S Dey, of Middlesex county

Second Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms—John T Dabbs, of Morris county

Bill Clerk—Jacob Ross, of Hudson county

Assistant Bill Clerk—Frank Tantum, of Monmouth county.

Doorkeepers—Lawrence Rhoades, of Camden county, Joseph L. Cresse, of Cape May county, William Paullin, of Cumberland county, Richard Sicklemore, of Hudson county, David S Lloyd and Thomas M Cashel, of Mercer county, Richard A Peltier, of Middlesex county, Frank P Yarnall, of Monmouth county, Daniel Brooks, of Morris county, Nathaniel Taylor and Charles Lee, of Passaic county, Ditmars Van Nostrand, of Somerset county

Pages—John B Walker and David M Fowler, of Camden county, G Harold Buzby, of Gloucester county, Arthur W Scott, of Hudson county, Charles Z Roe, of Mercer county, Edward A Burroughs, of Middlesex county, Edward Simonson and William H Ford, of Monmouth county, Senfilici A Alexander and Charles B Watson, of Passaic county

Roll was then called on the substitute resolution, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Fake, Gibbs, Haines, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman—29

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, Van Blarcom, Wright, Jr—31

Roll was then called on the original resolution, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Hol-

zapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—31

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Fake, Gibbs, Haines, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman—29.

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read

Resolved, That Mr John W De Mott, of Passaic county, be appointed Assistant to the Supervisor of Bills, and Raymond Newman, of Passaic county, be appointed Assistant to the Clerk of the House, and Oliver R Kugler, of Hunterdon county, be appointed as Assistant to the Journal Clerk, at a salary of $500 each

The roll was then called with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Fith, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlaicom, Wright, Jr—31

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Fake, Gibbs, Haines, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman—29

The committee appointed to wait upon the Governor then reported that the Governor would communicate to the House later by message

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

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE

Gentlemen of the Senate and General Assembly

Abraham Lincoln pleaded at Gettysburg for a "government for the people" No happier term could designate the object of the commonwealth The State is created to serve the interests of the people, and to this service every citizen is entitled Government is good if devoted to public objects and ends, bad, if otherwise directed

Laws to prevent the abuse of power and wealth, courts to enforce justice, schools to educate and train the young, the militia to protect life and property, persons to separate the criminal from the law-abiding, reformatories to redeem the erring, sanitary regulations to preserve health, roads for easy travel and speedier transportation, institutions for the care of the aged and helpless—these are all governmental functions devised for the welfare of the individual citizen and for his comfort and happiness

Civilization needs the guardianship of the State The piled-up wealth of labor and toil, the great corporate and industrial enterprises that have developed our trade and commerce and made us the great people that we are, require guidance and direction just as the locomotive serves the good of man only when confined to the rails that conduct it to its proper destination The social forces of the hour are the proper subjects for safe and sane legislation to restrain their ills and encourage their beneficient growth

The State has already indicated its policy in this respect

A Review

We have safeguarded the ballot, provided an honest system of voting, legislated against fraud and corruption at the polls that the voter may freely exercise his choice, and that the primaries

and the elections may register the will of the sovereign people We have said to public utility corporations that ask for the people's franchises "You may exercise this privilege under the proper regulations for limited periods only, the franchises then to be restored to the public and again disposed of by the people at their discretion" We have said to such corporations "Your issuance of securities shall be limited to actual values, and we will then protect the public from the necessity of excessive charges to pay interest and dividends on over-capitalization" We have taken steps to control our potable water supplies for the benefit of all our citizens We are conserving our woodlands and making them a public domain for this and future generations We have reformed our jury system in the interest of fair trials and surer justice We have abolished the fee system and turned the revenues of office-holders into the public treasury We have created commissions to study the problems that affect the well-being and progress of the commonwealth

Thus the last Legislature builded for the present and the future and set an example for emulation

It added to the resources of our schools by taxing railroads as individuals are taxed, increased the revenue thereby and dedicated that revenue to the cause of education Last year the results of this policy were problematical, to-day they can be determined The ratables of almost every taxing district in the State have been increased in the increased amount of second-class railroad property, and the revenues swelled by the taxes therefrom The tax on the main stem under last year's legislation is figured by the State Board of Assessors at $3,503,529 70 as against $950,991 21 under the former system Of this amount $2,533,867 35 is to be apportioned directly for the benefit of our schools and reduction of local taxes, while the remainder is turned into the State Treasury, to be appropriated, with such additions as the Legislature deems wise, to the same ends Based upon appropriations equal in amount to those heretofore made, the following examples illustrate the benefits that will accrue to our municipalities from last session's legislation

Atlantic City received under the old system	$30,540 7
Under the present act it will receive	91,622 1
Hammonton received under the old system	5,843 0
Under the present act it will receive	17,529 2
Northampton township, in Burlington county, received under the old system	2,124 3
Under the present act it will receive	6,373 0
Camden city received under the old system	35,473 5
Under the present act it will receive	106,420 6
Newark received under the old system	177,527 4
Under the present act it will receive	532,582 4
Montclair received under the old system	11,337 2
Under the present act it will receive	34,011 6
South Orange received under the old system	3,480 4
Under the present act it will receive	10,441 3
Jersey City received under the old system	109,524 5
Under the present act it will receive	328,573 7
North Bergen township, in Hudson county, received under the old system	8,026 52
Under the present act it will receive	24,079 56
Kearny received under the old system	9,014 48
Under the present act it will receive	27,043 44
New Brunswick received under the old system	7,540 20
Under the present act it will receive	22,620 60
Bridgeton received under the old system	4,383 05
Under the present act it will receive	13,149 15
Neptune township, in Monmouth county, received under the old system	8,514 95
Under the present act it will receive	25,544 85
Paterson received under the old system	51,552 90
Under the present act it will receive	154,658 70
Passaic city received under the old system	16,046 21
Under the present act it will receive	48,128 63
Acquackanonk township, in Passaic county, received under the old system	3,985 33
Under the present act it will receive	11,955 99
Raritan township, in Hunterdon county, received under the old system	2,519 90
Under the present act it will receive	7,559 70
Washington, in Warren county, received under the old system	1,914 32
Under the present act it will receive	5,742 92

These illustrations, not purporting to be accurate to the penny, might be multiplied indefinitely They show that the local appropriation for school expenses can be reduced from fifty to seventy-five per cent

THE NECESSITY OF EQUALIZATION

The investigations of the State Board of Equalization of Taxes disclosed great irregularities in the execution of our tax laws In no county was property assessed according to the constitutional requirements It was acknowledged that assessments were made in most cases on an arbitrary basis without regard to law, and that there was little effort to include personalty in the ratables

Inequality of valuation was the rule rather than the exception

It is but fair to the assessors to say that this was largely due to a lack of system and to an accepted custom which the individual assessors could not remedy without great personal sacrifice and unpopularity

Equal taxation depends upon equality of valuation Equality of valuation, however, is impossible under the administration of five hundred different assessors without a uniformity of method and with no proper supervision The necessity of some central, equalizing board is indispensable to an honest administration of our tax laws So long as the apportionment of the railroad taxes to the various counties is based upon property valuations therein, and so long as the State school taxes are apportioned to each local taxing district to be raised according to the amount of its ratables, inequality of assessment will result in an unequal distribution of these common benefits and common burdens If, for example, Hudson county is assessed at a lower percentage of value than Salem, Salem county will pay a part of the State school tax that should be paid by Hudson county On the other hand, under the same conditions, Hudson county would receive a smaller proportion of the proceeds of the railroad tax than it would be entitled to on a proper valuation of its ratables Such a state of affairs, so manifestly unjust to all, violates the principles of equity and honesty The remedy lies in boards of equalization, whose province is *not* to make new laws, but to see that existing laws are properly and impartially executed, and that all individuals and all sections are treated alike, without favor or prejudice

The administration of our tax laws has been inequitable for so long that no one could expect that equalization of valuations—right in theory and just in practice—could be accomplished without difficulties and embarrassments To right long-standing wrongs requires the operation of time It is natural to suppose that in any attempt to equalize valuations of property so that all shall receive the same treatment, some mistakes will be made These, however, will be gradually remedied The law itself is just, if there has been failure in its execution this can be corrected

Lower Taxes

A careful, if somewhat hasty, inquiry throughout the State shows that on a conservative estimate from sixty to seventy-five per cent of the tax bills for 1906 were lower than the same tax bills for 1905

In one county seventy-five to ninety per cent of the tax bills are lower than last year In nine taxing districts in another county, by actual count 2,451 tax bills were lower this year than last year, while in the same taxing districts only 271 were higher

This result has been accomplished notwithstanding the fact that the taxpayers of 1906 have not yet received the benefit of the increased taxes from railroads, which, when applied this year, will still further reduce all individual taxes by from sixteen to eighteen points on every tax rate without any increase in valuation A small percentage of the tax bills throughout the State may show an increase over last year

Causes of Increase

This increase is due to three causes

First, an increase in municipal expenditures, due to local administration and in nowise chargeable to the State policy of taxation

In one municipality in the State, the appropriations this year were increased $553,287 91 In another municipality the appropriations exceeded those of last year by $528,062 95 If our cities increase their expenditures, the taxpayers must meet the

increase by the payment of heavier taxes. Cities and individuals are alike in this respect. If an individual's living expenses are increased, his bills are larger. When municipal expenditures are increased, the taxpayers' bills are larger.

Second, erroneous valuations, for these the law provides ample remedies and appeals to the proper authorities from whom justice can be secured.

Third, a just increase made necessary because of former undervaluations and concealment of property. The taxpayer who complains of the increase in taxes from the last cause is in the same position as the man who claims that freight rates have been raised because he is no longer allowed a rebate. Honesty finds no relief for those who wish to escape their just obligations.

NEW JERSEY'S FINANCES

A successful government depends upon a financial system that is able to confer the greatest benefits upon the people with the least burden of taxation.

Last year the State disbursed to the local taxing districts out of its own treasury and through its collections of the tax on second-class railroad property and the franchise tax on public utilities, three million three hundred and ten thousand dollars. Not a penny of this came out of the pockets of the taxpayers. To have raised this sum by local taxation would have increased every tax rate in the State twenty-nine points.

Twelve years ago this disbursement was merely nominal in amount. Within this period the State, by wise laws and by judicious husbanding of resources, has been able to add over three million dollars to the income of our local taxing districts without any contribution on their part.

The State, in addition, has been maintaining penal institutions for the good order and safety of society, has supported our State schools, contributed to industrial education, sent worthy boys to college free of tuition, contributed to various libraries, lent an aiding hand to charity, supported the blind and feeble-minded and epileptic, provided a home and moral instruction for wayward boys and girls, cared for the old veterans, aided in the de-

velopment of agriculture, trained the volunteer in military science for the defense of State and country in the hour of danger—all this in addition to its expenditures for administration, for courts of law, for legislation and for miscellaneous benefits and necessities So worthy a work needs the cordial support and the wise and critical oversight of every good citizen The preservation of our revenues is essential to the continuance of the work the State is performing for the people

The increase in the number of criminals, the multiplication of the insane, blind, feeble-minded and other State wards is an ever-increasing draft upon the State's income Any thoughtless attack upon this revenue is an attack upon the necessities of good government

New Jersey's reputed unlimited financial resources have naturally attracted demands upon them and from worthy persons with worthy objects For years I have urged caution and conservatism in this respect In my message of last year I suggested that an over-night balance of $2,858,000 at the close of the fiscal year, which was the next morning confronted by authorized appropriations of over $4,300,000, was a sum none too large for the proper financiering of our State government, the Constitution of which forbids indebtedness of over $100,000

In spite of repeated warnings, the demands for new institutions and additions to old institutions amounting last year to over $500,000, with an increase of $94,000, paid out of the treasury for the purpose of reducing local taxation, together with a falling off in receipts of over $195,000, have resulted in a decrease in the balance at the close of the last fiscal year as compared with the close of the fiscal year preceding of $773,506 74 The State fund shows disbursements exceeding receipts during the year to this amount The wisdom of keeping appropriations within the receipts, except in extraordinary emergencies, needs no defense Under these conditions, no appropriations for new institutions nor any additions to old institutions, except where absolutely necessary, should be considered Heretofore I have been content in raising a voice of warning and in the exercise of persuasion before appropriations were made This year I shall feel it my duty to exercise the veto power in the maintenance of this policy Economy must be observed in every phase of State expenditure

CHARITIES AND CORRECTIONS

The care of our dependent and wayward wards continues to be the greatest draft upon the State's purse Over 30 per cent. of our expenditures are used for this purpose How far the State is supporting dependents who should be supported in whole or in part by relatives is a subject of continued investigation and inquiry Under the Department of Charities and Corrections, this matter, not easy of detection, is being systematically studied and it is expected that in the near future a statement of actual conditions can be authoritatively made The humane work carried on by the State must be freed from the suspicion of being the refuge of those who shirk their responsibilities as parents and kin by accepting the support and charity of the Commonwealth

The Department of Charities and Corrections has the supervision of the construction of new buildings and of additions to old buildings authorized by the Legislature Attention is invited to this work Of ten new buildings and additions authorized since the creation of this department, every one of them has been constructed for less than the original amount appropriated. The aggregate appropriation for these purposes amounted to $1,037,700, the expenditures therefor to $948,630, so that a balance was returned to the State Treasury of $88,070

When it is considered that under the former system of construction, without the supervision of this department, nearly every building and addition exceeded the authorized amount and required a deficiency appropriation, the specific instances of which are matters of public record, the wisdom of such a department of State is at once apparent

Under the old system, the architect's fees alone on building since May 1st, 1905, would have been $50,389 72 The total expense to the State for this supervision under our present system has been $6,675 78, an actual saving of $43,614 14 Comment is unnecessary

CHILD LABOR LAWS

The enforcement of proper regulations for the preservation of the health and the further protection of employes in manufacturing establishments is a State policy This State has thrown restrictions around the employment of women and young children in our factories and workshops It insists that the younger years of a child's life shall be devoted to educational training and physical development Three years ago the Legislature of this State placed upon the statute books a law regulating the employment of children in manufacturing establishments No consideration has apparently been given to the employment of children in mercantile and other pursuits—a subject worthy of thought

The present law was carefully prepared and adopted after mature deliberation It has been instrumental in correcting abuses that formerly existed, and, in the judgment of those who have carefully studied the subject, the New Jersey law is unsurpassed for fairness, and for effectiveness in accomplishing its purpose by that of any other State The provisions are in conformity with those of the compulsory education act, and, as a natural consequence, the enforcement of one assists in the enforcement of the other

The Department of Labor and Workshops has made a most excellent record, for the means at its disposal

It may be well for the Legislature to determine whether the present force of the department charged with this work is sufficient, and to inquire into the wisdom of grading inspectors, with a view to remunerating them upon the basis of the character of the work required

Upon the Legislature devolves the duty of providing more adequate means, if it deem such necessary, for the enforcement of the child labor laws

OUR COLORED CITIZENS

The colored people of our State are subjects for consideration and care, educationally and industrially These people, through no fault of their own, have lacked opportunity enjoyed by the whites They gave this country two hundred and fifty years of

unrequited toil But with less than half a century of freedom, they have, as a race, made marvelous progress in savings, in the accumulation of property, in mental development, and in adaptability to conditions not altogether enviable

This race is rapidly increasing in our State From 1890 to 1900 the white population of New Jersey increased 29 8 per cent, while the colored population increased 46 6 per cent Prudence and patriotism demand a recognition of this fact

Our State has not neglected its duty in this direction It has provided liberally for the education of colored children, making no distinction between them and the whites It has provided a building for the training and reclamation of unfortunate colored girls For the present, and perhaps for some time to come, opportunities to earn a livelihood by the colored people will be limited to such vocations as the farm, the trades and the household It is important, therefore, that they should have proper industrial training The School for Colored Youth at Bordentown was established for this purpose It is doing excellent work It could do better work with improved accommodations and facilities, for the demands upon it exceed its present limitations Hampton Roads and Tuskegee are illustrations of the possibilities of such institutions The time has arrived for decision as to how far the State proposes to go in the further development of the Bordentown School I recommend such increased facilities at that institution as the demands upon it seem to warrant

STRANGERS WITHIN OUR GATES

New Jersey is the first State to treat immigration problems in a rational and systematic way The Commission appointed under authority of the last Legislature has made careful investigations into the condition of the immigrants who settle in our State, and has made a recommendation that they be taught something of our customs, laws and institutions, so that they may at once become familiar with their rights and privileges

At the last census there were 431,000 foreign born residents in our State—one-fifth of the population In the city of Passaic, fifty per cent of the population is foreign born, in Paterson, thirty-seven per cent, in Hoboken, thirty-six, in Jersey City,

twenty-eight, and in Trenton, twenty-two and six-tenths per cent. These people come to us, in many cases, ignorant of our ways and institutions Credulous and unsuspecting, they are likely to be the prey of rogues, and be defrauded of their savings In this way they receive a false impression of American character and principles It is important that they should be promptly brought in touch with our highest ideals and standards

This can be done through schools in which they may be taught in their own language as soon as possible the obligations and duties of citizenship Whatever may be the character of these immigrants, it must not be forgotten that they represent at least the courage and daring of their respective races, else they would not have left the land of their nativity, their homes and relatives and friends, to try fortune in an alien country Such courage and ambition is worthy of careful cultivation and training It is a natural power, which, linked with skill and turned in the right direction, will add strength to the brain and brawn of American citizenship and become one of the chief assets of our civilization Money expended for the education of these wards of ours is more than a good investment—it is a protection against the crime and disorder of neglected ignorance

Whether this important work should be carried on by the State Board of Education, whether it should be under the direction of a specially authorized commission without salary, whether the State should pay the whole expense, or whether the various municipalities should share therein, are matters of detail for legislative consideration I earnestly recommend that this matter be carefully considered, and that some plan be devised for carrying on this suggested work, supported by an appropriation for that purpose

TEACHERS' COLLEGE COURSE

The high schools of our State are rapidly multiplying These poor man's colleges at present require about six hundred and twenty-five teachers and sixty new teachers each year Of this number fifty are annually furnished from outside of the State There is no place in New Jersey where a college course can be taken by women, or a course in advance of that provided by the State Normal School Consequently, our Normal School grad-

uates, while trained in pedagogy, lack in most case sufficient academic training to teach high school branches

The necessity for reform in this direction needs no argument The remedy is easy The addition of an elective course in our Normal School, covering two years of advance work in high school branches, together with the usual pedagogical training, would equip the teacher-student for high school work and would give us a teachers' college course in our Normal School The demand for higher education among public school students requires teachers with a higher academic training The requirement could be met as suggested, with but little additional expense to the State, and it would place our State Normal School among the first of its kind in the country and confer untold benefit upon the high schools of the State

RIPARIAN GRANTS

The Riparian lands of the State have been twice the subject of recommendation at my hands The legislative investigations, so admirably conducted, will be followed by a report of the Investigating Committee, with recommendations that will form the basis of consideration on your part The time has come for a more clearly defined State policy on this subject

The water fronts of New Jersey have much to do with her industrial and commercial pre-eminence With one exception our State has a longer coast line, in proportion to its area than any other State in the Union Its bays, navigable rivers and thoroughfares add to the importance of its waterways Its location as the terminal of all the great trunk lines of trade and commerce save one, make it, with its natural advantages, the future distributing and shipping point of the east Raritan and Newark bays, the Hackensack and the Passaic, are destined to become harbors lined with docks, an emporium of the world's exchange, animate with the ships and flags of every nation The construction of a transfer station at Harrison for the common use of the freight and passenger lines of the south and the west, will hasten the realization of this prospect

If our Riparian lands should all be severed from State control and vested in individual ownership, a Chinese wall of private interests would then enclose the docks and landing places of these

harbors and rivers of commerce Whatever policy, therefore, is adopted as to the remaining Riparian lands of the State, care should be exercised that either the State or its municipalities should retain control over some of its water fronts, that there may be public landing places for incoming and departing ships and that the State and its people may not be entirely debarred from the great waterways except through the permission of private ownership

INSURANCE LAWS

The report of the Committee to Investigate the Condition of Life Insurance Companies will be laid before you at this session Their findings will enable you to deal with this important topic along lines of the most advanced thought and to place New Jersey in the lead as the State which has the best laws for the protection and safety of policy-holders

MASTER AND SERVANT

The report of the Commission on Master and Servant will be presented to you at this session The law on this subject is largely judge-made, and has become a mass of legal subtleties more fruitful of controversy and litigation than capable of doing justice Justice Magie, in the case of the Rogers Locomotive Works *vs* Hand (21 Vr 464), declared in dealing with one of the features of this law, "To attempt to explore the adjudged cases on this subject is to bewilder one's self in a maze of decisions inconsistent with each other and often irreconcilable with the principles at the foundation of the liability of the master to a servant"

This condition of affairs requires careful legislative treatment The employer should know the extent of his liability to his employe, and the workman should be reasonably certain of compensation in case of injury, without the risk of losing his case in court and his situation as well

STATE LICENSING BOARDS

From time to time the Legislature has created State Boards authorized to license applicants who desire to pursue avocations within the State These now consist of the State Board of Pharmacy, Board of Medical Examiners, Board of Dentistry, Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners, Board of Undertakers and Embalmers, Board of Public Accountants The members of these Boards are scattered in all parts of the State, and it is doubtful if any man in public life can to-day name the Chairmen and Secretaries of these bodies or tell where they may be reached, much less can the young man, just starting out in life, be expected to have this, to him, necessary information The difficulty of locating the official habitat of these bodies is a great inconvenience, if not a hardship, to applicants for examination

I recommend that provision be made for a common Secretary to all these Boards, with an office in the State House, attached, perhaps, to the Department of State, to whom all communications of inquiry and applications for examination may be addressed

UNIFORM DIVORCE LAWS

One of the most formidable perils which menace the social order of our country to-day is the prevalence of easy divorce This evil threatens the very foundations of our civilization and is recognized as an imminent danger against which our domestic life demands immediate protection

In order to combat most effectually this enemy to society, an Interstate Conference was called in February last to consider the advisability of uniform divorce laws among the several States. New Jersey was ably represented in that convention and in later proceedings by Hon John R Emery, Hon William M Lanning and the Rev Henry Collin Minton, D D, appointed as a delegation to serve the State The Conference passed resolutions recommending uniformity of legislation concerning divorce throughout the entire Union and I have requested the New Jersey delegation to draft an act along the lines suggested Upon the

completion of their work, already begun, I will at once submit the act thus prepared to the Legislature with a special Message thereon

DELAWARE RIVER FISHERIES

The fisheries of the Delaware river require immediate action. Shad and sturgeon are diminishing with alarming rapidity Fewer fish were caught during the entire season of 1906 than were caught a few years ago in a single day The United States Bureau of Fisheries, our own Fish and Game Commission, and the Commissioner of Fisheries of Pennsylvania, all concur in the recommendation for uniform legislation for the protection of the shad fisheries, else they think that this great and valuable food fish will become extinct

The laws on this subject are now in a chaotic state In the early part of the nineteenth century, the Legislature of New Jersey and Pennsylvania made solemn agreements for concurrent legislation upon this subject The last concurrent legislation was in 1899 Since then laws have been passed by New Jersey not concurred in by Pennsylvania, to the confusion of the statutes and the detriment of the fish industry of the Delaware I am informed that there is a legislative commission appointed by Pennsylvania, consisting of two members of the Senate, three members of the House, and the Commissioner of Fisheries of that State, to meet a similar commission to be appointed by the State of New Jersey, to frame a concurrent bill A similar commission was appointed on the part of this State, but the terms of its members have expired Another commission should be appointed at once to confer with Pennsylvania, in order that the question may be considered this year when the Legislatures of both States are in session

JUDICIARY AMENDMENTS

At the session of 1905 an act was passed providing for the appointment of a commission to take into consideration and report to the Legislature proposed amendments to the Constitution relative to the Courts of New Jersey This commission,

consisting of ex-Governor Griggs, former Justice Van Syckel, Charles L Corbin, John R Hardin and ex-Governor Murphy representing the lay element, after making a thorough examination and careful study of the Constitutional provisions and the statutes governing our judicial system, submitted its report to the Legislature of 1905 for consideration The recommendations of the commission were subsequently embodied in the form of a joint resolution providing for the adoption of the proposed amendments, and a bill was prepared for the subsequent adaptation of the structure and practice of the courts to revised judicial methods

Owing to a Constitutional inhibition against the submission of any amendment or amendments to a vote of the people oftener than once in five years, no action could be taken at the last session

The Legislature this year, however, is under no restrictions of this kind, the time limit having expired last year

Simplicity of system and promptness of legal action are desirable both for the litigant and the ends of justice Continuous appeals and technicalities in practice prolong controversies, in some cases until final decision comes too late to make amends to the injured "Justice delayed is justice denied"

Under our present antiquated judicial system these delays and the injustices resulting therefrom are inevitable Our judicial system was devised to meet the requirements of sixty years ago The business of to-day has outgrown the capacity of our legal machinery Speedier decisions are necessary, and judicial methods should be revised to keep abreast with the business demands of the hour

There will be differences of opinion as to the proper remedy A large majority of those who have given this matter conscientious thought believe that the plan proposed by the commission will remedy our present judicial ills I earnestly commend this subject to your thoughtful consideration with a view to submitting to the people such Constitutional amendments for the reorganization of our courts as will enable this department of government to proceed unhampered in its administration of justice

SIMPLICITY OF LEGISLATION

One of the needed reforms in governmental affairs is more careful and less hasty legislation Despite repeated Executive suggestion, the phraseology and language of our laws continue obscure and confusing, and the number of laws at each session to multiply rather than diminish Every law should be intelligible to the ordinary mind, and no new law should be passed unless the public welfare will suffer from the failure of its enactment

The average number of laws per annum for the last decade has been about 280 Last year, under the suggested curtailment in amount of legislation, 389 bills were passed, of which 342 became laws As usual, of this number a very large proportion were special laws in a general guise There are 6,000 acts now in force Twenty-five per cent of these relate to municipal subjects, and most of the latter were designed for specific purposes, their object to-day forgotten, save perhaps by the introducers

Such a mass of law is so conflicting and perplexing as to be a sealed book to the lay citizen, and to the lawyer a mass of intricacy which baffles professional skill and research We have had no revision of the statutes since that of 1874 The General Statutes published, closing with the acts of 1895, was a mere compilation, and since that date we have been pyramiding our system of law by an annual production of statutes that never fails It is true that during this time there have been revisions of much merit concerning single subjects, such as the Orphans' Court Acts, Township Acts, District Court Acts, Criminal Procedure Acts, Acts Concerning Boroughs, and a few others These, however, have been so frequently modified by amendment as to have greatly impaired the usefulness of the revision A commission is at present compiling the acts now in force, but their work, when complete, however thorough and admirable, will be simply a compilation and not a revision or simplification of law Our present volume of legislation could, under a proper revision, doubtless be cut in half, and at the same time serve convenience and clearness The work already done by the commission appointed to compile our laws would greatly aid the work of revision if authorized by the Legislature

The statutes repealed by the Legislature and acts declared

unconstitutional by the courts have been eliminated by the commission to compile the laws, so that the actual body of law in force is now ready for re-expression in simpler and more condensed form

The time is ripe for a condensation and revision of our statutes, and they are now so classified that this work could be at once undertaken without further preliminary I believe that such a revision would meet with the approval of the courts, bar and people of the State

JURY REFORM

Reformation of our jury system, long the theme of discussion by the bar of our State, was at the last session made a subject of legislative enactment A great step in advance was made by providing that the petit jury lists should be subject to revision in the way of substitution and elimination at the hands of the judge of the Court of Common Pleas

The method of selecting the grand juries should be likewise carefully reviewed, and, if possible, a better method devised and enacted into law The power of indictment is too great and far-reaching to be exercised except in the fairest manner possible Personal and political objects should not be permitted to influence the make-up or the deliberation of our grand juries A man's reputation is too dear to be at the mercy of his opponents who may be invested with power, and the public welfare is too important to be thwarted by a failure in the administration of justice because violators of the law have influence in the selection of grand juries

The selection of a grand jury should not be vested in any one individual While the names of the grand jurors should be kept confidential for public reasons, the selection of such bodies by lot out of a list of the citizens of the county, eligible for that duty, after such a list has been revised by the judge of the Court of Common Pleas, would serve the demands of fairness and would take the grand jury panel out of the suspicion of influence or favoritism A panel so drawn would result in grand juries that would treat every case upon its merits and would weigh every consideration in the scales of even-handed justice

CIVIL SERVICE

Good government demands both probity and efficiency in public officials It is difficult to induce the best men to enter public life Much less can they be induced to do so where position is the play thing of partisanship, instead of the sure reward of merit

Patronage is the blight of office It impairs the usefulness of an administration by dividing its energies between appointments and policies, when the latter should have exclusive attention It creates enmities and hampers an administration in the execution of its proper functions Every patriotic official would rejoice if he had no patronage at his command In the hands of an ambitious partisan, patronage builds up an offensive machine, creates an office-holders' trust and demoralizes public life Office-holders whose position depends upon the service they render to the appointing power necessarily give their first allegiance to that power in preference to the people

Public business should be conducted upon the same basis as private business, and appointments based upon fitness and capacity A judicious civil service law, providing that appointments—municipal, county and State—be based upon efficiency is well worthy of your consideration

In measures of this kind, conservative progress is safest and best The executive of a municipality or a State is held responsible to the people who elect him for the results of his administration He cannot succeed, however excellent his policies, unless he is surrounded by loyal official advisers He should have the right to appoint the heads of departments upon whose support depends the success or failure of his administration On no other basis should he be held accountable for the work of his immediate official family

Officers elected by the people, officers whose appointment is confirmed by the Senate, officers of any city or county whose appointment is confirmed by any legislative body, persons appointed by name by statute, are not properly subjects of civil service regulations Outside of these, with some few exceptions, a civil service regulation would conduce not alone to the public welfare, but would relieve political life of one of its greatest burdens

A State Civil Service Commission would be necessary to the

execution of such a law I would vest in this commission the power of confirmation over all appointments to the classified service, and would make all such appointments subject to trial for a period before they are made permanent

CORRUPT PRACTICES

The purity of the ballot is the foundation of good government. Corruption begets dishonesty, and a corrupt and fraudulent ballot produces a government of like character The legislation of last year for a purer ballot was based upon two principles—a broader definition of what constitutes bribery at the primaries and at the polls, so that no form, however insidious, of debauching the electorate, either by money, promise or hospitality, should be legal, and a better method of securing the conviction of both the bribe taker and the bribe giver Too severe penalties for these offenses make detection and conviction well nigh impossible A penalty, such as that prescribed in the act of last year, that merely disfranchises for the first offense, and for the second imposes both disfranchisement and punishment, is more likely to eliminate bribery than severer penalties that can never be enforced To this was added immunity of the informer for his own offense, so that the bribe giver or the bribe taker is now always in danger of being betrayed by his confederate This provision makes bribe giving and bribe taking dangerous experiments, as it puts wrongdoers at the mercy of wrongdoers

In addition to these provisions, I last year recommended publicity in connection with election expenses I said "There are some legitimate expenses These should be defined by law, and the candidates and their agents, likewise defined by law, should be compelled to render an accounting of the money expended, and for what purposes I recommend the English and Massachusetts Corrupt Practices act for elections, caucuses and primaries as the basis of legislation on this subject" This recommendation is renewed With this possible addition, it would seem as if the anti-bribery laws of the State were sufficiently comprehensive and stringent No law will enforce itself, no law will stand at the polls, detect, arrest, convict and sentence its violators Public sentiment must be active, vigilant, courage-

ous; else the best laws become dead letters. What we now need is not so much new law as enforcement of the laws already enacted

But even though our anti-bribery laws are ample in provision, there is no reason why our election machinery should not be so adjusted as to make bribery as difficult as possible Prevention is better than cure

Ballots Confined to Polling Places

The present method of distributing ballots outside of the polling place, while it may serve convenience in some few instances, aids the briber and bribe taker It enables the briber to arrange a ticket by folding it in a particular way, by writing on it the name of the voter, or some other name agreed upon, in lieu of the candidate for some minor office, or to require the purchased voter to bring from the booth the ticket handed to him by the election officers as evidence that he voted the ticket given to him by the corrupt agent As the ballots are counted, it is not a difficult thing for an agent to note whether the ballots so prepared are or are not found in the ballot-box, if they are, it is presumptive evidence that the purchased goods have been delivered by the purchased voter, and that he is entitled to the consideration If no official ballots were allowed outside of the polling place, these marks of identification could not be made, and there would be no means of proving whether or not the purchased voter was true to his bargain I recommend, therefore, that official ballots hereafter be not allowed outside of the polling place, and that laws be enacted to this end

Voting Machines

It is not the province of the Executive or the Legislature to impose upon the people any form of voting which is distasteful and unsatisfactory It is proper, however, that the merits of every system should be fairly discussed, and that the people, before rejecting a plan, should carefully compare its advantages with the objections thereto

There is an apparent opposition in many parts of the State to

the voting machine Whether this opposition comes from disappointed political ambitions, whether it is due to the careless management of the voting machine by election officers, whether it is due to that conservatism of mind which always opposes innovations, whether it has been developed by selfish interests, or whether it is well grounded and sincere, I shall not attempt to discuss As a prevention of the corrupt and fraudulent ballot, however, the voting machine has merit It practically prevents bribery at the polls, as there is no possible means of ascertaining how the bribe taker votes It prevents the substitution by corrupt election officers of any ballot for the one actually cast by the voter It prevents the extraction from the ballot-box of a handful of ballots and the replacing therefor of ballots never cast It prevents tampering with the tally-sheet or a falsification of the count It secures promptness of results

Machinery may get out of order—it may be purposely disarranged, but machinery does not lie, cheat, or steal, and its errors are easily detected and corrected The voting machine, in short, practically eliminates bribery, insures an honest election count and enters into no conspiracy with those who would defraud the ballot The fate of the voting machine rests, as it should rest, with the sovereign voters of the State, but the lovers of good government and of honest elections should think calmly and deliberately before they condemn an agency more helpful to their cause than a thousand unenforced statutes

PASSAIC RIVER POLLUTION

In last year's Message I stated, "The purification of the Passaic river is still an unsolved problem" It has been handed down to this Legislature for adjudication It was last year suggested that any satisfactory solution that was made must meet with the approval of the affected communities, that legislation otherwise enacted would fail in execution and become a worthless legacy to the courts

In accordance with that recommendation, Paterson and Newark agreed in conference either to settle their differences or to permit legislation on the subject to proceed by acquiescence on the part of one if not with the support of both The details of this settlement

were not perfected in time to carry out the expected program proposed to be executed at a special session to be called for that purpose some time in September last Paterson and Newark, and I speak of these two municipalities because the difficulty in solving the problem has arisen out of their differences, have been in conference since September in a sincere attempt to agree upon legislation to this end I am now informed that a bill has practically been agreed upon by the representatives of the two mentioned cities and the other affected municipalities, and is ready for presentation to you for consideration

The necessity for purifying the Passaic and restoring it to its natural condition needs no advocate The health, the prosperity the comfort of the people of this section are at stake Even controversy has disappeared in face of the demand for the common good The time for action has come Delay no longer finds the semblance of excuse

State Sewerage

The condition of the Passaic Valley should prove a warning to other sections against the improper use of the rivers and streams of our State These natural highways, as Webster called them were never intended to carry the refuse of civilization to the sea In many of our waterways incipient pollution has already begun The Delaware river when it reaches Philadelphia consists, on an average throughout the year, of twenty per cent pollution Our bathing grounds are contaminated and threatened with ruin Our oysters and shell fish need protection from the same danger

The attempts of the State Sewerage Commission to remedy this growing evil and prevent conditions that in the near future would make unsightly and unhealthful sewers of our potable streams have met with regretful opposition

Economic and sanitary considerations are arrayed on the side of purification Every municipality should be glad to divert sewage from all of our streams, especially from those from which numbers of our people obtain their water-supply This State, together with Pennsylvania and New York, through its health officers and other State officials, is endeavoring to devise a plan, not only for the prevention of further deposits of sewage into the Delaware, but for

the removal of the pollution already occasioned The passage of an act preventing the further pollution of our streams and the protection of our bathing grounds would appeal to those whose vision extends beyond the present hour

FORESTRY RESERVATIONS

The work of the State Forest Park Reservation continues conservatively but progressively The entire forest holdings of the State at the present time make a total of 2,772 59 acres These have cost the State $10,927 00, and are located both in Southern and Northern New Jersey Appropriations have not been sufficiently large to warrant extensive purchases It is perhaps wise that public sentiment in behalf of this movement should outrun the appropriations rather than that large expenditures should invite thoughtless criticism and jeopardize such an important public work

The woodlands of our State will become one of its great assets, and will, under scientific cutting, soon begin to return a revenue to the State and eventually show a handsome profit on the investment They will, moreover, furnish game preserves, pleasure parks, healthful camping grounds and picturesque drives which the people at large may enjoy as their own

The destruction of our woodlands by fire in the past has resulted in a great loss of property, in the impoverishment of our soil and the drying up of our potable streams The Legislature last year passed an act authorizing the forest fire service That act has been in effect since July 4th last Under it fire wardens have been appointed, and extracts from the law have been posted in the woods and given publicity through the press While the law has not yet had a severe test, the result has been most gratifying Numbers of fires have been extinguished before they became dangerous, and no extensive conflagration has been reported Policing the woods by the fire wardens has undoubtedly been a great preventive The entire cost of actual fire fighting to November 1st was $5 30, one-half of which was paid by the State

Further development of our forestry reservations and the protection of our woodlands from fire is commended to legislative support

Sources of Water-Supply

In this connection the acquisition of woodlands about the sources of our potable streams and the purchase by the State of our fresh-water lakes and ponds, of which there are 108 in New Jersey, with an acreage of about 14,000 acres, was suggested in last year's Message Thereupon the Legislature authorized the Riparian Commission, together with the State Geologist, to investigate the whole question of the potable water-supply of the State with reference to State control of the same The report of this commission will be presented in the immediate future

The growth of our population makes more and more necessary the public ownership of those natural resources of the State that are indispensable to the life and health of the people

Recreation parks and drinking water should be under the control of public rather than private interest

Lakes as Recreation Grounds

The acquisition in fee of the fresh-water lakes and ponds by the State is desirable as a matter of public policy Many of them are now owned by private parties or by clubs for the exclusive use of their owners Boating and fishing on some lakes have already been denied the general public In the near future the people will be debarred from many, if not all, the desirable lakes of the State These lakes are needed, not only as recreation places for those of the immediate neighborhood, but for the ever-increasing number of persons who leave the cities in the summer seeking rest and relaxation The gradual acquisition by the State of lakes of over 100 acres in extent, especially in those sections that have become summer playgrounds, should appeal to those who have the interests of our commonwealth at heart

It is fair to state that the purchase of these lakes is not necessary to the State's control of the potable water-supply contained therein The recent decision of our courts in the Hudson county water case makes it clear that the State has a joint ownership with the riparian owners in our potable waters It has authority to control the latter, so far as their diversion is concerned, without ownership in fee

POTABLE WATER-SUPPLY

Our potable water-supply presents the most important problem before the people of the State There is in the State an ample supply of water for the present and for an indefinite period in the future, if this supply be properly conserved and kept pure The right of the State to do this is unquestioned, under the recent interpretation of our courts "In our potable waters we have a vast natural asset belonging to the people, the conservation and purity of which is indispensable to their health and well being" The use of this water is so necessary to life that a direct and active control over the diversion thereof for domestic and municipal purposes should be exercised by the State

The creation of a State Water Supply Commission to control and regulate the diversion of potable waters without interfering with present municipal or vested rights, or the vesting of some such power in a State board already in existence, would seem to be necessary to save this valuable State asset

Prompt action in this respect would anticipate further acquirement of water rights by private interests

Storage Reservoirs

The rapid growth of our population in the metropolitan district is drawing heavily upon our present available supply The dry-weather flow of the Passaic river, normally 85,000,000 gallons daily, has been reduced to scarcely 35,000,000 gallons by the demands upon it, and this in spite of the large storage reservoirs already constructed The daily drafts upon the Hackensack river now exceed the estimated minimum flow in a time of extreme drought One-half the population of the State depend upon these two rivers and their tributaries By reason of their geographic location, the demands upon them must greatly increase in the future, and if these demands are to be met, storage reservoirs must be constructed to conserve the surplus waters

The amount of water which runs to waste out of the Passaic Valley in a week, in time of flood, would supply the whole upper

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part of the State for a year The conservation of the water in times of flood would provide an available surplus for the dry season

The erection of a storage reservoir in the Passaic Valley would serve many economic purposes The location of a dam for this purpose, whether at Mountain View or Little Falls, is an engineering problem to be solved by experts, and not in a Legislative Message A storage reservoir in this section is not a new suggestion It has been frequently discussed, and been the subject of many reports It is now a question of acute importance, because of the recent disastrous floods in the Passaic Valley, and the pressing necessity of developing our water-supplies for use in the near future

A reservoir under the control of the State would guarantee a potable water-supply for an indefinite period

The reservoir would increase the volume of the Passaic at Little Falls, and would provide a flow of at least one hundred million gallons daily, where at times the flow is now but thirty-five million gallons It would also increase the available water-power at Little Falls, Paterson and Dundee, to the advantage of the industrial enterprises of those sections

It would improve the condition of the lower Passaic and prevent the river bed from becoming dry at times, or from shrinking into a series of unwholesome pools

The increased flow due to the storage reservoir would make the river more attractive and healthful for residence along its banks.

It would materially assist in flushing the river and thus aid in solving the pollution problem

It would control floods, such as those which proved so disastrous in 1902 and 1903, and save a vast amount of property from destruction

As a scenic feature, it has further claims to consideration For low meadows and flats, now breeding places for mosquitoes, it would substitute a broad expanse of water in the form of a picturesque lake that would add to the attractiveness of the Passaic Valley Its charms in this respect, both for residents and guests in this section, appeal to the imagination

Cost and Means of Financing

It is estimated that this project could be carried out in detail, including the construction of the dam, the purchase and condemnation of the flood lands, necessary changes in sewers, pipelines, railroads and highways, with a margin of 600 feet around the edge of the lake for public uses, for an expenditure of seven and one-half million of dollars It is true that the Constitution of the State forbids the incurring of indebtedness in excess of $100,000, except by a vote of the people However, it would not be unwise to submit a proposition of this kind to the people for their approval Bonds could then be floated at a low rate of interest and the proposition financed in this manner

But another method of financing the project is possible It should be remembered that the Passaic Flood Commision is now laboring with the problem of flood control The creation of this commission was due to the destruction of property to an amount estimated at more than seven millions of dollars, so that if the section threatened by floods should pay for the whole enterprise, it would be a wise economy on their part The expenditure of this sum, however, would not be demanded on the part of the interested community, bonds secured by mortgage on the reservoir and its appurtenances could be floated at a low rate of interest and money thus provided for the enterprise

Whether the first method or the second method of financing be adopted, the income from this source by the sale of water power and of potable water would, it is estimated, be ample to pay interest on the bonds and provide a sinking fund sufficient to liquidate the whole indebtedness within thirty-five years and thus leave this magnificent public work at the end of that period an asset of the State *free from debt*

While the demands of the present seem sufficient to warrant this enterprise, the claims of the future greatly emphasize its importance It would be a narrow State policy that would delay the construction of this reservoir until the day of an insufficient water supply had actually arrived In the interim private water companies would have preempted the water sheds now open to public use Already claims are made by private corporations upon this entire area It is true that the recent decision of the courts

throws doubt in turn upon the present status of some of those corporations There need, however, be no conflict New Jersey deals out equity She does not confiscate property on technical grounds Her justice is founded upon right and not upon might The corporations will receive fair treatment, but they, too, must be fair, and they must not attempt, while their rights are protected, to claim a jurisdiction which would interfere with this necessary public work on the part of the State in the interests of its people

I earnestly urge practical consideration of this subject and call your attention to important reports which will later be submitted.

ASSEMBLY DISTRICTS

The advisability of changing the method of electing Assemblymen by counties to election by districts was considered in my last Message The reasons therein advanced for the change are as good to-day as then Representative government demands that the unit of representation shall be clearly defined, so that the representative may have a distinct constituency to which he shall be responsible for his acts Under our present system the members of the House of Assembly in those counties that have more than one member are responsible to no distinct and separate constituency, but rather to a party organization or to a self-appointed committee of party leaders

This condition violates the fundamental principles of popular government It promotes rule by the few rather than government by the many So strongly wedded is public sentiment to the system of Assembly Districts that it is the custom in many of the larger counties to form imaginary legislative districts and allot the members to be elected by that county to these districts existing only in the fancy of the nominating convention The minority party, under present conditions, seldom has any representatives from the county in the House of Assembly In 1905, in the counties of Passaic, Hudson and Essex, the minority party polled forty per cent of the vote, but did not have in the House of Assembly a single member to speak for it Most of the large counties embrace both urban and rural populations, and in some sections are com-

munities of commuters Under the county system of electing members of the Assembly these different elements may not have proper or adequate representation Under the district system they could speak for themselves

It is always difficult to induce those in power to favor a change. Letting well enough alone blinds the sight to coming changes which may reverse conditions Political selfishness always eventually, sometimes quickly, brings political ruin There is only one safe law to follow in politics—the law of right Then every political party or element has at all times a fair chance, and that is all that should be asked The Assembly District system accords with the principles of representative and popular government, and gives to each party its political rights

In my Message last year I suggested that provision for Assembly Districts could be made by a Constitutional amendment, or it might be attempted by a Legislative act so drawn as to receive prompt interpretation by the courts This latter method was tried by the last Legislature, and the act was declared unconstitutional by the Court of Errors and Appeals An amendment to the Constitution, as suggested before, is therefore the only way by which the system of Assembly Districts can be restored in this State I recommend consideration by the Legislature of a Constitutional amendment for this purpose

GERRYMANDER EVILS

In this connection, the evils of the so-called gerrymander will be at once suggested This method of stealing political power, subverting government by the majority, is abhorrent to enlightened public sentiment A Constitutional amendment providing for Assembly Districts, if it meet with Legislative approval, should therefore contain such provisions as will render gerrymandering impossible This safeguard can be easily secured by providing in the Constitution that each Assembly District shall contain, as nearly as practicable, an equal number of inhabitants, and shall consist of convenient and contiguous territory, and that the Court of Errors and Appeals shall have exclusive and original jurisdiction and full power to review any apportionment made by the

Legislature whenever such apportionment shall seem to violate the principle of equality of population and convenience and contiguity of territory

UNITED STATES SENATORS AND THE PEOPLE

United States Senators are elected under the provisions of the United States Constitution and United States statutes The members of the Legislature are merely the agents of the United States government in choosing these officials The manner of voting and all details are regulated by national and not by State laws Whatever may have been the theory of our forefathers in vesting the election of United States Senators in the Legislatures of the several States, the presumption to-day is that the members of the Legislature, in performing this duty, voice the sentiment of their respective constituencies For example, the members from Hudson county presumably vote for the person who is the popular choice of the county they represent So, presumably, do the delegations from the other counties

Various methods have been proposed to ascertain to a certainty the popular choice for United States Senator and to convey that choice to the members of the Legislature Any provision to this end must harmonize, as far as possible, with the provisions of the United States Constitution and the laws on this subject or it will prove null and void A popular vote throughout the State would only bind those members of the Legislature when it accorded with the sentiment of their respective counties, as they would obey the voice of their own constituents rather than that of some other section of the State If the popular vote resulted in the choice of a Democrat for United States Senator, a Republican Legislature would not obey it, and vice versa The selection of the State Convention would probably not be obeyed by the members of the Legislature, if that selection was repugnant to the wishes of their own constituencies So long as the members of the Legislature are directly responsible to the voters of their own county, any provision for the selection of a United States Senator by popular choice must be based upon the county as the unit of representation

Such a law could be easily added to our present elective machinery The primary act could be amended so that at the pri-

maries for the nomination of members of a Legislature who would at the next legislative session vote for a United States Senator, every voter could indicate his choice for Senator upon the primary ticket This would be a direct mandate from the voters of each county to their representatives in the Legislature

This provision is simple, requires little legislation and gives the voters an opportunity to express their wishes—all that they can do under the present provisions of the United States Constitution

Such an act would conform to the practice in the case of the election of Presidential electors, where the voter in voting for electors expresses upon the same ticket his choice for whom those electors shall vote for President and Vice President

I recommend legislation to this end

SEPARATION OF STATE AND MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS

State and municipal affairs are separately administered The State and the Nation are governed by parties that divide on questions of general policy Municipalities present few issues, if any, that require party government Their chief issues are good government and economic administration Partisan politics is not necessary to this end Indeed it retards rather than promotes it When municipal and State elections occur at the same time, municipal officials are likely to be selected on partisan grounds The municipal voter is under the influence of his party ties Good citizens interested in honest municipal government should act together If State or national political issues separate them, it is difficult to secure in municipal affairs what is equally desired by them all

This obstacle to the union of good citizens should not exist The commingling of State and municipal elections confuses the voter Either State questions predominate and make him forgetful of municipal claims, or municipal interests control to the sacrifice of State problems Either alternative interferes with the intelligent exercise of franchise The fewer the issues presented, the more intelligent and decisive the verdict upon them

There are many objections to the mingling of State and municipal elections There is no objection to their separation, save the objection to frequent elections This objection can be overcome

by holding municipal elections in the odd years and the State and national in even years This is true of the national elections under present conditions It can be made true of State elections by a Constitutional amendment This amendment can be prepared and considered with other proposed Constitutional amendments that will be before you, and the question may then be decided by the people Theirs is the voice that should control Let them be given the opportunity to pass upon the policy of divorcing State and municipal contests and the holding of State elections in Presidential and Congressional years

MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT

Of all the different forms, municipal government is closest to the people It more directly affects the everyday life of the citizen, his comfort and well-being, than does that of his State or his nation Schools, police protection, sanitary regulations, water and light, local transportation, street improvements, parks, are all within the domain of municipal supervision

In our own State, exempt as we are from a State levy, our taxes are matters of local determination The amount of taxation depends upon local administration Where, as has been pointed out, our municipalities are to-day in receipt of $3,300,000 from the State Treasury or from other sources created by State legislation, a revenue which ten years ago was merely nominal in amount, it would seem as though taxpayers should be called upon to pay less than formerly On the contrary, bonded indebtedness has increased, and, until the last year, tax rates have risen, showing that, notwithstanding an increased income from outside sources, municipal growth has failed to keep pace with municipal expenses This fact suggests a query as to the business methods of our present municipal system Can it not be improved so that the people's money will be spent to a greater advantage and the burden upon the taxpayers lessened?

A clearer line of distinction should be drawn between State and municipal legislation The raising of the salaries of municipal officers by the Legislature of the State is not commendable in practice or in theory The responsibility for such increase should be

borne by the local authorities themselves Legislative action for the building of a fire-house in any city would seem to be an unnecessary restriction by the State upon municipal needs If the municipalities were given such legislative authority as would enable them to regulate all matters of local administration, while the State reserved its proper function of providing general methods for the conduct of such business, and at the same time exercised necessary supervision, the distinction between State and municipal legislation would be more clearly defined and the responsibilities of each more easily determined Economy and better business methods in municipal affairs will be subserved by greater local autonomy

Municipal ills should be remedied at home, not at Trenton. Municipal reform should be inaugurated at home, not at Trenton If it is clearly understood that State legislation is the last resort in local problems, and that the localities are endowed with legislative powers to work out their own salvation, the people will rise to the responsibility of this power and conduct their local governments with greater enthusiasm and with higher aims

The commission authorized under Joint Resolution No 8 of the last session of the Legislature to consider the whole subject of municipal government, with a view to devising a simpler system of administration, advising as to the proper restriction as to taxation, the issue of bonds and other municipal obligations, the greater certainty in municipal law and the lessening of municipal taxation was recently appointed and is at work upon this subject It is a work of great importance and universal interest, and it will require some time, if the findings are to be based upon such extended investigation as will prove conclusive It would seem to be advisable to place at the disposal of this commission such means as may be necessary to successfully carry out the legislative mandate of the last session The confining of municipal law to local legislative bodies, with the necessary powers to this end and the consequent relief of our statutes from the confusing tangle of municipal legislation, would be a reform worthy of the effort

DIVISION OF PROFITS BETWEEN PUBLIC UTILITY CORPORATIONS AND MUNICIPALITIES

At the last session of the Legislature, in compliance with a recommendation in the Executive Message, a Joint Resolution was adopted authorizing the appointment of a commission to consider the question of the advisability of a division of profits between public utility corporations and the municipalities granting their franchises This commission was appointed, has been diligently at work and will soon submit a report

Last year an act was passed for a gradual increase in the franchise tax of traction companies up to five per cent The relations between public utility corporations and the municipalities are so inter-dependent that any consideration of the taxation of franchises must involve questions that affect both the fair treatment of these corporations and the interests of the public These two factors—fair treatment of corporations and the interests of the public—are not antagonistic, but in complete accord, both in theory and fact

The property of the public utilities, both real and personal, is taxed the same as that of individuals, at the local rates of taxation, upon the valuations fixed by local assessors The franchise tax in addition to this, no matter how it may be arranged or adjusted, is necessarily paid by the people who patronize these corporations These are the sources of revenue, and the tax must be paid therefrom The question of a franchise tax does not more vitally interest the people than does the cheapness and efficiency of service The safety of operation, quality of light or water furnished, reasonableness in price and universality of service, are the elements in which the public are deeply concerned An honest, fair and strictly business relationship between the people and public utility corporations serving them, under an arrangement by which the former share in the earnings of the latter, will promote these ends and satisfy the sense of fairness Under such an arrangement these corporations, though under private management and supported by private capital, will be, in fact, actual public servants Freed from political alliance, it will be their aim to give cheaper and more efficient service, because this will bring a larger and more contended patronage, each patron receiving his dividend from

the business in a lower price and invested capital receiving its return from an aggregate of small profits

The relations between corporations and the public should be based upon business, and not upon political considerations Private interests are not proper objects for legislative favor Public morals are jeopardized by any alliance between corporate affairs and the administration of government Business will be better off and politics will be less selfish when private or vested interests cease in every way to influence legislative deliberations The function of government is to see that every man is afforded equal opportunity under the law Legislation that favors any particular interest violates this fundamental principle of equality "Public office is a public trust, the authority and opportunity of which must be used as absolutely as the public moneys for the public benefit, and not for the purposes of any individual or party" This is government for the people As the judge of a court renders truest justice when uninfluenced by the occupation or social standing of the offender, so the law-making body of a commonwealth, in dealing with the problems of government, serves its constituents best when its deliberations are unbiased by special favoritism for any individual, corporation or class

New Jersey's traditions reflect disinterested and patriotic purpose "Jersey Blue" has become a synonym for loyalty and fidelity to unselfish ends Jersey justice gained its reputation from its unsullied character and its untempted judgment, which knows no motive but the right The trend of her recent legislation has been along the same exalted course She has banished partisanship from her government and made the public good her legislative aim By fair laws for the primaries and the polls, she has guaranteed to each individual his political rights against the encroachments of wealth and power She has conscientiously legislated for equal taxation and declared that all interests must equally share in meeting the public expense She has made corporate enterprise a source of revenue for the people's use, and has commenced to guard forest, lake and stream as a public heritage With conscious zeal for the common good, she looks to this Legislature to preserve and develop her righteous policies and add to the benefits and privileges now enjoyed by her people

EDWARD C STOKES

After the reading of the introduction to the message, Mr Klenert moved that further reading of the Governor's message be dispensed with and that it be spread at large upon the minutes

On motion of Mr Alexander, recess was taken for ten minutes

Reconvened

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
January 8th, 1907

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 Bloomfield H Minch, of the county of Cumberland, President, and Howard L Tyler, of the county of Cumberland, Secretary, and has proceeded to business,

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

HOWARD L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

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

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the rules of the last House of Assembly, as published in the Legislative Manual of 1906, be adopted as the rules of this House until further ordered

Mr Alexander offered the following resolution, which was read and referred to Committee on Rules when appointed

Resolved, That the proposed rules of the House be amended by the addition of the following rule, numbered 69

That upon the affirmative vote of twenty-five per cent of the whole membership of the House, a Standing Committee shall be relieved of any bill or resolution which has been referred to it, and such bill or resolution shall then follow the same course as if it had been favorably reported by such Standing Committee

Mr Kleneit offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

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

Mr Kleneit offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

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

Mr Kleneit offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

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

Mr Kleneit offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the Clerk of this House be, and he is hereby directed to furnish one hundred and twenty-five copies of Members' Pocket Calendar, Legislature, 1907, the same not to exceed in cost one dollar per copy

Mr Kleneit offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That each member and officer of this House be furnished with five hundred "Complimentary Slips"

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the number of copies of the Legislative Manual apportioned by law to the House of Assembly be distributed by the Sergeant-at-Arms, as follows To each member of the House, eighteen copies, to the Clerk, Assistant Clerk, Journal Clerk, Sergeant-at-Arms, Supervisor of Bills and Speaker's Private Secretary, each six copies, Assistant Journal Clerk and Assistant Sergeants-at-Arms, each four copies, to the Speaker's Assistant Private Secretary and the Bill Clerk, each three copies, to the Assistant Bill Clerk and Assistant Supervisor of Bills, each two copies, to the Clerks of the Committees, Doorkeepers, Pages and Legislative Correspondents and Reporters, each one copy

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That 600 copies of all bills be printed for the use of the members of the House and Senate

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

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

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

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

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

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

Mr Klenert 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, as soon as the same is printed

The Speaker announced as his Private Secretary, Daniel A. Dugan

Assistant Private Secretary, James D Moriarty

The Speaker announced the following committees

STANDING COMMITTEES

Ways and Means,

Blohm, Baker, VanBlaricom, Lewis, Devine

Bill Revision,

Baker, Sullivan, Pawelski, Gibbs, Tillman

Judiciary,

Klenert, Wright, Alexander, Perkins, Jones

Agriculture and Agricultural College,

VanBlaricom, Earle, Firth, Irick, Cattell

Appropriations,

Firth, Baker, Corish, Elvins, Smalley.

Education,

Groel, Morris, Hendrickson, Thompson, Buck

Elections,

Brady, Eppinger, Pawelski, Fake, Ridgway

Printed Bills,

Daab, Sullivan, Mead, Moxon, Manson

Municipal Corporations,

Morris, Groel, VanBlarcom, Firth, Barber

Boroughs and Borough Commissions,

Backus, Earle, Eppinger, Lillagore, Gibbs

Militia,

Hendrickson, Hahn, Merz, Thompson, Tillman

Claims and Revolutionary Pensions,

Brady, Daab, Earle, Davison, Stille

Corporations,

Riordan, Breunig, Baader, Buck, Barber

Banks and Insurance,

Lane, Blohm, Merz, Chaplin, Crowther

Unfinished Business,

Eppinger, Corish, Olwell, Fake, Ridgway.

Incidental Expenses,

Wright, Holzapfel, Olwell, Jess, Lewis

Stationery,

Corish, Baker, Backus, Smalley, Irick.

Riparian Rights,

Sullivan, Baader, Mead, Barber, Drake.

Revision of Laws,

Alexander, Hahn, Morris, Elvins, Buxton

Game and Fisheries,

Hahn, Holcombe, Merz, Moxon, Chaplin

Miscellaneous Business,

Tumulty, Auf der Heide, Lane, Earle, Jess

Railroads and Canals,

Holcombe, Wright, Tumulty, Pawelski, Potter.

Labor and Industries,

Mead, Brady, Olwell, Burk, Potter

Towns and Townships,

Auf der Heide, Backus, Brady, Cattell, Stille.

Public Health,

Breunig, Blohm, Backus, Haines, Taylor

Federal Relations,

Olwell, Earle, Mead, Perkins, Buxton.

Commerce and Navigation,

Baader, Blohm, Eppinger, Crowther, Davison.

Rules,

Klenert, Wright, Sullivan

Clergy,

Groel, Barber, Riordan

Bill Files,

Holzapfel, Daab, Holcombe.

JOINT COMMITTEES

Treasurer's Accounts,

Hendrickson, Auf der Heide, Olwell, Hahn, Drake.

State Prison,

Alexander, Baader, Klenert, Sullivan, Burk.

Printing,

Daab, Bicunig, Metz, Pawelski, Haines

State Library,

Metz, Hendrickson, Eppinger, Baker, Thompson.

State Hospitals,

Pawelski, Frith, Blohm, Morris, Chaplin

Public Grounds and Buildings,

Baker, Mead, Olwell, Alexander, Barber.

Passed Bills,

Sullivan, Holzapfel, Lane, Van Blarcom, Manson

Sinking Fund,

VanBlarcom, Brady, Daab, Hendrickson, Fake

Soldiers' Home,

Riordan, Wright, Earle, Firth, Moxon

Reform School for Boys,

Earle, Baader, Lane, Merz, Tillman

Industrial School for Girls,

Baader, Breunig, Holzapfel, Holcombe, Jones

New Jersey School for Deaf-Mutes,

Holcombe, Riordan, Corish, Pawelski, Lillagore

New Jersey State Reformatory,

Breunig, Baker, Pawelski, Mead, Perkins

State Village for Epileptics,

Morris, Blohm, Breunig, Eppinger, Smalley.

Home for Feeble-Minded Women,

Mead, Auf der Heide, Daab, Hahn, Buck

School for Feeble-Minded Children,

Lane, Rioidan, Blohm, Eppinger, Potter

Sanatorium for Tuberculosis Diseases,

Firth, Blohm, Pawelski, Wright, Devine

The following communication was received by the Speaker and read by the Clerk

Hon Edgar E Lethbridge, Speaker of the House of Assembly

DEAR SIR—I have the honor to inform you that the contract for the current printing of the Legislature during the present session has been awarded to the John L Murphy Publishing Company, of Trenton, N J

Very respectfully,

J WILLARD MORGAN,

Comptroller

The Speaker announced that the Committee on Corporations would meet immediately after adjournment in the Speaker's room

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the House do now adjourn

FRIDAY, January 11th, 1907

House met at 10 o'clock A M

Upon calling the roll, the following members answered to their names

Messrs Barber, Buik—2

Mr Barber, Speaker *pro tem*, in the chair

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

MONDAY, January 14th, 1907

House met at 8 o'clock P M

Prayer by Rev E A Wasson, of Newark, N J

On the calling the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—60

Absent—None

On motion of Mr Klenert, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with

Mr Baker offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

—*Resolved*, That the privileges of the floor be extended to the Hon Charles C Wright, a former member of this House

Mr Riordan offered the following resolution, which was read

WHEREAS, Much confusion has heretofore been caused by the hasty passage of ill-considered legislation during the last hours of the legislative session, therefore

Be it Resolved, By the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey

1 That no bill shall be passed by the Legislature of nineteen hundred and seven unless the same be introduced at least ten days prior to the adjournment of the Legislature

2 This resolution shall take effect immediately

On motion of Mr Klenert the above resolution was referred to the Committee on Rules

Mr Perkins, on leave, introduced

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 1,

Proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of New Jersey, providing for the division of the counties of this State into Assembly districts

1 *Be it Resolved* (the House of Assembly concurring), That the following amendment to the Constitution of this State be and the same is hereby proposed, and when the same shall be agreed to by a majority of the members elected to the Senate and House of Assembly, the said amendment shall be entered on their journals, with the yeas and nays thereon, and referred to the Legislature next to be chosen, and published for three months prior to the first Tuesday after the first Monday of November next, in at least one newspaper of each county, to be designated by the President of the Senate, the Speaker of the House of Assembly and the Secretary of State

Strike out section three of article four and insert in place thereof the following

Section 3 The General Assembly shall be composed of members annually elected by the legal voters of the counties respectively, who shall be apportioned among the said counties as nearly as may be, according to the number of their inhabitants The Legislature shall, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine, and at its first session after each United States decennial census thereafter, and not oftener, divide and arrange each county of this State into a district or districts, for the election therein of a member or members of the General Assembly Each assembly district so constituted shall contain, as nearly as practicable, an equal number of inhabitants, and shall consist of convenient and contiguous territory, in a compact form, but no county, or part thereof, shall be joined with any other county, or part thereof, in any such district, *provided,* that each county shall, at all times, be entitled to at least one member, and the whole number of members to be chosen shall never exceed sixty

The Court of Errors and Appeals is hereby invested with exclusive original jurisdiction and with full power under such pro-

cedure as it may by rules prescribe, to review any division and arrangement made by the Legislature into assembly districts of the counties of this State, for the purpose of determining whether such arrangement and division, or any part thereof, is in accordance or in conflict with this section, and if in conflict herewith to adjudge the same, or such part thereof as may be in conflict herewith, null and void, in case said court shall determine such arrangement and division, or any part thereof, to be null and void, the Legislature shall proceed to make a new arrangement and division, entire or partial, as the action of the court may require

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

Mr Holcombe, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 1, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase of voting machines, and to regulate the use of the same at elections,'" approved April twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

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

Mr Holcombe, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 2, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three, providing for the assessment and collection of taxes in cities,"

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

Mr Firth, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 3, 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,

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

Mr Groel, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 4, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish public parks in certain counties of this state and to regulate the same,'" approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

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

Mr Burk, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 5, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize cities in this state to purchase lands and erect suitable buildings for city purposes, and to sell lands and buildings now used for such purposes,'" approved April seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

Mr Alexander, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 6, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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

Mr Alexander, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 7, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of insurance companies,"'" approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

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

Mr Thompson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 8, entitled "An act to regulate the civil service of the State of New Jersey and of the various municipalities thereof,"

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

Mr Hendrickson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 9, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to revise and amend an act for the taxation of railroad and canal property,'" approved April tenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, which act was approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

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

Mr Hendrickson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 10, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

Mr Hendrickson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 11, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),'" approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

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

Mr Hendrickson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 12, entitled "An act to authorize cities of the first class to contract to supply water to certain other municipalities in this state,"

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

Mr Hendrickson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 13, 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,

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

Mr Hendrickson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 14, entitled "An act concerning the selecting, drawing and summoning of grand and petit jurors,"

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

Mr Hendrickson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 15, entitled "An act concerning juries,"

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

Mr Hendrickson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 16, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning juries (Revision),'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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

Mr Hendrickson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 17, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting writs of error (Revision),'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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

Mr Smalley, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 18, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of South Bound Brook,"

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

Mr Drake, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 19, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of South Plainfield, in the county of Middlesex and State of New Jersey,"

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

Mr Olwell, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 20, entitled "An act to provide for the payment by railroad companies of wages in lawful money of the United States every two weeks,"

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

Mr Olwell, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 21, 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 was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Railroads and Canals

Mr Olwell, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 22, entitled "An act to authorize cities in this state to construct and maintain trolley tracks and appliances in the public streets and places and to run trolley cars thereon, and to collect fares for the transportation of the passengers, or to lease the said tracks and appliances or the right to run cars on said tracks and to transport passengers thereon, and to provide the funds necessary for this purpose,"

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

Mr Fake, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 23, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the regulation of the flow of torrential rivers, to protect persons and prop-

erty from damage by floods, and to provide for the maintenance and regulation of river flood districts when established by law," approved April nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and four,' " which act was approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

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

Mr Fake, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 24, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation of the flow of torrential rivers, to protect persons and property from damage by floods, and to provide for the maintenance and regulation of river flood districts when established by law,' " approved April nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

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

Mr Baader, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 25, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act relative to the time of election and appointments and terms of office of officers elected or appointed in cities in this state,' " approved February twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and one,

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

Mr Holzapfel, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 26, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes (Revision of 1903),' " approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

Mr Holzapfel, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 27, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes (Revision of 1903),' " approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

Mr Holzapfel, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 28, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

Mr Wright, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 29, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase of sites for and the erection and equipment of armories in cities of the first and second class, and making appropriations therefor, and to provide for the taking of real estate for such sites by commission in case the same cannot be purchased by agreement,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

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

Mr Wright, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 30, entitled "An act to provide for the publishing of a verbatim report of the deliberations of the legislature,"

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

Mr Wright, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 31, entitled "An act to provide stenographers to the legislature, to fix their salaries and to define their duties,"

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

Mr Wright, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 32, entitled "An act to create the office of state printer of legislative proceedings, to prescribe the fees for said office and to define his duties,"

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

Mr Wright, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 33, entitled "An act concerning the comptroller of the State of New Jersey, and to confer the power on the said comptroller and to authorize the said comptroller to fix the rate of fees and pay the same to the state printer of legislative proceedings,"

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

Mr Wright, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 34, entitled "An act supplementary to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),' being chapter two hundred and thirty-five of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, and the several acts amendatory and supplementary thereto, and making it a high misdemeanor to falsely publish any official report of the proceedings of the legislature,"

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

Mr Wright, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 35, entitled "An act to provide for the public distribution of the verbatim reports of the proceedings of the legislature,"

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

Mr Blohm, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 36, entitled "An act to regulate public utility corporations, such as street railroad, gas, water and electric light and power companies, in this state, create a board of public utility commissioners, fix their salaries, define their duties, prevent the imposition of unreasonable rates, prevent unjust discriminations, insure adequate service, prescribe the mode of procedure and the rules of evidence in relation thereto, prescribe penalties for violations, and making an appropriation therefor,"

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

Mr Riordan, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 37, entitled "An act concerning the time of payment of assessments of benefits of public improvements in municipalities of this state,"

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

Mr Daab, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 38, entitled "An act to further 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,

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

Mr Tumulty, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 39, entitled "An act concerning advertisement for bids and the submission of proposals and the awarding of contracts for materials furnished or work done by public award in this state,"

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

Mr Tumulty, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 40, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to define the duties and to fix the salary of the attorney-general,'"

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

Mr Tumulty, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 41, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to information in the nature of a quo warranto (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

Mr Barber offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privileges of the floor be extended to the Hon William P Martin, a former member of this House from the county of Essex

Mr Sullivan, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 42, entitled "An act to authorize any city of this state to use any land which has or may have machinery or appliances available for an electric plant, to convert said property into an electric light plant, acquiring the necessary additional machinery and appliances, and operate and maintain such plant and to furnish electric light, heat and power therefrom for private or public use in said city or in any neighboring municipality, and to make contracts for the construction of such plant and for the operation thereof by any contractor for a limited period,"

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

Mr Thompson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 43, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relative to the Princeton battle monument,'" approved April twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

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

Mr Eppinger, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 44, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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

Mr Perkins, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 45, 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,

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

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution which was read and adopted

Resolved, That a printed calendar be provided for each member of the House of Assembly in advance of each session, said calendar to list the regular order of the day, the special order, if any, and the numbers and titles of all bills which are to be considered upon second reading or final passage

Mr Morris offered the following resignation, which was read

To the Honorable Members of the House of Assembly of the One Hundred and Thirty-first Session of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey

Kindly accept this as a declination by me of the office of Assistant Journal Clerk of the House of Assembly

Very respectfully yours,

LEWIS J MARTIN

On motion of Mr Riordan that the above resignation be received and accepted,

Mr Morris offered the following resolution, which was read, and moved its adoption

Resolved, That the name of Samuel T Munson, of the county of Sussex, be substituted for the name Lewis J Martin, as Assistant Journal Clerk of this House, a vacancy being caused by the resignation of said Lewis J Martin

Mr Barber moved, as an amendment to the resolution, that the name of William Chew, of Salem, be inserted in place of the name of Samuel T Munson, of Sussex, which amendment was lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Fake, Haines, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman—28

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —31

The resolution as introduced by Mr Morris was then put by the Speaker and adopted by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —32

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Fake, Haines, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Moxon, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman —27

Mr Perkins moved that the vote by which Mr Morris' resolution had been adopted be reconsidered

Mr Morris moved that the motion by Mr Perkins be laid on the table Mr Morris' motion was declared carried

Mr Holcombe offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privileges of the floor be extended to Hon Joseph L Chamberlin, ex-member of this House, of Hunterdon county

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

Resolved, That when the House adjourn, it adjourn to meet at 10 30 Tuesday morning

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TUESDAY, January 15th, 1907

House met at 10 30 A M

Prayer was offered by Rev W H Morgan, of Newark, N J

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

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Kleneit, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Meiz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—60

Mr Baker offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privileges of the floor be extended to the Hon Peter Stillwell, a former member of this House

Mr Alexander gave the following notice

I desire to give notice that on Monday next I shall move the following resolution as an amendment to the rules of the House

That upon the affirmative vote of twenty-five per cent of the whole membership of the House a standing committee to which a bill or resolution shall have been referred and which has had said

bill or resolution under consideration for a period of at least three weeks, shall be relieved of said bill or resolution, and said bill or resolution shall then follow the same course as if it had been favorably reported by such standing committee

The Speaker announced the resignation of Mr G M Lewis, of the Game and Fisheries Committee

The Speaker announced that he would appoint Mr Merz, of Passaic, to fill the vacancy

Mr Holcombe, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads and Canals, announced the appointment of Walter S Gallagher, of Lambertville, as clerk to the committee

Mr Morris, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, announced the appointment of Alfred T Lyons, of Newton, Sussex county, N J , clerk to the committee

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, announced the appointment of Milton G Levine as clerk of said committee

Mr Perkins, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 46, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to the issue and redemption of trading stamps and other devices,'" approved June twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

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

Mr Breunig, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 47, entitled "An act to repeal chapter one hundred and fourteen of the laws of one thousand nine hundred and six, entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating and brewed liquors,' passed March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,'" approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine," which supplement was approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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

The following communication was received from the Governor

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
TRENTON, January 15, 1907

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Assembly

I have the honor to transmit herewith the report of the commissioners appointed under Joint Resolution No 2 dated March 7th, 1906, to investigate the practicability and probable cost of the acquisition by the State of the title to its potable waters

This report is most thorough and comprehensive and may, I think, be characterized as one of the best reports ever sent to the Legislature of this State I suggest that upon joint action of the Senate and House this report be printed for the use of the Legislature and the press and libraries of the State

Respectfully,

E C STOKES,
Governor

On motion of Mr Barber, the reading of the communication was dispensed with and one thousand copies were ordered to be printed and distributed among the members of the Assembly

Mr Klenert moved that when the House adjourns it be to meet on Friday morning at 10 o'clock, and that when it adjourns it then be to meet on Monday evening at 8 o'clock

The clerk read the following announcements

There will be a meeting of the Committee on Judiciary in the rooms of said committee on Monday next, at five o'clock P M

There will be a meeting of the Committee on Municipal Corporations in the Speaker's room immediately after adjournment

There will be a meeting of the Stationery Committee, immediately after the House adjourns, in the committee room

Mr Eppinger, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 48, entitled "An act regulating the salaries of members of the boards of council or other governing bodies of towns, incorporated as such, in this state,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 49, entitled "An act abolishing the office of collector of arrears of taxes in towns, incorporated as such, in this state,"

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

Mr. Auf der Heide, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 50, entitled "An act to regulate and fix the price of water furnished for domestic or other use in counties of the first class by purveyors of water enjoying the right to lay mains and pipes for the purpose of conducting water in or through the public streets, avenues, roads or highways of said counties,"

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

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the House do now adjourn

FRIDAY, January 18th, 1907

At 10 30 o'clock A M the House met

Upon calling the roll the following gentlemen answered to their names

Messrs Klenert, Hahn, Lethbridge—3

Mr Lethbridge, Speaker, in the chair

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

MONDAY, January 21st, 1907

House met at 8 o'clock P M

Prayer by Rev Father M Bogan, of Plainfield, N J

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

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Brennig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —56

Absent—

Messrs Buck, Drake, Frith, Moxon—4

On motion of Mr Klenert, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Judiciary Committee, reported

Assembly Bill No 1, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase of voting machines, and to regulate the use of the same at elections,'" approved April twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

And

Assembly Bill No 17, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting writs of error (Revision),'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Hendrickson, Chairman of the Committee on Militia, reported

Assembly Bill No 43, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relative to the Princeton battle monument,'" approved April twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Alexander offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Wm Hayes, Congressman-elect from the county of Passaic.

Mr Hahn offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Edward D Duffield and the Hon Abraham Kaiser, former members of this House from Essex county

Mr Taylor offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. George G Smith, of Ocean county, a former member of this House

Mr Perkins offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Harry Scovill, a former member of this House

Mr Brady, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 51, entitled "An act to authorize cities having a public water-supply derived from sources beyond the city limits to protect the same from pollution by providing for any portion of the territory from which said water is derived or through which it flows a system of sewers or drains in order to take up, carry off and dispose of the sewage or other polluting matter, and providing also for the raising and expenditure of the money necessary for this purpose,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 52, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate and license pawnbrokers,'" approved April twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

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

Mr Barber, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 53, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections'" (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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

Mr Mead, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 54, entitled "An act for the appointment of a board for the examination and licensing of sanitary plumbers, and defining the duties and powers of said board,"

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

Mr Fake offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Clarence Mabie, a former member of this House

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

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon J I Blackwell, a former member of this House

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon James Parker, a former member of this House

Mr Jess, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 55, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),'" approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 56, 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,

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

Mr Merz, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 57, entitled "An act for the better protection of game and game birds,"

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

Mr Groel, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 58, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 59, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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

Mr VanBlarcom, on request, introduced

Assembly Bill No 60, entitled "An act to repeal sections eight and nine of an act entitled 'An act relative to clerks of counties

ınd of county courts (Revision of 1902), '" approved April third, ɔne thousand nine hundred and two,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a econd reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Cor-ɔorations

Mr Olwell, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 61, entitled "An act to regulate the hours ɔf labor of mechanics, workmen and laborers employed upon the ɔublic works of the State of New Jersey, or upon the public works ɔf any county, city, township or other municipality therein,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a econd reading, and referred to the Committee on Labor and In-lustries

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 62, entitled "An act concerning the liability ɔf corporations and bodies politic, other than municipal corpora-ıons, to their employes,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 63, entitled "An act concerning railroads, ınd providing for presumptive proof of negligence in any action ɔrought hereafter in any court having jurisdiction over such action, ınd relative to certain effects of the violation of, or failure to ɔomply with, according to law, of any order of any board of com-nissioners now in existence or hereafter to be established in this ɔtate, concerning the safety of the premises on or through which ıny railroad in this state operates of or may hereafter operate, ınd which said premises are the property of or are under the ɔontrol of any such railroad, or concerning the safety of any tools, ɔquipment, apparatus or other mechanical appliances or contriv-ınces which are the property of, under the control of in use by ıny railroad in this state,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a econd reading, and referred to the Committee on Railroads and Canals

Mr Tillman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 64, entitled "An act constituting eight hours' service a full day's labor for persons employed in or about state penal institutions of this state,"

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

Mr Wright offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Le Gage Pratt, Congressman-elect from Essex

Mr Wright, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 65, entitled "An act to regulate railroads and other common carriers in this state, creating a state board of commissioners to regulate and police railroads and other common carriers in this state, said board so created to be known as the 'State Board of Commissioners of Railroads and Public Utilities,' giving to them an official seal, to fix their salaries, define their powers (including among said powers the power to issue compulsory processes and use contempt proceedings), to prescribe their term of office, and the mode of the procedure and the rules of evidence to govern said board in the conduct of their hearings and in certain other of their proceedings, to prescribe penalties for the disobeying or contempt of the processes and orders of the said board of railroad commissioners, and providing, further, for any other matters to make efficient such a board so established to police and regulate railroads,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 66, entitled "An act concerning the compulsory furnishing of freight cars by any railroad or other carrier doing business in New Jersey and providing a penalty to such railroad or other carrier for failing so to do,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 67, entitled "An act to prohibit unfair discrimination by railroads and other carriers of this state between different persons, sections, communities or localities and of unfair conditions, and providing penalties therefor,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 68, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

Mr Hahn, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 69, entitled "An amendment to 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 was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 70, 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 was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries

Mr Hendrickson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 71, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase of sites for and the erection and equipment of armories in cities of the first and second class, and making appropriations therefor, and to provide for the taking of real estate for such sites by commission in case the same cannot be purchased by agreement,' approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, authorizing the purchase of land and the erection of a signal and telegraph corps armory in the city of Jersey City, in the county of Hudson and State of New Jersey, pursuant to the provisions and authority of the aforesaid act and of the amendments thereof and supplements thereto,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 72, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the orphans' courts and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the orphans' court and surrogates (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 73, entitled "An act to amend the negotiable instrument law relative to the payment of forged checks,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 74, entitled "An act regarding soldiers, sailors and marines honorably discharged from the United States service,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 75, 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,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 76, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools and to provide for the maintenance, management and support thereof,'" approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 77, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the relief of creditors against absent and absconding debtors (Revision of 1901),'" approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and one,

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

Mr Hendrickson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 78, entitled "An act to enable cities to carry their own insurance upon municipal buildings,"

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

Mr Fake offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. James Mercer, a former member of this House.

Mr Klenert, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 79, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide for the amicable adjustment of grievances and disputes that may arise between employers and employes, and to authorize the creation of a state board of arbitrators,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, and the supplements thereto,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 80, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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

Mr Sullivan, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 81, 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,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 82, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the orphans' court and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the orphans' court and surrogates (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced, by request,

Assembly Bill No 83, entitled "An act relative to writs of certiorari and proceedings thereunder,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 84, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act to regulate fees (Revision),'" approved April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six, which further supplement was passed June thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 85, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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

Mr Burk, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 86, entitled "An act to permit the retirement on pension from public office or position, after twenty years' service therein, of officers and employes in all state penal institutions and reformatories,"

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

Mr Perkins, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 87, entitled "A supplement to an act concerning roads (Revision)," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 88, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employes and operatives 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,

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

Mr Hahn offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Joseph M Bryne, a former member of this House.

Mr Elvins, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 89, entitled "An act to compel the determination of titles to riparian lands and lands under water in which the state claims an estate in remainder or reversion and to quiet the title to the same,"

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

Mr Alexander, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 90, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employes and operatives 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,

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

Mr Daab, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 91, entitled "An act for the designation and

appointment of an inspector of weights and measures in cities of the second class,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 92, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a uniform standard of weights and measures in this state,'" passed on the seventeenth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 93, entitled "An act to establish grade crossings of railroads in cities of the first and second class,"

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

Mr Blohm, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 94, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning district courts (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
January 21st, 1907

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 22, 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,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

HOWARD L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

Which was read for the first time by its title

Mr Klenert moved that the rules be suspended and that

Senate Bill No 22, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Be placed on second reading without reference, which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No 22, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No 22, 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 under suspension of the rules, read for the third time by its title and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Barber, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr — 54

In the negative—None

Absent—Baker, Blohm, Eppinger, Firth, Olwell and Tumulty.

On motion by Mr Klenert, which was adopted, it was

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, 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 Clerk read the following announcements

Mr. Daab, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, wishes to announce the appointment of Wm G Riston, of Jersey City, Hudson county, N J, Clerk to the Committee

There will be a meeting of the Committee on Revision of Laws to-morrow morning at ten o'clock in the room of the committee

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That when the House adjourns, it be to meet to-morrow morning at 10 30 o'clock

On motion of Mr Klenert, the House then adjourned

TUESDAY, January 22d, 1907

House met at 10 30 A M

Prayer by Rev Wm Tilly, of Harrison, N J

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

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —59

Absent—

Mr Pawelski

On motion of Mr Klenert, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with

Mr. Morris, the Chairman on Municipal Corporations Committee, reports

Assembly Bill No 4, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish public parks in certain counties of this state and to regulate the same,'" approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Morris, the Chairman on Municipal Corporations Committee, reports

Assembly Bill No 5, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize cities in this state to purchase lands and erect suitable buildings for city purposes, and to sell lands and buildings now used for such purposes,'" approved April seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Buck offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Wm J Moore, a former member of this House

Mr Baker offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Stephen M Eagan, of Hudson county

The Clerk read the following announcement

The Committee on Labor and Industries will meet Monday, January 28, at 7 P M in Speaker's room

Mr Manson offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon C A Frances, a former member of this House

The Clerk read the following announcement

The Committee on Elections will meet in the Speaker's room immediately after the session

Mr Alexander, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, announces the name of William Goetzen, Jr, of Jersey City, N J, Clerk of the Committee

Mr Riordan, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, announces the appointment of Lawrence J Fagan as Clerk of that Committee

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Daniel G Platt, Mayor of Englewood

Mr Merz offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Henry C Allen, Member of Congress

The same gentleman offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Thomas Flynn, a former member of this House

Mr Taylor offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Roderick A Clark, a former member of this House

Mr Smalley offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Irving Hoagland, a former member of this House

Mr. Baker offered the following joint resolution, which was read and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business

Joint Resolution providing for the purchase of portraits of former Governors of this State

WHEREAS, The State has acquired the portraits of many of the former Governors of this State now hanging on the walls of the Executive Chamber, and

WHEREAS, It is desirable that the portraits of a complete line of the Governors of the State, since the adoption of the State constitution (1776) should be secured, and

WHEREAS, The portraits of William Livingston, William Paterson, Aaron Ogden, William S Pennington, Mahlon Dickerson, Philemon Dickerson, Samuel L Southard and Elias P Seeley, have not yet been acquired by the State, but have been painted by Henry Harrison, a resident of and reputable artist of this State, from whom these portraits can be secured at a reasonable price; therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED *by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey*

1 A committee consisting of the President of the Senate, Speaker of the House of General Assembly and the Adjutant-General of the State, be authorized and requested to purchase, as soon as may be, the portraits of the following ex-Governors of the State, that is to say William Livingston, William Paterson, Aaron Ogden, William S Pennington, Mahlon Dickerson, Phil-

emon Dickerson, Samuel L. Southard and Elias P Seeley, painted in oil, by Henry Harrison, and to be appropriately framed at a cost to be not more than twenty-eight hundred dollars ($2,800) for all of the said portraits, the same to be paid by the Treasurer out of any moneys in the State treasury not otherwise appropriated, on a warrant drawn by the Comptroller, on approval of the said committee or a majority thereof; *provided,* such sum or sums shall first be appropriated in the annual appropriation bill

2 The committee on appropriation is requested to place the sum of twenty-eight hundred dollars ($2,800) in the annual appropriation bill of this session

3 This resolution to take effect immediately

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

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. David W Lawance, a former member of this House

Mr Hendrickson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 95, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),"' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," which supplemental act was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 96, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),"' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," which supplemental act was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 97, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'"

approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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

Mr Hahn, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 98, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crime (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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

Mr Riordan, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 99, entitled "An act to provide for water-supply for municipalities of this State,"

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

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That when the House adjourns, it be to meet on Wednesday morning next, at 11 A M

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

WHEREAS, This is the second Tuesday after the meeting and organization of the Legislature of this State, and

WHEREAS, This is the day fixed under the Revised Statutes of the United States (page 3, sections 14-19) for the election of a United States Senator to serve for the term beginning March 4th, 1907,

Resolved, That the House do now proceed to the election of a United States Senator for the term beginning March 4th, 1907

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

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

Mr. Tumulty nominated Col Edward A Stevens, of Hudson county

Mr Firth nominated James E Martine, of Union county

Mr Barber nominated Hon John F Dryden, of Essex county.

Mr Baader nominated Woodrow Wilson, of Mercer county

Mr Perkins nominated the Hon John W Griggs, of Passaic county

Mr Crowther seconded the nomination of Hon J F Dryden

Mr Fake seconded the nomination of Hon John W Griggs

Mr Sullivan seconded the nomination of Col Edwin A Stevens.

Mr Lane seconded the nomination of Woodrow Wilson

Mr Holcombe seconded the nomination of James E. Martine

The roll was then called for the election of United States Senator with the following result

For Col. Edwin A Stevens—

Messrs. Archibald S Alexander, Oscar Auf der Heide, James Baker, Charles H. Blohm, Phillip Daab, Albert C Eppinger, Charles E Hendrickson, Jr, Charles P Olwell, Joseph A Riordan, Mark A Sullivan, Joseph P Tumulty, Edward H Wright, Jr, Valentine Holzapfel—13

For Mr James E Martine—

Messrs Daniel J Brady, Patrick H Corish, Henry J Earle, Joseph H Firth, Oliver C Holcombe, Thomas J Meade, William A Metz, Levi H Morris—8

For Hon John F Dryden—

Messrs Alfred N Barber, William F Burk, B Frank Buck, Henry W Buxton, William C Cattell, Richard J Chaplin, Frank Crowther, Isaac B Davison, Frank C Elvins, Theodore B Gibbs, Edward E Haines, John B Irick, Frank B Jess, Samuel P Jones, Griffith W Lewis, T. Nelson Lillagore, Frank J Manson, John R Moxon, Frank B Potter, Samuel A Ridgway, Corsville E Stille, Samuel S Taylor, Henry D Thompson, Peter Tillman —24

For Mr. Woodrow Wilson—

Messrs John J Baader, John Breunig, John C Groel, Simon Hahn, Abram Klenert, John W Lane, Edgar E Lethbridge (Speaker), John D VanBlarcom, Harry F Backus—9

For Hon John W Griggs—

Messrs James Devine, Jr, Guy L Fake, Randolph Perkins—3.

For Mr Frank O Briggs—

Messrs William R Drake, William W Smalley—2

Absent—Mr Frank A Pawelski

Mr Barber moved that the roll be called for absentees

All members answered to their name except Mr Pawelski

On motion of Mr Perkins, the House was placed under call, the following members answering to their names

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—59

Mr Klenert moved that the Sergeant-at-Arms be directed to bring Mr Pawelski before the bar of the House

The Speaker announced that the Sergeant-at-Arms had failed to discover Mr Pawelski

The Speaker directed that the Clerk enter upon the Journal a note that the House of Assembly had failed to give any person a majority of the whole number of votes cast

On motion of Mr Klenert, the House adjourned

WEDNESDAY, January 23d, 1907.

House met at 11 o'clock

Prayer by Rev Rowland S Dawson, of Kearny, N J

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

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—60

On motion of Mr Klenert, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with

Mr Brady offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Charles R Underwood, a former member of this House

Mr Klenert moved that the House be placed under call,

Which motion was carried

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

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holz-

apfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr.—60

The Speaker offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Roger F Murray, a former member of this House

Mr Thompson offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

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

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

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Mulford Ludlam, a former member of this House

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

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

Mr Buxton offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

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

The same gentleman offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Geo A Squire, a former member of this House

Mr Riordan offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Edward Patterson, a former member of this House

Mr Tillman offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon J B Furber, Mayor of Rahway

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Geo. F Wright, a former member of this House

Mr Buck offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Henry S Scovil, Prosecutor of Camden county,

The Clerk read the following announcements

The Chairman of the Committee on Incidental Expenses announces the appointment of Jos A Wright Clerk to the Committee

There will be a meeting of the Committee on Banks and Insurance on Monday evening next, at seven o'clock sharp, in the Speaker's room

Mr Tumulty, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, announces a meeting of the committee Monday evening, January 28th, in Speaker's room

There will be a meeting of the Democratic Assemblymen in the Speaker's room immediately after adjournment

On motion of Mr Holcombe, Assembly Bill No 1 was referred back to the committee for amendment

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
January 21st, 1907

Mr Speaker

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

WHEREAS, In accordance with the provisions of Chapter 227 of the Laws of 1904, a commission was appointed by the Governor "to compile and edit the public acts of the Legislature of this State, which work shall be known as the 'Revised Statutes of New Jersey,' and shall contain (1) all the public acts of the Legislature of this State published in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety six, and known as the 'General Statutes of New Jersey,' under and by virtue of the provisions of chapter forty-one of the pamphlet laws of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, and (2) the session laws passed, or that shall be passed, by the Legislature of this State between the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six, which are general and permanent in their nature and which shall be in force on the first day of January next," and

WHEREAS, It was further therein provided that "the said work shall be completed as soon as conveniently may be, *provided,* that if said work is not completed before January first, one thousand nine hundred and six, then and in that case the laws to be passed by the next Legislature shall be comprised in said work," and

WHEREAS, The need of such a work in this State is serious and pressing, therefore, be it

Resolved (the House of Assembly concurring), that said commission be and hereby is requested to inform the Governor and Legislature forthwith as follows

1 What progress has been made in the preparation of said work?

2 When said work will be completed and ready for publication?

3 Whether it is the purpose of said commission to include in said work the laws enacted by the Legislature and approved by the Governor in the year one thousand nine hundred and six?

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

H L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

The message was read and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

WHEREAS, The hour of 12 o'clock, meridian, of Wednesday, the twenty-third day of January, 1907, having arrived, the time fixed by the act of Congress, entitled "An act to regulate the time and manner of holding the election of Senator in Congress," for the members of the Senate and General Assembly to convene in joint assembly, be it

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

The hour fixed upon for joint meeting having arrived, the President and Senate being announced, the two houses went into joint meeting

The House was reconvened

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

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —60

The Clerk read the following announcement.

A meeting of the Judiciary Committee will be held on Monday evening next immediately after the session

There will be a joint conference of Republican members of the House and Senate immediately after the session

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That when the House adjourn, it be to meet on Thursday morning next at 11 o'clock

On motion of Mr Klenert, the House then adjourned.

THURSDAY, January 24th, 1907.

At 11 o'clock A. M, the House met

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

Messrs Barber and Burk

Mr Burk, Speaker *pro tem*, in the chair

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

MONDAY, January 28th, 1907

House met at 8 o'clock P M

Prayer was offered by Rev W S Jones, of Trenton, N J

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

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corrish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Ji —56

Absent—Davison, Haines, Lillagore, Manson—4

On motion of Mr Klenert, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with

A petition was offered by the Executive Committee of the Women's Christian Temperance Union of the State of New Jersey

Mr Alexander offered the following amendment to the rules, which was read

That upon the affirmative vote of twenty-five per cent of the whole membership of the House, a Standing Committee shall be relieved of any bill or resolution which has been referred to it, and such bill or resolution shall then follow the same course as if it had been favorably reported by such Standing Committee

Mr Perkins offered as a substitute, that upon the affirmative vote of fifty-one per cent of the whole membership of the House a Standing Committee shall be relieved of any bill or resolution which has been referred to it, and such bill or resolution shall then

follow the same course as if it had been favorably reported by such Standing Committee

The Speaker declared the substitute amendment out of order

By direction of the Speaker, the Clerk then called the roll on the motion by Mr Alexander, and it was declared lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Ji — 29

In the negative were—

Messrs Backus, Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Firth, Gibbs, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Manson, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman—27

Absent—

Messrs Davison, Haines, Holcombe, Lillagore—4

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Judiciary Committee, reported

Assembly Bill No 13, 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 41, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to information in the nature of a quo warranto (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 75, 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 77, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the relief of creditors against absent and absconding

debtors (Revision of 1901),'" approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and one,

Assembly Bill No 80, 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 82, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the orphans' court and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the orphans' court and surrogates (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Klenert, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 100, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the assessment of taxes,"'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three, which supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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

Mr Baker, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 101, entitled "An act prohibiting the transaction of business in this State by foreign banking, savings, trusts or safe deposit corporations,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 102, entitled "An act regarding soldiers, sailors and marines honorably discharged from the United States service,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave introduced

Assembly Bill No 103, entitled "An act relating to the cancellation of mortgages,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 104, entitled "An act to permit the retirement on pension from public office or position, after twenty-five years' continuous service therein, of widows of honorably discharged Union soldiers, sailors and marines who served in the War of the Rebellion,"

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

Mr Corish, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 105, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale or prescription of cocaine, or any patent or proprietary remedy containing cocaine, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof,'"

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

Mr Wright, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 106, entitled "An act relating to street railways and conferring the additional power to regulate them on the State Board of Commissioners of Railroads and Public Utilities," supplementary to an act entitled "An act to regulate railroads and other common carriers in this State, creating a State Board of Commissioners to regulate and police railroads and other common carriers in this State, said board so created to be known as the 'State Board of Commissioners of Railroads and Public Utilities,' giving to them an official seal, to fix their salaries, define their powers (including among said powers the power to issue compulsory processes and use contempt proceedings), prescribe their term of office, and the mode of the procedure and the rules of evi-

dence to govern said board in the conduct of their hearings, and in certain other of their proceedings, to prescribe penalties for the disobeying or contempt of the processes and orders of the said Board of Railroad Commissioners, and providing further for any other matters to make efficient such a board established to police and regulate railroads,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 107, entitled "An act concerning railroads, to regulate demurrage and storage charges and to prevent delay in the transportation and delivery by railroads of freight,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 108, entitled "An act concerning railroads and other carriers and requiring them to make reasonable connections with each other,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 109, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the formation, establishment and government of towns,'" approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

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

Mr Alexander, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 110, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to the court of common pleas (Revision of

1900),'" approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 111, entitled "An act to establish a State reformatory for women, to provide for the government thereof and the commitment thereto of women convicted of crimes and other offences,"

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

Mr VanBlarcom, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 112, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession,'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

Mr Gioel, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 113, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning district courts (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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

Mr Jess, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 114, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),"'" approved April twenty-fourth, one

thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, which amendment was approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

Mr Merz, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 115, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the formation of railroad corporations and regulate the same,'"

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

Mr Mead, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 116, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'Supplement to an act entitled "An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work-hours of persons, employes and operatives 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, approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

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

Mr. Blohm, by request, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 117, 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,

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

Mr Blohm (on request), by leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 118, entitled "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the

sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repea an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating an brewed liquors,' " ' passed March seventh, one thousand eight hun dred and eighty-eight," approved March twentieth, one thousan eight hundred and eighty-nine, which supplement was approve April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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

Mr Daab, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 119, entitled "A supplement to an act ent tled 'An act for suppressing vice and immorality (Revision),' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred an seventy-four,

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

Mr Hahn, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 120, entitled "An act to authorize the boar of health of the State of New Jersey, whenever a sewer system ma be constructed by the board or body having charge of the publ water-supply of any city in this State, for the protection of suc water-supply, to prescribe and fix territorial limitations where which said State board of health shall regulate or absolutely pr hibit the use of toilets, water-closets and urinals on railroad trai and other vehicles, public or private, traversing the water-sh from which such water-supply may be derived,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 121, entitled "An act to change the name Ginami Catesto Pettuto,"

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

Mr Crowther, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 122, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the establishment of a course in practical and scientific instruction in the art of clay working and ceramics in the State agricultural college,'" approved March seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and two,

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

Mr Drake, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 123, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the orphans' court and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary, and the orphans' court and surrogates (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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

Mr Baader offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to Mr. Edwin Eaton, a freeholder of Essex county

Mr Baader offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to Mr Charles Watson, a freeholder of Essex county

Mr Baader offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to Mr Thomas W Hayes, of Essex county

Mr Hahn offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon John F Otterbein, supervisor of Essex county

Mr Hahn offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Elvin W Crane, a former member of this House

Mr Hahn offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Charles F Herr, of Essex county

Mr Hahn offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon David T Howell, of Essex county

Mr Perkins offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Adolph Ernst, a former member of this House, from Ocean county

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That when the House adjourn, it be to meet on Tuesday morning next, at 11 o'clock

On motion of Mr Burk,

Assembly Bill No 5, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize cities in this state to purchase lands and erect suitable buildings for city purposes, and to sell lands and buildings now used for such purposes,' " approved April seventeenth one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

The House then adjourned

TUESDAY, January 29th, 1907

House met at 11 o'clock A M

Prayer was offered by Rev John A White, of Westfield, N J.

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

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Fith, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlaricom, Wright, Jr—58

Absent—

Messrs Davison, Drake—2

On motion of Mr Klenert, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with

A petition, offered by the German-American Alliance of Mercer county, was read and referred to the Committee on Education

The following resolution was read and adopted

Resolved, That permission be granted to the Society of the Cincinnati of New Jersey to hold their annual meeting in this Chamber on the 22d of February, 1907

Mr Lillagore offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

WHEREAS, The wife of Isaac B Davison, Assemblyman from Monmouth county, passed from this life on Sunday last, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the heartfelt sympathy of the House of Assembly be extended to our bereaved fellow-member, and be it further

Resolved, That this resolution be spread upon the minutes and that an engrossed copy be sent the bereaved family

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Richard J Berry, a former member of this House

Mr Pawelski offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Frank Van Noort, Sheriff of Passaic county

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

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. James S Erwin, Judge of Second District Court, Jersey City

Mr Baker offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Edward Kenny, Mayor of East Newark

Mr Tumulty introduced the following resolution by request, which was read and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business

WHEREAS, The House of Representatives of the United States has recently passed an act which will abolish all the United States pension agencies and centralize the payment of pensions in one agency at Washington, which act is now before the Senate of the United States for consideration, and

WHEREAS, The abolition of the pension agencies now located at New York City and Philadelphia will work a hardship upon those pensioners of the United States residing in New Jersey, whose pensions for services in the Mexican, Civil and Spanish Wars and in the regular army and navy service are paid through said agencies,

Resolved, That the United States Senators from New Jersey be and they are hereby respectfully requested to oppose the passage of said act,

Resolved, That the Clerk of this House forthwith mail a copy of this resolution to each of said Senators

Mr Klenert moved that the House be placed under call

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

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Bunk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—57

Absent—

Messrs Backus, Davison, Drake—3

Mr Alexander, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No 26, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 28, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 73, entitled "An act to amend the negotiable instrument law relative to the payment of forged checks,"

And

Assembly Bill No 98, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crime (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Favorably, without amendment

The Clerk read the following announcement

The Committee on Railroads and Canals will give a hearing in the Speaker's room, Tuesday next, at 10 o'clock A M

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
January 29th, 1907

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 "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,'" which further supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Senate Bill No 19, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide for the summary investigation of county and municipal expenditures,'" approved February eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine, and the supplement thereto, approved March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one,

And

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 20, entitled "An act to provide for a summary investigation of city and county expenditures,"

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

HOWARD L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate.

The Senate message was then taken up,

And,

Senate Bill No 1, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,'" which further supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

Senate Bill No 19, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide for the summary investigation of county and municipal expenditures,'" approved February eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine, and the supplement thereto, approved March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one,

Was read for the first time by its title

Mr. Alexander moved that the rules be suspended, and

Senate Bill No 19, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide for the summary investigation of county and municipal expenditures,'" approved February eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine, and the supplement thereto, approved March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one,

Be placed back on second reading without reference, which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Senate Bill No 19, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide for the summary investigation of county and municipal expenditures,'" approved February eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine, and the supplement thereto, approved March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one,

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

Senate Bill No 19, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide for the summary investigation of county and municipal expenditures,'" approved February eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine, and the supplement thereto, approved March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one,

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr Alexander, the rules were suspended, and it was read for the third time by its title and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Kleineit, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Metz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—56

In the negative—None

Absent—

Messrs Baker, Davison, Drake, Tillman—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

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 20, entitled "An act to provide for a summary investigation of city and county expenditures,"

Was read for the first time by its title, without reference

Mr Alexander moved that the rules be suspended, and that

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 20, entitled "An act to provide for a summary investigation of city and county expenditures,"

Be placed on second reading, without reference,

Which motion was carried

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 20, entitled "An act to provide for a summary investigation of city and county expenditures,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr Alexander, the rules were suspended, and it was read for the third time by its title and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowthei, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Kleneit, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—56

In the negative—None

Absent—

Messrs Davison, Drake, Elvins, Tillman—4

Mr VanBlarcom offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Otto Keppler, of Passaic county

Mr Hahn, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 124, 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,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 125, 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,

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

The hour fixed upon for joint meeting having arrived, the President of the Senate being announced, the two houses went into joint session

The House was reconvened

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

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Metz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley,

Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—58

Absent—

Messrs. Davison, Drake—2

The Clerk made the following announcement

There will be a meeting of the Committee on Public Health, Monday next at 5 P M, in the Speaker's room

Mr. Riordan, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 126, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the permanent improvement of public roads in this State,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and five,

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

Mr Olwell, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 127, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to the writ of certiorari (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

Mr Brady, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 128, entitled "An act to regulate the running of street cars,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 129, entitled "An act relating to street cars,"

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

Mr Manson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 130, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

Mr Groel, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 131, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning district courts (Revision of 1898),"' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," which supplement was approved February twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and one,

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

Mr Hendrickson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 132, entitled "An act to facilitate the transaction of municipal business in cities of this State,"

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

Mr Barber, on leave, offered the following concurrent resolution, which was read and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That it is the sense of the Legislature of New Jersey that the people of the United States should, through their representatives in the Legislatures of the several States or through delegates assembled in conventions, vote upon a proposition to elect United States senators by direct vote of the people, and we hereby request the New Jersey representatives in Congress to vote for said amendment in order that it may be so considered, and we pledge our support to any movement

which shall provide for conventions to be held for the purpose of considering the amendment aforesaid

The Clerk made the following announcement

The Committee on Judiciary will meet in the committee room, on Monday afternoon next, at 5 30 o'clock

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That when the House adjourn, it adjourn to meet Friday morning next, at 10 30 A M, and when it then adjourn, it be to meet Monday evening next, at 8 o'clock P M

Mr Pawelski, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 133, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning townships (Revision of 1899),'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 134, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning townships (Revision of 1899),'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

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

Mr Daab, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 135, entitled "An act concerning police in municipalities,"

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

Mr Alexander, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 136, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 137, entitled "An act for the sale in fee of land purchased by any taxing district for taxes, assessments or water rents (Revision of 1905),"

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

The House then adjourned

FRIDAY, February 1st, 1907.

At 10.30 o'clock A M the House met

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

Messrs Barber, Burk

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

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

MONDAY, February 4th, 1907.

House met at 8 c'clock P M

Prayer was offered by M J McDonald, of Orange, N J.

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

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —54

Absent—

Messrs. Buck, Drake, Haines, Lewis, Lillagore, Olwell—6

On motion of Mr Klenert, the reading of the journal was dispensed with

Petitions were presented by the following Mass meeting of Italians of Orange, N J Women's Christian Temperance Union, of Pleasantville, Atlantic county The First M E Church, of Passaic, N J The First Reformed Church, of Passaic, N J The North Reformed Church, of Passaic, N J The Clifton Reformed Church, of Passaic. N J The Passaic Baptist Church, Passaic, N J The First Presbyterian Church, Passaic, N J. The Fourth Congregational Church, Passaic, N J

Mr Alexander, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No 89, entitled "An act to compel the determination of titles to riparian lands and lands under water in which the state claims an estate in remainder or reversion and to quiet the title to the same,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Jess offered an amendment to rule No 68, which was read and referred to Committee on Rules

Mr Perkins offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to Noah Woodruff, Henry Krause, Logan Fay and Thomas Pierson, Freeholders of Union county

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

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Charles M Mason, Deputy Sheriff of Essex county

The Clerk announced that there will be a meeting of the Democratic Assemblymen to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock in the Speaker's room

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

Resolved, That when the House adjourns it be to meet to-morrow morning, at 10 30 o'clock

The Clerk announced a meeting of the Committee on Miscellaneous Business on Tuesday, February 5th, at 10 o'clock

The Republican members of the House will meet in the Supreme Court room immediately after the session

Mr Fake offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon John R Ramsay, of Bergen county, a former member of this House

Mr Fake offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Ernest Koester, prosecutor of Bergen county

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

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Eusebius Arrowsmith, from Hudson, a former member of this House

Mr Alexander offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Jas. E Martine, of Union county

Mr Holcombe, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 138, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating and brewed liquors,' passed March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight," approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,'" which supplement was approved April eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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

Mr Hahn, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 139, entitled "An act amending an act entitled 'An act relating to the court of common pleas (Revision of 1900),'"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 140, entitled "An act to declare null and void certain agreements for the sale of lands, tenements, hereditaments or any interest of, in or concerning them, now on record or hereafter to be recorded,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 141, entitled "A supplement to 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,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 142, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the orphans' court and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the orphans' court and surrogates (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and ninety-eight,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 143, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable cities in this state on or near the ocean, and embracing within their limits or jurisdiction any beach or ocean front, to open and lay out a public park or place for public resort or recreation, on and along the beach or ocean front of such city, and to purchase or condemn lands, property and rights therefor, and to preserve the same from obstruction or encroachment,'" approved April twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, constituting chapter ninety-three of the session laws of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 144, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to empower boards of aldermen, councilmen or other governing bodies of cities, towns or boroughs of this state to give notice of intention to pass ordinances for any public improvement,'" approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 145, entitled "An act relating to the condemnation of lands or rights or interests in lands to be taken for public improvements, and the ascertainment of compensation to be awarded the owner or owners therefor,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 146, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide a capital fund to be used for the opening, widening, vacating and other such improvements of streets in cities of the first class in this state,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 147, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the preservation of crabs in the waters of the North and South Shrewsbury rivers and their tributaries,'" approved February sixth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 148, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,'" which supplement was approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 149, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relative to fishing in the North and South Shrewsbury rivers, and in the waters of Sandy Hook and Raritan bay,'" approved April seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 150, entitled "An act to provide funds to be used for opening and vacating streets and highways, and for curbing, recurbing, grading and regrading, flagging and reflagging streets and highways so opened or widened, in cities of the first class in this state,"

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

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

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Legislative Committee of the Common Council of the City of Newark

The same gentleman offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. James Riley, a former member of this House, Secretary of the Board of Trade of Essex county

Mr Baader, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 151, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting railroads and canals,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 152, entitled "An act for the better protection of passengers on the cars of street railways in counties of the first class,"

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

Mr Brady, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 153, entitled "An act in relation to the appointment of police justices, recorders or police magistrates in cities of the second class,"

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

Mr Earle, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 154, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 155, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning carriers (Revision of 1904),'" approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 156, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

Mr Jess, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 157, entitled "A supplement to an act en-

titled 'An act to regulate the practice of courts of law (Revisio of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hun dred and three,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 158, entitled "A supplement to an act en titled 'An act respecting writs of error (Revision),'" approve March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy four,

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

Mr Groel, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 159, entitled "An act to regulate net fishin in Sandy Hook bay, Raritan bay and tributaries thereof,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have second reading, and referred to the Committee on Game an Fisheries

Mr Wright, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 160, entitled "An act to amend an a entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, gan and fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide op and close seasons for such capture and possession (Revision 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundr and three,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have second reading, and referred to the Committee on Game an Fisheries

Mr Lane, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 161, entitled "An act to prohibit the acce ance of public officials of any pass or service as a gratuity or a lower than the customary or lawful rate from any street railroa gas, electric light or water company, and to prevent such co panies from issuing or delivering any such pass or rendering su service free of charge or at a lower than the customary or law rate,"

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

Mr Baker, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 162, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the fire department in cities of the first class,'" approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

Mr Alexander, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 163, entitled "An act extending the time for completing certain railroads,"

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

Mr Tillman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 164, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish an excise department in incorporated towns and cities of this state,'" approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and one,

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

Mr Blohm, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 165, entitled "An act to regulate the practice of chiropody in the State of New Jersey, to license chiropodists and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,"

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

Mr Tumulty, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 166, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating and brewed liquors," passed March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,'" approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 167, entitled "An act to provide for the co struction and maintenance of speedways in counties of this state

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 168, entitled "An act to repeal an a entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning c porations (Revision of 1896)," approved April twenty-first, c thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,'" which supplement v approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three, a being chapter one hundred and eighty-two (182) of the laws one thousand nine hundred and three,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to hav second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneo Business

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 169, entitled "An act to amend an entitled 'An act to enable the boards of chosen freeholders of a of the several counties of this state to construct and reconstr bridges over and across navigable rivers or streams therein, certain cases, and providing for the regulation thereof,'" proved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred a ninety-two,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to hav second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellane Business

Mr Lane, Chairman of the Committee on Banks and Insura announced the appointment of T J Devine as Clerk to the C mittee

The House then adjourned

TUESDAY, February 5th, 1907

House met at 10 30 o'clock

Prayer was offered by Rev Charles T Walker, of Orange, N J.

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

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Brennig, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Stille, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr,—42

Absent—

Messrs Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Davison, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Haines, Irick, Lillagore, Moxon, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman—18

On motion of Mr Klenert, the reading of the journal was dispensed with

The following petitions were read by the Clerk Women's hristian Temperance Union, of Passaic county Presbytery of ew Brunswick, N J

Mr Hendrickson, Chairman of the Committee on Militia, reorted

Assembly Bill No 74, entitled "An act regarding soldiers, ilors and marines honorably discharged from the United States rvice,"

Favorably, without amendment

And

Assembly Bill No 29, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase of sites for and the erection and equipment of armories in cities of the first and second class, and making appropriations therefor, and to provide for the taking of real estate for such sites by commission in case the same cannot be purchased by agreement,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

With committee amendments, favorably

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

Assembly Bill No 122, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the establishment of a course in practical and scientific instruction in the art of clay working and ceramics in the State agricultural college.'" approved March seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Assembly Bill No 119, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for suppressing vice and immorality (Revision),'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No 121, entitled "An act to change the name of Ginami Catesto Pettuto,"

Favorably, without amendment

And

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 103, entitled "An act relating to the cancellation of mortgages"

Mr Baker, Chairman of the Committee on Bill Revision, reported

Assembly Bill No 131, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concernin

district courts (Revision of 1898),"' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," which supplement was approved February twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and one,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Riordan offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Denning, from Hudson county, a former member of this House

The Clerk announced that the Committee on Game and Fisheries will give a hearing in the Speaker's room Monday next, at 3 o'clock P M

Mr Hendrickson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 170, entitled "An act to prevent frauds in the capitalization of associations and companies organized under the laws of this State,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 171, entitled "An act to provide for the forfeiture and annulment of charters of corporations transacting business in restraint of State or inter-State trade and commerce,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 172, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies, and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,'" approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 173, entitled "An act relative to boards of tax commissioners or similar finance bodies in cities of this State,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 174, entitled "An act to prevent the incorporation of trusts or companies in restraint of trade and commerce,"

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

Mr Drake, by request, introduced

Assembly Bill No 175, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the Orphans' Court, and relating to the powers and duties of the Ordinary, and the Orphans' Court and Surrogates (Revision of 1898),' " approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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

Mr Hahn, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 176, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),' "

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

Mr Holcombe, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads and Canals, announced that there will be a meeting in the Speaker's room on Monday, February 11th, at 6 P M , on

Assembly Bill No 6, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No 21, 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 63, entitled 'An act concerning railroads, and providing for presumptive proof of negligence in any action brought hereafter in any court having jurisdiction over such action, and relative to certain effects of the violation of or failure to comply with, according to law, of any order of any board of commissioners now in existence or hereafter to be established in this state, concerning the safety of the premises on or through which any railroad in this state operates of or may hereafter operate, and which said premises are the property of or are under the control of any such railroad, or concerning the safety of any tools, equipment, apparatus or other mechanical appliances or contrivances which are the property of, under the control or in use by any railroad in this state,"

Assembly Bill No 65, entitled "An act to regulate railroads and other common carriers in this state creating a state board of commissioners to regulate and police railroads and other common carriers in this state, said board so created to be known as the 'State Board of Commissioners of Railroads and Public Utilities,' giving to them an official seal, to fix their salaries, define their powers (including among said powers the power to issue compulsory processes and use contempt proceedings), to prescribe their term of office, and the mode of the procedure and the rules of evidence to govern said board in the conduct of their hearings and in certain other of their proceedings, to prescribe penalties for the disobeying or contempt of the processes and orders of the said board of railroad commissioners, and providing, further, for any other matters to make efficient such a board so established to police and regulate railroads,"

Assembly Bill No 66, entitled "An act concerning the compulsory furnishing of freight cars by any railroad or other carrier doing business in New Jersey and providing a penalty to such railroad or other carrier for failing so to do,"

Assembly Bill No 67, entitled "An act to prohibit unfair discrimination by railroads and other carriers of this state between different persons, sections, communities or localities and of unfair conditions, and providing penalties therefor,"

Assembly Bill No 106, entitled "An act relating to street railways and conferring the additional power to regulate them on the State Board of Commissioners of Railroads and Public Utilities," supplementary to an act entitled "An act to regulate railroads and other common carriers in this state, creating a State Board of Commissioners to regulate and police railroads and other common carriers in this State, said board so created to be known as the 'State Board of Commissioners of Railroads and Public Utilities,' giving to them an official seal, to fix their salaries, define their powers (including among said powers the power to issue compulsory processes and use contempt proceedings), prescribe their term of office, and the mode of the procedure and the rules of evidence to govern said board in the conduct of their hearings, and in certain other of their proceedings, to prescribe penalties for the disobeying or contempt of the processes and orders of the said Board of Railroad Commissioners, and providing further for any other matters to make efficient such a board established to police and regulate railroads,"

Assembly Bill No 107, entitled "An act concerning railroads, to regulate demurrage and storage charges and to prevent delay in the transportation and delivery by railroads of freight,"

And

Assembly Bill No 108, entitled "An act concerning railroads and other carriers and requiring them to make reasonable connections with each other"

On motion of Mr Kleneit, the House then took a recess until 12 o'clock

The House reconvened

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

Messrs Alexander, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—57

Absent—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Buck, Eppinger—3

The hour fixed upon for joint meeting having arrived, the President of the Senate being announced, the two houses went into joint session

The House reconvened

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That when the House adjourns it be to meet Friday morning, at 10 o'clock, and that when it adjourns it be to meet Monday evening, at 8 o'clock, and when it then adjourns it be to meet on Wednesday, February 13th, at 10.30 A M.

The House then adjourned.

FRIDAY, February 8th, 1907

At 10 30 o'clock A M the House met

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

Messrs Barber, Burk

Mr Burk, Speaker *pro tem*, in the chair

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

MONDAY, February 11th, 1907

At 8 o'clock P M the House met

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

Messrs Barber, Burk

Mr Burk, Speaker *pro tem*, in the chair

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem* declared the House adjourned until Wednesday, February 13th, at 10 30 A M

WEDNESDAY, February 13th, 1907

House met at 10 30 o'clock A M

Prayer was offered by Rev Dr Julius Silbyfield, of Newark, N J

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

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge, (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, Wright, Jr —53

Absent—

Messrs Backus, Corish, Davison, Devine, Drake, Potter, VanBlarcom—7

On motion of Mr Klenert, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with

Petitions were presented by the following.

W C T U, of Long Branch, N J,

W C. T U, of Westfield, N J,

C Bolden, Chairman Frogtown Republican Tax Club, West Savannah, N J,

St Paul's M E Church, W C T U, Congregation of the M E Church, Paulsboro, N J

Mr Holzapfel offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Robert Scott, a former member of this House

Petitions were presented by

Bound Brook M E Church,

Congregational Church, Bound Brook,

Presbyterian Church, Bound Brook,

Congregational C. E Society,

Presbyterian C E, of Bound Brook, N J

Mr Brady, Chairman of the Committee on Elections, reported

Assembly Bill No 95, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),"' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," which supplemental act was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Breunig, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Assembly Bill No 105, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale or prescription of cocaine, or any patent or proprietary remedy containing cocaine, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof,'"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Assembly Bill No 45, 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,

Assembly Bill No 81, 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,

And

Assembly Bill No 130, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on Rules, reported favorably resolution offered by Mr Jess, amending the Assembly rules, which resolution is as follows

Resolved, That rule sixty-eight of the Assembly be amended by adding to the first paragraph thereof the following

Every bill which amends or supplements an existing law shall have printed thereon, under the number of the bill, the page of the General Statutes or the Pamphlet Laws at which is found the law proposed to be amended or supplemented

Upon the calling of the roll, the resolution was unanimously adopted

Mr Wright, by request, introduced

Assembly Bill No 177, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting any execution,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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

Mr Baader, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 178, entitled "An act to provide for the purification of the Passaic river within the Passaic valley sewerage district, prohibiting the discharge of sewage or other polluting matter into said portion of said river after a fixed date, and authorizing municipalities lying in whole or in part within the Passaic valley sewerage district, from the territory of which sewage or other polluting matter is or may be discharged into said portion of said river, to enter into contracts with each other and with the Passaic valley sewerage commissioners for the intercepting and disposal of such sewage and other polluting matter, and to provide the necessary funds therefor,"

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

Mr Brady, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 179, entitled "An act to authorize the erection of town halls in towns of this state, and the purchase of lands whereon to erect said buildings,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 180, entitled "An act concerning the abolition of certain grade crossings in incorporated towns, and providing for the apportionment of the expense thereof,"

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

Mr Holcombe, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 181, 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,

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

Mr Olwell, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 182, entitled "An act in relation to the expenditure of public moneys,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 183, entitled "An act relating to the expenditure of moneys by counties, municipalities and commissions in this state,"

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

Mr Breunig, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 184, entitled "A supplement to an act enti-

led 'An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating and brewed liquors," passed March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,'" approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,

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

Mr Hahn, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 185, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting the orphans' court, and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the orphans' court and surrogates (Revision),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 186, entitled "An act for the prevention, detection and punishment of frauds on consumers of electric current,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 187, entitled "An act for the regulation of charges to consumers of electric current,"

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

Mr Klenert, by request, introduced

Assembly Bill No 188, 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, nineteen hundred and three,

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

The same gentleman, by request, introduced

Assembly Bill No 189, entitled "An act to authorize the boards of chosen freeholders in the several counties of this state to enter into an agreement with the sheriffs of their respective counties in relation to the support, provision and maintenance of prisoners in the county jails and workhouses in such counties,"

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

Mr Lillagore, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 190, entitled "An act to annex to the borough of Bradley Beach, a portion of the borough of Neptune City, in the county of Monmouth,"

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

Mr Hendrickson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 191, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase of sites for and the erection and equipment of armories in cities of the first and second class in this state, and cavalry armories in municipalities of this state wherein there is now or hereafter shall be located the headquarters of a troop of cavalry of the National Guard of this state which has been or shall have been in the service of this state not less than ten years, and making appropriations therefor, and to provide for the taking of real estate for such sites by commission in case the same cannot be purchased by agreement,'" title as amended approved April eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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

Mr Perkins, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 192, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employes and operatives 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,'"

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

The same gentleman, by request, introduced

Assembly Bill No 193, 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 was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Railroads and Canals

Mr Manson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 194, 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 was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Railroads and Canals

Mr Baker, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 195, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 196, entitled "An act concerning the paving and repaving of streets, avenues and public highways in cities of this state, and permitting the use of wood block pavement on such streets and highways,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 197, entitled "An act entitled 'An act to encourage sports and pastimes on the first day of the week, commonly called Sunday,'"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 198, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for suppressing vice and immorality,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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

Mr Auf der Heide, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 199, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

Mr Crowther, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 200, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning district courts (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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

Mr Tumulty, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 201, entitled "An act to regulate the appointment and compensation of clerks and assistants in the offices of city clerk in the cities of the first class,"

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

Mr Alexander, by request, introduced

Assembly Bill No 202, entitled "An act to regulate the importation of dependent children and providing a penalty for violation thereof,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 203, entitled "An act for the protection of the health of females employed in manufacturing or mercantile establishments,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 204, entitled "An act regulating the employment of children in mercantile establishments,"

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

The clerk read the following announcements

A meeting of the Democratic members will be held in the Speaker's room at 2 30 P M to-day

The Committee on Labor and Industries will meet in the Speaker's room Monday, February 18th, 1907, at 7 P M

There will be a conference of the Republican members of the House this afternoon at 3 o'clock

There will be a meeting of the Committee on Municipal Corporations at 1 30 P M to-day

There will be a meeting of the Committee on Game and Fisheries in the Speaker's room at 3 o'clock this afternoon

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That when the house adjourn it be to meet to-morrow morning at 10 30 A M

The House then adjourned

THURSDAY, February 14th, 1907

House met at 10 30 A M

Prayer was offered by Rev H A McCubin, of Lambertville, N J

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

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Fith, Gibbs, Groel, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Tillman, Tumulty, Wright, Jr —54

Absent—

Messrs Breunig, Buck, Corish, Hahn, Thompson, VanBlarcom —6

On motion of Mr Klenert, the reading of the minutes was dispensed with

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
February 14th, 1907

Mr Speaker

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

Resolved (the House of Assembly concurring), That the Senate and General Assembly of New Jersey meet in joint session on Thursday, the fourteenth day of February, at 12 o'clock, for the

purpose of electing a State Treasurer, in which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

H. L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate.

The Clerk read the following petitions

The First Presbyterian Church of Newton, N J,

The Windsor Women's Christian Temperance Union of Mercer county,

The Women's Christian Temperance Union of Cape May City,

The Women's Christian Temperance Union of Clarksboro, N J,

The Mount Zion Methodist Protestant Church of Brownsboro, of Gloucester county, N. J,

The Women's Christian Temperance Union of Millburn, Essex county, N J,

The Women's Christian Temperance Union of Salem County, N J,

The Presbyterian Church of Frenchtown, N J,

The Women's Christian Temperance Union of Dunellen, N J,

The Women's Club of Salem, N J,

The Citizens of Florence, Burlington county, N J.

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

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Charles A Baker, a former member of this House.

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

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. John M Mills, a former member of this House

Mr Groel offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

WHEREAS, The wife of Thomas J Mead, Assemblyman from Essex county, departed this life on Friday last, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the heartfelt sympathy of the House of Assembly be extended to our bereaved fellow-member, and be it further

Resolved, That this resolution be spread upon the minutes and that an engrossed copy be sent to the bereaved family

Mr Alexander, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No 110, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to the court of common pleas (Revision of 1900),'" approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Tumulty, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, reported

Assembly Joint Resolution No 1, entitled "Joint Resolution providing for the purchase of portraits of former governors of this state,"

And

Pension resolution,

WHEREAS, The House of Representatives of the United States has recently passed an act which will abolish all the United States pension agencies and centralize the payment of pensions in one agency at Washington, which act is now before the Senate of the United States for consideration, and

WHEREAS, The abolition of the pension agencies now located at New York City and Philadelphia will work a hardship upon those pensioners of the United States residing in New Jersey, whose pensions for services in the Mexican, Civil and Spanish Wars and in the regular army and navy service are paid through said agencies,

Resolved, That the United States Senators from New Jersey be and they are hereby respectfully requested to oppose the passage of said act,

Resolved, That the Clerk of this House forthwith mail a copy of this resolution to each of said Senators,

And

Assembly Bill No 126, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the permanent improvement of public roads in this State,' " approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and five

The Clerk announced that there would be a meeting of the Committee on Railroads and Canals in the Speaker's room, Monday, February 18th, 1907, at 6 P M, for a hearing on House Bills 9, 21, 63 and 65

Assembly Bill No 9, entitled "A futher supplement to an act entitled "An act to revise and amend an act for the taxation of railroad and canal property,' " approved April tenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, which act was approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Assembly Bill No 21, 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 63, entitled "An act concerning railroads, and providing for presumptive proof of negligence in any action brought hereafter in any court having jurisdiction over such action, and relative to certain effects of the violation of or failure to comply with, according to law, of any order of any board of commissioners now in existence or hereafter to be established in this state, concerning the safety of the premises on or through which any railroad in this State operates of or may hereafter operate, and which said premises are the property of or are under the control of any such railroad, or concerning the safety of any tools, equipment, apparatus or other mechanical appliances or contrivances which are the property of, under the control or in use by any railroad in this state,"

Senate concurrent resolution

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
January 21st, 1907

Mr Speaker

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

WHEREAS, In accordance with the provisions of Chapter 227 of the Laws of 1904, a commission was appointed by the Governo "to compile and edit the public acts of the Legislature of thi State, which work shall be known as the 'Revised Statutes of Nev Jersey,' and shall contain (1) all the public acts of the Legisla ture of this State published in the year one thousand eight hun dred and ninety-six, and known as the 'General Statutes of Nev Jersey,' under and by virtue of the provisions of chapter forty one of the pamphlet laws of one thousand eight hundred an ninety-four, and (2) the session laws passed, or that shall b passed, by the Legislature of this State between the first day o January, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six, which ar general and permanent in their nature and which shall be in forc on the first day of January next," and

WHEREAS, It was further therein provided that "the said worl shall be completed as soon as conveniently may be, *provided*, tha if said work is not completed before January first, one thousan nine hundred and six, then and in that case the laws to be passe by the next Legislature shall be comprised in said work," and

WHEREAS, The need of such a work in this State is serious an pressing, therefore, be it

Resolved (the House of Assembly concurring), that said com mission be and hereby is requested to inform the Governor an Legislature forthwith as follows

1 What progress has been made in the preparation of sai work?

2 When said work will be completed and ready for publica tion?

3 Whether it is the purpose of said commission to include i said work the laws enacted by the Legislature and approved by th Governor in the year one thousand nine hundred and six?

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requeste

H L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 65, entitled "An act to regulate railroads and other common carriers in this state, creating a state board of commissioners to regulate and police railroads and other common carriers in this state, said board so created to be known as the State Board of Commissioners of Railroads and Public Utilities," giving to them an official seal, to fix their salaries, define their powers (including among said powers the power to issue compulsory processes and use contempt proceedings), to prescribe their term of office, and the mode of the procedure and the rules of evidence to govern said board in the conduct of their hearings and in certain other of their proceedings, to prescribe penalties for the disobeying or contempt of the processes and orders of the said board of railroad commissioners, and providing, further, for any other matters to make efficient such a board so established to police and regulate railroads,"

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported favorably Senate Concurrent Resolution by Mr Robbins

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
TRENTON, N J, February 13th, 19

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 18, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the militia of the state,'" approved May sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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

HOWARD L. TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

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

Assembly Bill No 91, entitled "An act for the designation an appointment of an inspector of weights and measures in cities c the second class,"

Assembly Bill No 92, entitled "An act to amend an act entitle 'An act to establish a uniform standard of weights and measur in this state,'" passed on the seventeenth day of March, one thou sand eight hundred and eighty-one,

Assembly Bill No 132, entitled "An act to facilitate the tran action of municipal business in cities of this state,"

Favorably, without amendment,

And

Assembly Bill No 76, entitled "A supplement to an act entitle 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free publ schools and to provide for the maintenance, management and sup port thereof,'" approved October nineteenth, one thousand nin hundred and three,

With committee amendment

On motion of Mr Burk,

Assembly Bill No 5, entitled "A supplement to an act entitle 'An act to authorize cities in this state to purchase lands and erec suitable buildings for city purposes, and to sell lands and build ings now used for such purposes,'" approved April seventeenth one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was recommitted back to the committee for amendment

Mr Crowther, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 205, entitled "An act to amend an act entitle 'An act respecting conveyances (Revision of 1898),'" approve June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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

Mr Fake, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 206, entitled "A supplement to an act entitle 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),'" approved Apr fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

Mr. Potter, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 207, entitled "An act to authorize the unveiling of a monument, now in course of erection at Monocacy, aryland, to commemorate the services of the fourteenth regiment, ew Jersey volunteer infantry, in the battle of Monocacy and urty other engagements of the Civil War, and to appropriate oney to pay the expense of the proper unveiling of said monument,"

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

Mr Backus, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 208, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled n act concerning townships (Revision of 1899),'" approved arch twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

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

Mr Merz, by request, introduced

Assembly Bill No 209, entitled "An act to provide for and gulate appeals from any District Court in any city of this State the Court of Common Pleas,"

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

Mr Fake, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 210, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled n act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),'" approved pril fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 211, entitled "An act to authorize the board of education of any township in this State to transfer any unused school building to the township in which said board of education is located, and to empower the township committee to use said building for municipal purposes,"

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

Mr Groel, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 212, entitled "An act to require resident citizens to secure license before hunting or gunning within the State of New Jersey, and providing penalties for violation of its provisions,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 213, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 214, entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'An act,'" approved April twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and two,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 215, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kind 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,

ınd which act to amend was approved Apıil fifth, one thousand ıine hundred and four,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a ;econd reading, and refeıred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries

Mr Klenert, on leave, ıntroduced

Assembly Bill No 216, entıtled "An act to amend an act entıtled An act foı the assessment and collection of taxes,' " approved Apıil eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

Mr Earle, on leave, ıntroduced

Assembly Bill No 217, entıtled "An act to provide for the com-)ensatıon of officers and employes of the Senate of one thousand ;ight hundred and ninety-three, who were required to attend and)erfoım service pending the organization of the current session of he Senate,"

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

Mr Groel offered the following amendment to

Assembly Bill No 4, entıtled "An act to amend an act entıtled An act to establish public parks in certain counties of this state ınd to regulate the same,' " approved Maich fifth, one thousand ;ght hundred and ninety-five,

By striking out line three, section one, which reads as follows

"Be it enacted by the Senate and General Assembly "

On motion of Mr Holzapfel,

Assembly Bill No 26, entıtled "An act to amend an act entıtled An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes (Revision)f 1903),' " approved Apıil eighth, one thousand nine hundred nd three,

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

On motion of the same gentleman,

Assembly Bill No 28, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 73, entitled "An act to amend the negotiable instrument law relative to the payment of forged checks,"

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

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 98, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crime (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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

On motion of Mr Elvins,

Assembly Bill No 89, entitled "An act to compel the determination of titles to riparian lands and lands under water in which the state claims an estate in remainder or reversion and to quiet the title to the same,"

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

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 13, 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 and read a second time

The same gentleman offered the following amendment to

Assembly Bill No 13, 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,

Which was read by the clerk and adopted by the House

Amend by changing the word "an," the fifth word in line four, page one, to the word "any," so that the line will read as follows

"All persons aggrieved by any order or decree of the Court of Chancery may"

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 41, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to information in the nature of a quo warranto (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 75, 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 second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 77, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the relief of creditors against absent and absconding debtors (Revision of 1901),'" approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and one,

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

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Assembly Bill No 80, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Assembly Bill No 82, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the orphans' court and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the orphans' court and surrogates (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 17, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting writs of error (Revision),'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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

On motion of Mr Thompson,

Assembly Bill No 43, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relative to the Princeton battle monument,'" approved April twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

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

On motion of Mr Groel,

Assembly Bill No 131, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning district courts (Revision of 1898),"' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," which supplement was approved February twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and one,

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

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 121, entitled "An act to change the name of Ginami Catesto Pettuto,

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

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 29, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase of sites for and the erection and equipment of armories in cities of the first and second class, and making appropriations therefor, and to provide for the taking of real estate for such sites by commission in case the same cannot be purchased by agreement,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

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

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 74, entitled "An act regarding soldiers, sailors and marines honorably discharged from the United States service,"

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

On motion of Mr Crowther,

Assembly Bill No 122, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the establishment of a course in practical and scientific instruction in the art of clay working and ceramics in the State agricultural college,'" approved March seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and two,

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

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 95, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),"' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," which supplemental act was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

On motion of Mr Perkins,

Assembly Bill No 45, 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,

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

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Assembly Bill No 81, 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, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Manson,

Assembly Bill No 130, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

The Clerk read the following announcements

There will be a meeting of the Committee on Judiciary on Monday next, at 4 o'clock, in the Speaker's room

There will be a meeting of the Democratic members of Assembly, in the Speaker's room, immediately after this session

Mr Morris, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, announces a meeting of said committee, immediately after the session, for the consideration of Assembly Bills Nos 37, 39, 68, 135, 144, 146, 148, 150 and 173

Assembly Bill No 37, entitled "An act concerning the time of payment of assessments of benefits of public improvements in municipalities of this state,"

Assembly Bill No 39, entitled "An act concerning advertisement for bids and the submission of proposals and the awarding of contracts for materials furnished or work done by public award in this state,"

Assembly Bill No 68, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 135, entitled "An act concerning police in municipalities,"

Assembly Bill No 144, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to empower boards of aldermen, councilmen or other governing bodies of cities, towns or boroughs of this state to give notice of intention to pass ordinances for any public improvement,' " approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Assembly Bill No 146, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide a capital fund to be used for the opening, widening, vacating and other such improvements of streets in cities of the first class in this state,' " approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Assembly Bill No 148, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes," ' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three," which supplement was approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Assembly Bill No 150, entitled "An act to provide funds to be used for opening and vacating streets and highways, and for curbing, recurbing, grading and regrading, flagging and reflagging streets and highways so opened or widened, in cities of the first class in this state,"

And

Assembly Bill No 173, entitled "An act relative to boards of tax commissioners or similar finance bodies in cities of this state,"

Mr Klenert reported

Assembly Bill No 127, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to the writ of certiorari (Revision of 1903),' " approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Alexander reported

Assembly Bill No 205, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances (Revision of 1898),' ", approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Favorably, without amendment

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Assembly Bill No 205, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

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

The House then adjourned

FRIDAY, February 15th, 1907

At 10 30 o'clock A M, the House met

Upon calling the roll the following gentlemen answered to their names

Messrs Barber, H D Thompson, Burk

Mr Barber, Speaker *pro tem*, in the chair

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

MONDAY, February 18th, 1907

House met at 8 o'clock P M

Prayer was offered by the Rev Dewitt C Cobb, of Salem, N J

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

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—55

Absent—

Messrs Buik, Drake, Gibbs, Haines, Smalley—5

On motion of Mr Klenert, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with

Petitions were presented by the following

Hammonton, N J—The Leeds Point W C T U

Mt Pleasant M E Church

First Presbyterian Church

Members of congregation of Salem M E Church, of Pleasantville, N J

Wesley M E Church, of Pleasantville, N J

First Baptist Church, of Pleasantville, N J

Olive Branch Church

W C T U of Atlantic City

Manasquan M E Church

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

TRENTON, February 16th, 1907

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Assembly

I herewith submit to you the report of the commission authorized under Concurrent Resolution of the Legislature, approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and six

About one-fifth of the population of our State is foreign born, and the importance of acquainting this large percentage of our population with their duties as citizens is self-evident I have already discussed this matter in my message and I trust that the Legislature will see fit to give it such consideration as will bear fruit in a practical solution of this problem New Jersey is the first State to move in this direction, and her action, if intelligent and wise, may be the model for other States to follow

Respectfully,

E C STOKES,

Governor

Hon E C Stokes, Governor of the State of New Jersey

DEAR SIR:—In accordance with your instructions, your commission "to inquire into and report upon the general condition of the immigrants coming into or resident within this State," find that there were, at the taking of the last census, 431,884 foreign-born residents in New Jersey, of whom 52 per cent were males Of 198,161 males of voting age in this State, 26,737 are classed as "illiterates," and 48,709 are unable to speak English

Naturally, the cities attract the greatest number Passaic leads with 50 per cent of its population foreign born, Paterson has 37 per cent , Hoboken, 36, Jersey City, 28, Trenton, 22 6 per cent Newark harbors 71,363, a city of no mean proportions in itself, and if all the foreigners in the State could be segregated they would form a community with a population equal to that of Newark and Jersey City combined

A large proportion of these foreigners arrive in this country at an age of productiveness, without having cost the State a cent for

education or protection, they immediately become not only producers, but consumers They arrive here at an age when it is not easy to acquire a new language, bringing us a much-needed supply of muscle and brawn—for the chief elements of wealth production in this country may be classed as the products of agriculture, the products of mines and the products of manufacture, all absolutely dependent on labor, much of which is obtained from this foreign-born element of our population, to the great prosperity of the country

The undesirable feature in admitting these people to our State arises from the fact that they are *compelled* to settle in colonies in the crowded sections of the cities, as they are absolutely dependent on each other to obtain a knowledge of the conditions surrounding their lives in the home of their adoption As far as our commission can find out, there is no way for the foreigner to learn the laws of this country, his rights and privileges or duties as a citizen, until he can speak English There are no books on these subjects and few schools are supplied with foreign-speaking teachers These people are judged by laws of whose very existence they can only learn by breaking them, and in many instances the State is called upon to support in prisons and reformatories numbers who would never have reached there had any attention been given to enlightening them as to the existing laws of the State Indeed, the State has been called upon to inflict the most severe penalty of the law upon those whose excuse for crime has been that they either did not know the law or the penalty for breaking it

The anxiety of the immigrants for the education of their children is sufficient proof that they are eager to take advantage of every possible assistance—the percentage of illiterates of foreign-born parents is only about half that of the illiterate children of native parentage Their first request for books is always for "something about America" in their own language It is a matter of shame to us that we have never adequately supplied this demand While the details of this country's history may be of only passive interest to them, they are eager to know the every-day questions that circumstances force upon them Where is your government, if we have no soldiers visible? Why do their children *have* to go to school until fourteen in this free country? Who appoints the postmen and policemen? What becomes of

the taxes they pay? What constitutes a legal marriage in this country? And as the first impression made on the susceptible mind of the foreigner is the lasting one, it hardly seems wise to wait until he has learned to read in English to acquaint him with these facts

With this idea in mind, how can a foreign-speaking person find out the laws and principles underlying our government? and with the knowledge that little or nothing is being done anywhere to educate and enlighten the incoming immigrants, your commission asks that the State take up this important work and appoint a permanent commission with an adequate appropriation to educate and enlighten all foreign-speaking residents within this State, and to this end should print and circulate freely small pamphlets on the history and principles of the United States and State government in English and every such foreign language as may be necessary to reach these people, that night schools shall be established with foreign-speaking teachers in twenty different centres through the State for the study of the English language and civil government, and, wherever there is a demand, free lectures shall be given on these subjects in foreign language

To take up this matter in detail, your commission would recommend (1) that four teachers should be engaged for each of the following cities Jersey City, Newark, Hoboken, Paterson and Passaic, each to instruct three nights every alternate week pupils of the following nationality German, Yiddish, Italian and Hungarian, the classes to run for six months, from October 15th to April 15th, the rooms to be secured in the center of the district in which the different nationalities congregate Have sixteen teachers for the following cities, grouped in pairs, for the nationalities desiring instruction Trenton and New Brunswick, Bayonne and Perth Amboy, Camden and Millville, Bridgeton and Vineland Secure fourteen teachers for all other points in the State, making fifty teachers in all

(2) Publish in each of seven languages and distribute gratuitously "A Guide for Immigrants," by Edward S Ellis, a compilation in simple form of information as to citizenship, 5,000 in each of seven languages, or 35,000 in all Publish the same number of a similar booklet giving local laws and regulations

Same number of a book twice as large, to be prepared, translated and used as a more advanced text-book All these books to be printed with the English and a foreign language on the opposite page

(3) Provide two lectures in foreign languages for each of 200 classes, making 400 lectures in all

(4) Employ a secretary of the commission to act as organizer and see that the work is carried on all over the State

(5) Provide funds from the State Treasury for the teachers, lecturers, text-books, secretary's compensation and other expenses, leaving the localities to provide warmed and lighted rooms in the school buildings, bearing in mind always that the ultimate object is to have the work taken up by the different localities as a part of the educational system of the State

Summary of estimated expenses

Fifty teachers, at $25 per week, twenty-six weeks	$32,500
Four hundred lectures, at $25 each	10,000
Secretary, twelve months, at $125 per month	1,500
Allowance for traveling and other expenses	2,000
35,000 "Guide for Immigrants," at 10 cents	3,500
35,000 local laws and regulations, at 10 cents	3,500
35,000 larger text-books, at 20 cents	7,000
Total	$60,000

In urging the establishment of such a permanent commission with a liberal financial backing, your present commission feels that in spreading a knowledge of the laws of our land the State is adding to the glory of the country, the public utility and to the conservation of human society

Respectfully submitted,

NEW JERSEY IMMIGRANT COMMISSION

(Signed) J Dyneley Prince,
D F Merritt,
J M Campbell

Mr Klenert moved that the same be spread in full upon the Minutes of the House,

Which motion was carried

On leave,

Mr Corish offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

WHEREAS, This is the anniversary of the birthday of the Honorable Speaker of the House, and

WHEREAS, With the years have come dignity and honor, therefore be it

Resolved, That the congratulations of the House of Assembly be extended to the Speaker, and be it further

Resolved, That the House express its sincere wishes for many returns of the anniversary and increase of honors

Petitions were presented by the following

Women's Christian Temperance Union of Bloomfield, N J,

Women's Christian Temperance Union of Bridgeton, N J,

Young Women's Christian Temperance Union of Bridgeton, N J,

Women's Christian Temperance Union of Whitehouse, N J,

Women's Christian Temperance Union of Lambertville, N J,

Darktown Baptist Church,

Pittsgrove Presbyterian Church of Darktown,

Young People's Society Christian Endeavor of Darktown, N J,

Women's Christian Temperance Union of Elizabeth, N J,

Grange No 9, of Woodstown, N J

Mr Mead, Chairman of the Committee on Labor and Industries, reported

Assembly Bill No 64, entitled "An act constituting eight hours' service a full day's labor for persons employed in or about State penal institutions of this State,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Holcombe, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads and Canals, reported

Assembly Bill No 9, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to revise and amend an act for the taxation of railroad and canal property,'" approved April tenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, which act was approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Favorably, with the following amendment

Line five, after the situs but not including rolling stock and floating equipments,

And

Assembly Bill No 21, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Favorably, with the following amendment

Line twelve, after the word "held," seventy-two hours instead of forty-eight hours, and on line eighteen strike out "A" and insert "No"

Mr Morris, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No 37, entitled "An act concerning the time of payment of assessments of benefits of public improvements in municipalities of this State,"

Assembly Bill No 68, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 111, entitled "An act to establish a State reformatory for women, to provide for the government thereof and the commitment thereto of women convicted of crimes and other offences,"

Assembly Bill No 173, entitled "An act relative to boards of tax commissioners or similar finance bodies in cities of this State,"

Favorably, without amendment

And

Assembly Bill No 5, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize cities in this State to purchase lands and erect suitable buildings for city purposes, and to sell lands and buildings now used for such purposes,'" approved April seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

With committee amendment,

And committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 135, entitled "An act concerning police in municipalities"

Mr Hendrickson, Chairman of the Committee on Militia, reported

Assembly Bill No 191, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase of sites for and the erection and equipment of armories in cities of the first and second class in this state, and cavalry armories in municipalities of this state wherein there is now or hereafter shall be located the headquarters of a troop of cavalry of the national guard of this state which has been or shall have been in the service of this state not less than ten years, and making appropriations therefor, and to provide for the taking of real estate for such sites by commission in case the same cannot be purchased by agreement,'" title as amended approved April eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

And

Assembly Bill No 71, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase of sites for and the erection and equipment of armories in cities of the first and second class, and making appropriations therefor, and to provide for the taking of real estate for such sites by commission in case the same cannot be purchased by agreement,' approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, authorizing the purchase of land and the erection of a signal and telegraph corps armory in the city of Jersey City, in the county of Hudson and State of New Jersey, pursuant to the provisions and authority of the aforesaid act and of the amendments thereof and supplements thereto,"

Favorably, without amendment

Petition was read, signed by numerous citizens, to incorporate a borough in the vicinity of Plainfield

Mr Breunig, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Assembly Bill No 178, entitled "An act to provide for the purification of the Passaic river within the Passaic valley sewerage district, prohibiting the discharge of sewage or other polluting matter into said portion of said river after a fixed date, and authorizing municipalities lying in whole or in part within the Passaic valley sewerage district, from the territory of which sewage or other polluting matter is or may be discharged into said portion of said river, to enter into contracts with each other and with the Passaic valley sewerage commissioners for the intercepting and disposal of such sewage and other polluting matter, and to provide the necessary funds therefor,"

And

Assembly Bill No 51, entitled "An act to authorize cities having a public water-supply derived from sources beyond the city limits to protect the same from pollution by providing for any portion of the territory from which said water is derived or through which it flows a system of sewers or drains in order to take up, carry off and dispose of the sewage or other polluting matter, and providing also for the raising and expenditure of the money necessary for this purpose,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Daab, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No 17, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled An act respecting writs of error (Revision),'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No 26, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 28, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes (Revision

of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 41, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to information in the nature of a quo warranto (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 73, entitled "An act to amend the negotiable instrument law relative to the payment of forged checks,"

Assembly Bill No 75, 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 77, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the relief of creditors against absent and absconding debtors (Revision of 1901),'" approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and one,

Assembly Bill No 80, 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 82, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the orphans' court and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the orphans' court and surrogates (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No 98, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crime (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Correctly printed

Mr Baker, Chairman of the Committee on Bill Revision, reported

Assembly Bill No 162, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the fire department in cities of the first class,'" approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Favorably, with amendments

Mr Thompson offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

That the printer be requested to mail each week the current part of the minutes of this House to each member at his home address

Mr Hahn, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 218, entitled "An act to amend 'An act to provide for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

Mr Baader, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 219, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for public safety on railroads,'" approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 220, entitled "An act concerning the compulsory furnishing of freight cars by any railroad or other carrier doing business in New Jersey, and providing a penalty to such railroad or other carrier for failing to do so,"

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

Mr Lane, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 221, entitled "An act to regulate the registry of voters in this State,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 222, entitled "A supplement to an act en-

titled 'An act relative to the writ of certiorari (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

The same gentleman, by request, introduced

Assembly Bill No 223, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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

Mr Baader, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 224, entitled "An act to authorize boards of street and water commissioners in cities of the first class in this State to open, widen, vacate, grade, regrade, curb, recurb, flag and reflag streets in such cities without appropriations for the cost thereof being first made,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 225, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act relative to the time of election and appointment and terms of office of officers elected or appointed in towns, townships, boroughs and other municipalities in this State,'" approved February fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

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

Mr Baker, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 226, entitled "An act relative to the payment of deposits made with any bank or trust company in the name of two persons,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 227, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 228, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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

Mr Olwell, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 229, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act in relation to county expenditures,'" approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

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

Mr Wright, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 230, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a sanatorium for persons afflicted with tuberculous diseases and to provide for the selection of a site and the erection of buildings therefor and the government thereof,'" approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,

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

Mr Baader, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 231, entitled "An act for the protection of laborers and mechanics engaged in the construction of buildings,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 232, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the formation, establishment and government of towns,'" approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 233, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning District Courts (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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

Mr Morris, by request, introduced

Assembly Bill No 234, entitled "An act to enable adjoining towns, townships and boroughs to form a city government,"

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

The same gentleman, by request, introduced

Assembly Bill No 235, 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,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 236, entitled "An act for the better publication of the annual financial statement of towns, boroughs and townships,"

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

Mr Auf der Heide, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 237, entitled "An act in relation to the salaries of town clerk, collector of taxes and assessor in towns of this State,"

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

Mr Eppinger, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 238, entitled "An act to remove police departments in the townships of this State from political control and to regulate the tenure and terms of office of the officers and men employed in such departments,"

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

Mr Hendrickson, by request, introduced

Assembly Bill No 239, entitled "An act to regulate the keeping of employment agencies in this State,"

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

Mr Jess, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 240, 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,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 241, 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 March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

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

Mr Lane, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 242, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act for the preservation of sheep (Revision)," approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,' " which further supplement was approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,

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

On motion of Mr Riordan,

Assembly Bill No 126, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the permanent improvement of public roads in this State,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment

On motion of Mr Riordan,

Assembly Bill No 126, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the permanent improvement of public roads in this State,' " approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Be recommitted, which motion was carried

Mr Perkins, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 243, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,' " approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

Mr Holcombe, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads and Canals, announced that there will be a meeting of that committee

Monday, February 25th, 1907, at 2 30 P M, on the following Assembly bills

Assembly Bill No 106, entitled "An act relating to street railways and conferring the additional power to regulate them on the State Board of Commissioners of Railroads and Public Utilities," supplementary to an act entitled "An act to regulate railroads and other common carriers in this State, creating a State Board of Commissioners to regulate and police railroads and other common carriers in this State, said board so created to be known as the 'State Board of Commissioners of Railroads and Public Utilities,' giving to them an official seal, to fix their salaries, define their powers (including among said powers the power to issue compulsory processes and use contempt proceedings), prescribe their term of office, and the mode of the procedure and the rules of evidence to govern said board in the conduct of their hearings, and in certain other of their proceedings, to prescribe penalties for the disobeying or contempt of the processes and orders of the said Board of Railroad Commissioners, and providing further for any other matters to make efficient such a board established to police and regulate railroads,"

Assembly Bill No 107, entitled "An act concerning railroads, to regulate demurrage and storage charges and to prevent delay in the transportation and delivery by railroads of freight,"

Assembly Bill No 108, entitled 'An act concerning railroads and other carriers and requiring them to make reasonable connections with each other,"

Assembly Bill No 154, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 156, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 163, entitled "An act extending the time for completing certain railroads,"

Assembly Bill No 193, 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 194, 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 206, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 210, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Mr Klenert, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 244, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning paid fire departments in certain municipalities of this State, and for the relief of members thereof, their widows, dependent parents and children,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

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

The Clerk read the following announcement

A meeting of the Democratic assemblymen will be held in the Speaker's room, Tuesday morning, at 10 o'clock, sharp

Mr Taylor moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 110, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to the court of common pleas (Revision of 1900),'" approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred,

Was passed to third reading be reconsidered,

Which motion was carried

Mr Taylor moved that the rules be suspended, and that

Assembly Bill No 110, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to the court of common pleas (Revision of 1900),'" approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred,

Be placed back on second reading, for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

Mr Taylor offered the following amendments to Assembly Bill No 110

Amend section two, line thirteen, by striking out the word "counsellor" and insert in lieu thereof the word "attorney,"

Which amendment was adopted

On motion of Mr Taylor,

Assembly Bill No 110, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to the court of common pleas (Revision of 1900),'" approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred,

As amended,

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

On motion of Mr Daab,

Assembly Bill No 91, entitled "An act for the designation and appointment of an inspector of weights and measures in cities of the second class,"

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

On motion of Mr Daab,

Assembly Bill No 92, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a uniform standard of weights and measures in this state,'" passed on the seventeenth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one,

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

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 132, entitled "An act to facilitate the transaction of municipal business in cities of this state,"

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

Mr Hendrickson moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 76, 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,

Was passed to third reading be reconsidered,

Which motion was carried

Mr Hendrickson moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No 76, 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,

Be placed back on second reading for purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

Mr Hendrickson offered the following committee amendment to Assembly Bill No 76

Amend by striking out words "principal and," in line one, paragraph one, and the words "principal or," in line three, paragraph one,

Which amendment was adopted

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 76, 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,

As amended,

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

On motion of Mr Olwell,

Assembly Bill No 127, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled

'An act relative to the writ of certiorari (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

On motion of Mr Crowther,

Assembly Bill No 205, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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

On motion of Mr Baker,

Assembly Joint Resolution No 1, entitled "Joint resolution providing for the purchase of portraits of former governors of this state,"

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

Mr Thompson moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 43, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relative to the Princeton battle monument,'" approved April twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Was passed to third reading, be reconsidered,

Which motion was carried

Mr Thompson moved that the rules be suspended, and that

Assembly Bill No 43, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relative to the Princeton battle monument,'" approved April twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

Mr Thompson offered the following amendment to Assembly Bill No 43

In second line of title strike out "twenty," strike out "eight" and insert "nine," strike out "eighty-eight" and insert "two," so that date approved shall read "April third," one thousand nine hundred and two,

Which amendments were adopted

On motion of Mr Thompson,

Assembly Bill No 43, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relative to the Princeton battle monument,'" approved April twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

As amended,

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

Mr Morris, of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, announced a meeting of said committee immediately after this session to consider

Assembly Bill No 143, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable cities in this state on or near the ocean, and embracing within their limits or jurisdiction any beach or ocean front, to open and lay out a public park or place for public resort or recreation, on and along the beach or ocean front of such city, and to purchase or condemn lands, property and rights therefor, and to preserve the same from obstruction or encroachment,'" approved April twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, constituting chapter ninety-three of the session laws of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,

Assembly Bill No 144, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to empower boards of aldermen, councilmen or other governing bodies of cities, towns or boroughs of this state to give notice of intention to pass ordinances for any public improvement,'" approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Assembly Bill No 146, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide a capital fund to be used for the opening, widening, vacating and other such improvements of streets in cities of the first class in this state,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Assembly Bill No 148, entitled "An act to repeal an act

entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,'" which supplement was approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

And

Assembly Bill No 150, entitled "An act to provide funds to be used for opening and vacating streets and highways, and for curbing, recurbing, grading and regrading, flagging and reflagging streets and highways so opened or widened, in cities of the first class in this state"

Mr Brady moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 51, entitled "An act to authorize cities having a public water-supply derived from sources beyond the city limits to protect the same from pollution by providing for any portion of the territory from which said water is derived or through which it flows a system of sewers or drains in order to take up, carry off and dispose of the sewage or other polluting matter, and providing also for the raising and expenditure of the money necessary for this purpose,"

Was passed to third reading be reconsidered,

Which motion was carried

Mr Brady moved that the rules be suspended, and that

Assembly Bill No 51, entitled "An act to authorize cities having a public water-supply derived from sources beyond the city limits to protect the same from pollution by providing for any portion of the territory from which said water is derived or through which it flows a system of sewers or drains in order to take up, carry off and dispose of the sewage or other polluting matter, and providing also for the raising and expenditure of the money necessary for this purpose,"

Be placed back on second reading for purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

Mr Brady offered the following amendment to Assembly Bill No 51

Amend section 2, line 2 Erase "Board of Health" insert "Sewerage Commission"

Section 3, line 4 Erase "sewage" insert "sewerage"

Section 4, line 5 Erase "Board of Health" insert "Sewerage Commission"

Section 9, line 5 Erase "Board of Health" insert "Sewerage Commission,"

Which amendments were adopted

On motion of Mr Brady,

Assembly Bill No 51, entitled "An act to authorize cities having a public water-supply derived from sources beyond the city limits to protect the same from pollution by providing for any portion of the territory from which said water is derived or through which it flows a system of sewers or drains in order to take up, carry off and dispose of the sewage or other polluting matter, and providing also for the raising and expenditure of the money necessary for this purpose,"

As amended,

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

On motion of Mr Brady,

Assembly Bill No 178, entitled "An act to provide for the purification of the Passaic river within the Passaic valley sewerage district, prohibiting the discharge of sewage or other polluting matter into said portion of said river after a fixed date, and authorizing municipalities lying in whole or in part within the Passaic valley sewerage district, from the territory of which sewage or other polluting matter is or may be discharged into said portion of said river, to enter into contracts with each other and with the Passaic valley sewerage commissioners for the intercepting and disposal of such sewage and other polluting matter, and to provide the necessary funds therefor,"

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

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That when the House adjourns it be to meet to-morrow at 10 30 A M

The House then adjourned

TUESDAY, February 19th, 1907

House met at 10 30 A M

Prayer was offered by Rev Dr Jamison, of North Paterson, N J

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

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr , Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Gioel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr , Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —60

Absent—None

On motion of Mr Klenert, the reading of the journal was dispensed with

On motion of Mr Klenert, Part I of the journal, as corrected by the printer, was adopted

The following petitions were read

Christ Church, South Amboy, N J ,

W C T U, No 1, of Elizabeth, N J ,

Washington Street Baptist Church, Orange, N J ,

W C T U , of Demarest, N J ,

W C T U , of New Jersey, including two hundred and sixty-four auxiliaries,

Citizens of Mays Landing, N J

Mr Hendrickson moved that

Assembly Bill No 76, 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,

Be placed back to second reading for amendment

The same gentleman moved that

Assembly Bill No 29, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase of sites for and the erection and equipment of armories in cities of the first and second class, and making appropriations therefor, and to provide for the taking of real estate for such sites by commission in case the same cannot be purchased by agreement,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

And

Assembly Bill No 37, entitled "An act concerning the time of payment of assessments of benefits of public improvements in municipalities of this state,"

Be recommitted back to committee for amendment

Mr Mead, Chairman of the Committee on Labor and Industries, reported

Assembly Bill No 61, entitled "An act to regulate the hours of labor of mechanics, workmen and laborers employed upon the public works of the State of New Jersey, or upon the public works of any county, city, township or other municipality therein,"

Assembly Bill No 79, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide for the amicable adjustment of grievances and disputes that may arise between employers and employes, and to authorize the creation of a state board of arbitrators,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, and the supplements thereto,

Assembly Bill No 116, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'Supplement to an act entitled "An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employes and operatives 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, approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Assembly Bill No 192, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employes and operatives 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,'"

And

Assembly Bill No 203, entitled "An act for the protection of the health of females employed in manufacturing or mercantile establishments,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Morris, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No 39, entitled "An act concerning advertisement for bids and the submission of proposals and the awarding of contracts for materials furnished or work done by public award in this State,"

Assembly Bill No 143, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable cities in this State on or near the ocean, and embracing within their limits or jurisdiction any beach or ocean front, to open and lay out a public park or place for public resort or recreation, on and along the beach or ocean front of such city, and to purchase or condemn lands, property and rights therefor, and to preserve the same from obstruction or encroachment,'" approved April twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, constituting chapter ninety-three of the session laws of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,

Assembly Bill No 144, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to empower boards of aldermen, councilmen or other governing bodies of cities, towns or boroughs of this State to give notice of intention to pass ordinances for any public improvement,'" approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Assembly Bill No 146, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide a capital fund to be used for the opening, widening, vacating and other such improvements of streets in cities of the first class in this State,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Assembly Bill No 148, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,'" which supplement was approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

And

Assembly Bill No 150, entitled "An act to provide funds to be used for opening and vacating streets and highways, and for curbing, recurbing, grading and regrading, flagging and reflagging streets and highways so opened or widened, in cities of the first class in this State,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Hendrickson, Chairman of the Committee on Militia, reported

Assembly Bill No 18, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of South Bound Brook,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Tumulty, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneou Business, reported

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 126, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the permanent improvement of public roads in this State,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Favorably as amended,

And

Assembly Bill No 52, entitled "A supplement to an act entitle 'An act to regulate and license pawnbrokers,'" approved Apr twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six

Mr Backus, Chairman of the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions, reported

Assembly Bill No 11, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),'" approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Assembly Bill No 18, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of South Bound Brook,"

Assembly Bill No 55, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),'" approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Assembly Bill No 114, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),"'" approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, which amendment was approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and three,

And

Assembly Bill No 190, entitled "An act to annex to the borough of Bradley Beach a portion of the borough of Neptune City, in the county of Monmouth,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Hahn, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported

Assembly Bill No 147, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the preservation of crabs in the waters of the North and South Shrewsbury rivers and their tributaries,'" approved February sixth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Assembly Bill No 212, entitled "An act to require resident citizens to secure license before hunting or gunning within the State of New Jersey, and providing penalties for violation of its provisions,"

Assembly Bill No 214, entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'An act,'" approved April twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and two,

And

Assembly Bill No 215, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kind of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three, and which act to amend was approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

Favorably, without amendment,

And

Assembly Bill No 57, entitled "An act for the better protection of game and game birds,"

Favorably, with the following committee amendments

Insert after the word "partridge," on line three, the words "water wild fowl"

Mr Bradley, Chairman of the Committee on Elections, reported

Assembly Bill No 53, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections'" (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

With amendments

Mr Daab, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No 4, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish public parks in certain counties of this state and to regulate the same,'" approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Assembly Bill No 29, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase of sites for and the erection and equipment of armories in cities of the first and second class and making appropriations therefor, and to provide for the taking of real estate for such sites by commission in case the same cannot be purchased by agreement,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Assembly Bill No 45, 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,

Assembly Bill No 74, entitled "An act regarding soldiers, sailors and marines honorably discharged from the United States service,"

Assembly Bill No 81, 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 89, entitled "An act to compel the determination of titles to riparian lands and lands under water in which the state claims an estate in remainder or reversion and to quiet the title to the same,"

Assembly Bill No 95, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),"' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," which supplemental act was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 121, entitled "An act to change the name of Ginami Catesto Pettuto,"

Assembly Bill No 122, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the establishment of a course in practical and scientific instruction in the art of clay working and ceramics in the State agricultural college,'" approved March seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Assembly Bill No 130, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

And

Assembly Bill No 131, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning district courts (Revision of 1898),"' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," which supplement

was approved February twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and one,

As correctly printed

Mr Alexander, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No 56, 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,

And

Assembly Bill No 141, entitled "A supplement to 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,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Auf der Heide, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships, reported

Assembly Bill No 179, entitled "An act to authorize the erection of town halls in towns of this state, and the purchase of lands whereon to erect said buildings,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Baker, Chairman of the Committee on Bill Revision, reported

Assembly Bill No 195, 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 196, entitled "An act concerning the paving and repaving of streets, avenues and public highways in cities of this state, and permitting the use of wood block pavement on such streets and highways,"

Assembly Bill No 197, entitled "An act entitled 'An act to encourage sports and pastimes on the first day of the week, commonly called Sunday,'"

And

Assembly Bill No 198, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for suppressing vice and immorality,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Kenert, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Assembly Bill No 158, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting writs of error (Revision),'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

And

Assembly Bill No 216, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Favorably, without amendment,

And

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 104, entitled "An act to permit the retirement on pension from public office or position, after twenty-five years' continuous service therein, of widows of honorably discharged Union soldiers, sailors and marines who served in the War of the Rebellion,"

Mr Kenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Edward Emley, Sheriff of Burlington county

Mr Olwell offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon James C Chance, a former member of this House

The Clerk read the following notice by Mr Thompson

I hereby give notice that after twenty-four hours I shall introduce a motion or resolution that the Committee on Municipal Corporations be relieved of Assembly Bill No 8

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That 200 copies of the commission to inquire into the general condition of immigrants coming into or resident within the state be printed, and that copies be distributed

Mr Hendrickson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 245, entitled "An act providing for the reimprovement of any street, avenue, road or highway, or the portion of such street, avenue, road or highway, lying in part only in one town, which has been heretofore improved and for which improvement assessments for benefits have been heretofore levied and imposed, and for the issue of bonds to pay for said improvement,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 246, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessments and water rates or water rents in cities of this state, and imposing and levying a tax, assessment and lien in lieu of and instead of such arrearages, and to enforce the payment thereof, and to provide for the sale of lands subject to future taxation and assessment,' " approved March thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

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

Mr Brady, for the Speaker, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 247, entitled "An act relative to the salaries and compensation of members of the common council or other governing body in cities of the second class,"

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

The same gentleman, for the Speaker, introduced

Assembly Bill No 248, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating the granting by municipalities of consent to the use of streets, avenues, parks, parkways and other public places,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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

Mr Olwell, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 249, entitled "An act to change the name of Sarah Ann Backus,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 250, entitled "An act to change the name of Burtiss Davison Backus,"

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

Mr Tumulty, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 251, entitled "An act in relation to the price to be charged for electric current,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 252, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the government and regulation of the State prison,'" passed April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

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

The same gentleman, by request, introduced

Assembly Bill No 253, entitled "An act to provide for the compensation of attorneys and counselors-at-law and to provide a lien for such compensation and the method of fixing and enforcing the same,"

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

Mr Buck, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 254, entitled "An act to grant to the people of counties, or of towns, townships, boroughs, villages, cities and other municipalities, or wards therein, the power by popular vote to allow or refuse to allow the sale of intoxicating liquors in counties, or in towns, townships, boroughs, villages, cities and other municipalities or wards therein,"

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

Mr Klenert, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 255, entitled "An act to empower municipalities to establish and maintain plants for the treatment, disposal or rendering of sewage,"

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

Mr Earle, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 256, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act concerning the taxation of corporate property and providing for certain exemptions therefrom,' " approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,

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

Mr Daab, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 257, entitled "An act to provide for the distribution by the State of certain publications to the free public libraries of this State,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 258, entitled "An act to prevent the purchase or sale of tickets of admission to theaters or other places of amusement for the purpose of resale,"

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

Mr Taylor, by request, introduced

Assembly Bill No 259, entitled "An act making an appropriation for plans and estimates of cost for the improvement of Manasquan Inlet,"

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

Mr Wright, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 260, entitled "An act to abolish all present and future estates by courtesy,"

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

Mr Holcombe, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 261, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,' "

Which 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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
TRENTON, February 19th, 1907

Mr Speaker

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

Senate Bill No 11, entitled "An act to validate and confirm any election heretofore held in any city for the acceptance of any act authorized to be submitted at such election, as well as any election held for the adoption of a proposition under any such act, and to validate and confirm all bonds, contracts or other obligations issued, authorized or made under any such act or pursuant to any such proposition,"

Senate Bill No 38, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1896)," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,

Senate Bill No 56, entitled "An act to enable cities to erect a fire house upon city lands, equip the same and issue bonds in payment therefor,"

Senate Bill No 64, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seven,'" approved May twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and six,

And

Senate Bill No 81, entitled "An act concerning bonds,"

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

H L TYLER,
Secretary of Senate

The Senate message was then taken up, and

Senate Bill No 81, entitled "An act concerning bonds,"

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 64, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending

October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seven,'" approved May twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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

Senate Bill No 56, entitled "An act to enable cities to erect a fire house upon city lands, equip the same and issue bonds in payment therefor,"

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 38, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1896)," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,

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

Senate Bill No 11, entitled "An act to validate and confirm any election heretofore held in any city for the acceptance of any act authorized to be submitted at such election, as well as any election held for the adoption of a proposition under any such act, and to validate and confirm all bonds, contracts or other obligations issued, authorized or made under any such act or pursuant to any such proposition,"

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

Mr Holcombe, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads and Canals, announced that there will be a meeting of this committee in the Assembly Chamber, Monday, March 4th, 1907, at 2 o'clock P M, on

Assembly Bill No 63, entitled "An act concerning railroads, and providing for presumptive proof of negligence in any action brought hereafter in any court having jurisdiction over such action, and relative to certain effects of the violation of or failure to comply with, according to law, of any order of any board of commissioners now in existence or hereafter to be established in this state, concerning the safety of the premises on or through which any railroad in this state operates of or may hereafter operate, and which said premises are the property of or are under the

control of any such railroad, or concerning the safety of any tools, equipment, apparatus or other mechanical appliances or contrivances which are the property of, under the control or in use by any railroad in this state,"

Assembly Bill No 65, entitled "An act to regulate railroads and other common carriers in this state, creating a state board of commissioners to regulate and police railroads and other common carriers in this state, said board so created to be known as the 'State Board of Commissioners of Railroads and Public Utilities,' giving to them an official seal, to fix their salaries, define their powers (including among said powers the power to issue compulsory processes and use contempt proceedings), to prescribe their term of office, and the mode of the procedure and the rules of evidence to govern said board in the conduct of their hearings and in certain other of their proceedings, to prescribe penalties for the disobeying or contempt of the processes and orders of the said board of railroad commissioners, and providing further, for any other matters to make efficient such a board so established to police and regulate railroads,"

Assembly Bill No 66, entitled "An act concerning the compulsory furnishing of freight cars by any railroad or other carrier doing business in New Jersey, and providing a penalty to such railroad or other carrier for failing so to do"

And

Assembly Bill No 67, entitled "An act to prohibit unfair discrimination by railroads and other carriers of this state between different persons, sections, communities or localities and of unfair conditions, and providing penalties therefor"

Mr Breunig, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, announced

A meeting of said committee Monday, February 25th, 1907, at 5 P M, in Speaker's room

The Clerk read the following announcement

United States Senator-elect Frank O Briggs and State Treasurer-elect Daniel S Voorhees request the attendance of the members at a reception to be given in the Trenton House immediately after the close of this session

The Committee on Labor and Industries will meet Monday, February 25th, 1907, at 2 30 P M, in Speaker's room

There will be a meeting of the Committee on Game and Fisheries on Tuesday, March 5th next

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 29, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase of sites for and the erection and equipment of armories in cities of the first and second class, and making appropriations therefor, and to provide for the taking of real estate for such sites by commission in case the same cannot be purchased by agreement,'" approved March twenty third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

As amended,

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

On motion of Mr Tillman,

Assembly Bill No 64, entitled "An act constituting eight hours' service a full day's labor for persons employed in or about State penal institutions of this State,"

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

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 9, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to revise and amend an act for the taxation of railroad and canal property,'" approved April tenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, which act was approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

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

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 68, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Assembly Bill No 111, entitled "An act to establish a State reformatory for women, to provide for the government thereof and the commitment thereto of women convicted of crimes and other offences,"

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

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 173, entitled "An act relative to boards of tax commissioners or similar finance bodies in cities of the State,"

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

On motion of Mr Burk,

Assembly Bill No 5, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize cities in this state to purchase lands and erect suitable buildings for city purposes, and to sell lands and buildings now used for such purposes,'" approved April seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

With committee amendments,

Amend section two to read as follows

2 When in any city in this state the commission appointed under and by virtue of the act to which this is a supplement, and the governing body having charge of the finances of said city, have determined or may determine that any public ground or grounds and building or buildings that may be thereon may safely be spared or are not needed for public use, and said commission has determined that the same be sold at public sale by it for the purposes specified in said act, it shall be lawful for said governing body, upon the request of said commission to issue temporary loan bonds (bearing lawful interest) to an amount equal to ninety per centum of the appraised value of such public ground or grounds and building or buildings, or any part thereof, the proceeds from which shall be paid into the treasury of such city and carried to the credit of said commission, to be used by it as provided in section four of said act

Amend by adding the following sections

3 Before the issuing of any such bonds, the said governing body shall ascertain the value of such ground or grounds and building or buildings, and shall fix the same by resolution, which value when so fixed shall be the appraised value of such ground or grounds and building or buildings, and when such value is so fixed, the same shall not be changed, and upon such appraised valuation the said bonds shall be issued as aforesaid

4 The proceeds arising from the sale of any such ground or grounds, building or buildings, shall be used for the redemption of the bonds issued as last herein provided, and no part of the money received from the sale of said ground or grounds and building or buildings shall be used for any other purposes than the redemption of such bonds until all of such bonds shall have been paid and retired

5 This act shall take effect immediately

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

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 71, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase of sites for and the erection and equipment of armories in cities of the first and second class, and making appropriations therefor, and to provide for the taking of real estate for such sites by commission in case the same cannot be purchased by agreement,' approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, authorizing the purchase of land and the erection of a signal and telegraph corps armory in the city of Jersey City, in the county of Hudson and State of New Jersey, pursuant to the provisions and authority of the aforesaid act and of the amendments thereof and supplements thereto,"

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

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 191, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase of sites for and the erection and equipment of armories in cities of the first and second class in this state, and cavalry armories in municipalities of this state

wherein there is now or hereafter shall be located the headquarters of a troop of cavalry of the National Guard of this state which has been or shall have been in the service of this state not less than ten years, and making appropriations therefor, and to provide for the taking of real estate for such sites by commission in case the same cannot be purchased by agreement,' " title as amended approved April eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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

On motion of Mr Baker,

Assembly Bill No 162, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the fire department in cities of the first class,' " approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

Mr Brady moved that the rules be suspended, and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 179, entitled "An act to authorize the erection of town halls in towns of this state, and the purchase of lands whereon to erect said buildings,"

Was passed to a third reading, be reconsidered,

Which motion was carried

Mr Brady moved that the rules be suspended, and that

Assembly Bill No 179, entitled "An act to authorize the erection of town halls in towns of this state, and the purchase of lands whereon to erect said buildings,"

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Brady,

Assembly Bill No 179, entitled "An act to authorize the erection of town halls in towns of this state, and the purchase of lands whereon to erect said buildings,"

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amendments, proposed by Mr Brady, were read and adopted

Amend by striking out words "House of" and insert the word "General," so as to read "Senate and General Assembly"

Assembly Bill No 179, entitled "An act to authorize the erection of town halls in towns of this state, and the purchase of lands whereon to erect said buildings,"

As amended,

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr Brady, the rules were suspended, and it was read for the third time by its title and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—60

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the 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 Brady, Chairman of the Committee on Elections, reported

Senate Bill No 11, entitled "An act to validate and confirm any election heretofore held in any city for the acceptance of any act authorized to be submitted at such election, as well as any election held for the adoption of a proposition under any such act, and to validate and confirm all bonds, contracts or other obligations issued, authorized or made under any such act or pursuant to any such proposition,"

Favorably, without amendment

On motion of Mr Brady,

Senate Bill No 11, entitled "An act to validate and confirm any election heretofore held in any city for the acceptance of any act authorized to be submitted at such election, as well as any election held for the adoption of a proposition under any such act, and to validate and confirm all bonds, contracts or other obligations issued, authorized or made under any such act or pursuant to any such proposition,"

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

Mr Brady moved that the rules be suspended, and that

Senate Bill No 11, entitled "An act to validate and confirm any election heretofore held in any city for the acceptance of any act authorized to be submitted at such election, as well as any election held for the adoption of a proposition under any such act, and to validate and confirm all bonds, contracts or other obligations issued, authorized or made under any such act or pursuant to any such proposition,"

Be placed on third reading and final passage,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Brady,

Senate Bill No 11, entitled "An act to validate and confirm any election heretofore held in any city for the acceptance of any act authorized to be submitted at such election, as well as any election held for the adoption of a proposition under any such act and to validate and confirm all bonds, contracts or other obligations issued, authorized or made under any such act or pursuant to any such proposition,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridg

(Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—60

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, 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 Daab, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No 205, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Correctly printed

Mr Daab moved that the rules be suspended, and

Assembly Bill No 205, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was read for the third time by its title and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Grocl, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—57

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk

carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

The Clerk announced

A meeting of the Democratic Assemblymen in the Speaker's room immediately after this session All members requested to be present

A hearing will be given by the Committee on Corporations on Monday next, at 2 30 o'clock, in the committee room, on all bills now in the hands of the committee

Mr Klenert, Chairman on Rules, reported resolution by Mr. Riordan of January 14th, 1907, favorably

On motion of Mr Riordan that the said resolution be recommitted back to the committee for amendment,

Which motion was carried

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

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

The House then adjourned

FRIDAY, February 22d, 1907

At 10 30 o'clock A M the House met

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

Messrs Barber, Burk

Mr Burk, Speaker *pro tem*, in the chair

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

MONDAY, February 25th, 1907

House met at 8 o'clock P M

Prayer was offered by Rev P Benedict, of Newark, N J

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

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —57

Absent—Davison, Devine, Jr, Haines—3

On motion of Mr Klenert, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with

The Clerk read the following petitions

National Board of Trade,

Grace Presbyterian Church, Montclair, N J,

W C T U of Westwood, N J,

W C T U of Keyport, N J,

W C T U of Matawan, N J

Episcopal Church of Matawan, N J,

Citizens of Carpentersville, N J,

W C T U of Newark, N J,

W C T U of Bloomfield, N J,

Presbyterian and M E Churches of Branchville, N J,

Second Baptist Church of Newton, N J,

M E Church, Stanhope, N J,
First Presbyterian Church, Stanhope, N J,
M E Church, Woodstown, N J,
W C T U of Pitman Grove, N J,
Citizens of Pennington, N J,
Residents of Dividing Creek, N J,
State Federation of Women's Clubs,
W C T U, Rutherford, N J,
West Jersey Homeopathic Medical Society,
Town Improvement of Rutherford, N J,
Citizens of Hightstown, N J

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
February 25th, 1907

Mr Speaker

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

Resolved (the House of Assembly concurring), That the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey meet in joint session on Tuesday, the twenty-sixth day of February, instant, at twelve o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing a State Director of Railroads and Commissioners of Deeds,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

H L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

Mr Daab, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No 51, entitled "An act to authorize cities having a public water-supply derived from sources beyond the city limits to protect the same from pollution by providing for any

portion of the territory from which said water is derived or through which it flows a system of sewers or drains in order to take up, carry off and dispose of the sewage or other polluting matter, and providing also for the raising and expenditure of the money necessary for this purpose,"

And

Assembly Bill No 178, entitled "An act to provide for the purification of the Passaic river within the Passaic valley sewerage district, prohibiting the discharge of sewage or other polluting matter into said portion of said river after a fixed date, and authorizing municipalities lying in whole or in part within the Passaic valley sewerage district, from the territory of which sewage or other polluting matter is or may be discharged into said portion of said river, to enter into contracts with each other and with the Passaic valley sewerage commissioners for the intercepting and disposal of such sewage and other polluting matter, and to provide the necessary funds therefor,"

As correctly printed

The same gentleman also reported

Assembly Bill No 9, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to revise and amend an act for the taxation of railroad and canal property,'" approved April tenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, which act was approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Assembly Bill No 13, 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 29, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase of sites for and the erection and equipment of armories in cities of the first and second class, and making appropriations therefor, and to provide for the taking of real estate for such sites by commission in case the same cannot be purchased by agreement,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Assembly Bill No 43, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relative to the Princeton battle monument,'" approved April twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Assembly Bill No 64, entitled "An act constituting eight hours' service a full day's labor for persons employed in or about State penal institutions of this State,"

Assembly Bill No 68, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 71, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase of sites for and the erection and equipment of armories in cities of the first and second class, and making appropriations therefor, and to provide for the taking of real estate for such sites by commission in case the same cannot be purchased by agreement,' approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, authorizing the purchase of land and the erection of a signal and telegraph corps armory in the city of Jersey City, in the county of Hudson and State of New Jersey, pursuant to the provisions and authority of the aforesaid act and of the amendments thereof and supplements thereto,"

Assembly Bill No 76, 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,

Assembly Bill No 91, entitled "An act for the designation and appointment of an inspector of weights and measures in cities of the second class,"

Assembly Bill No 92, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a uniform standard of weights and measures in this State,'" passed on the seventeenth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one,

Assembly Bill No 111, entitled "An act to establish a State reformatory for women, to provide for the government thereof and the commitment thereto of women convicted of crimes and other offences,"

Assembly Bill No 127, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to the writ of certiorari (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 132, entitled "An act to facilitate the transaction of municipal business in cities of this State,"

Assembly Bill No 162, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the fire department in cities of the first class,'" approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 173, entitled "An act relative to boards of tax commissioners or similar finance bodies in cities of this State,"

Assembly Bill No 191, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase of sites for and the erection and equipment of armories in cities of the first and second class in this State, and cavalry armories in municipalities of this State wherein there is now or hereafter shall be located the headquarters of a troop of cavalry of the National Guard of this State which has been or shall have been in the service of this State not less than ten years, and making appropriations therefor, and to provide for the taking of real estate for such sites by commission in case the same cannot be purchased by agreement,'" title as amended approved April eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

And

Assembly Joint Resolution No 1, entitled "Joint resolution providing for the purchase of portraits of former Governors of this State,"

As correctly printed

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
February 25th, 1907

Mr Speaker

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has approved the bond and oath of Daniel S Voorhees as State Treasurer, and the same is presented to the House of Assembly for its consideration

H L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

Mr Alexander offered the following concurrent resolution, which was read and adopted

WHEREAS, There is an overwhelming sentiment throughout this State for the popular election of United States Senators, and

WHEREAS, The election of United States Senators by the people can only be accomplished by amendment of the constitution of the United States, therefore, be it

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That the Senators and Representatives in Congress from the State of New Jersey be and are hereby requested to use every effort to secure an amendment to the constitution of the United States providing for the election of Senators of the United States by direct vote of the people, and be it further

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That the passage of this resolution be considered a formal and solemn expression of the will of the people of New Jersey by their representatives in the Senate and General Assembly of New Jersey assembled, and be it further

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That a copy of this resolution, properly attested by the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Assembly, be immediately sent to each Senator and member of the House of Representatives from the State of New Jersey

Mr Morris, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No 255, entitled "An act to empower municipalities to establish and maintain plants for the treatment, disposal or rendering of sewage,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Riordan, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No 50, entitled "An act to regulate and fix the price of water furnished for domestic or other use in counties of the first class by purveyors of water enjoying the right to lay mains and pipes for the purpose of conducting water in or through the public streets, avenues, roads or highways of said counties,"

Assembly Bill No 99, entitled "An act to provide for water-supply for municipalities of this State,"

Assembly Bill No 155, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning carriers (Revision of 1904),'" approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

Assembly Bill No 170, entitled "An act to prevent frauds in the capitalization of associations and companies organized under the laws of this State,"

Assembly Bill No 171, entitled "An act to provide for the forfeiture and annulment of charters of corporations transacting business in restraint of State or inter-State trade and commerce,"

Assembly Bill No 174, entitled "An act to prevent the incorporation of trusts or companies in restraint of trade and commerce,"

Favorably, without amendment,

And

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 115, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the formation of railroad corporations and regulate the same'"

On motion of Mr Morris,

Assembly Bill No 76, 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,

Was recommitted

On motion of Mr Backus,

Assembly Bill No 148, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,'" which supplement was approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

On third-reading,

Was recommitted and placed back on second reading for amendment

On motion of Mr Brady, the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 179, entitled "An act to authorize the erection of town halls in towns of this state, and the purchase of lands whereon to erect said buildings,"

Was passed, be reconsidered

Which was done by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Frith, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—52

In the negative—None

On motion of Mr Brady,

Assembly Bill No 179, entitled "An act to authorize the erection of town halls in towns of this state, and the purchase of lands whereon to erect said buildings,"

Be recommitted for committee amendment

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the bond and oath of Daniel S Voorhees, State Treasurer, be referred to a special committee of three for examination

The Speaker then appointed on the special committee Messrs Klenert, Barber and Baader

Mr Brady, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 262, entitled "An act relating to the abolishment and elimination of all grade crossings of streets and highways over all the railroads in the State,"

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

Mr Wright, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 263, entitled "An act concerning the appointment of receivers for railroads by the Court of Chancery of New Jersey,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 264, entitled "An act to compel all railroads in this State to make switching connections with private sidings,"

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

Mr Auf der Heide, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 265, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act concerning cities of the first class in this State constituting municipal boards of excise commissioners therein and defining the powers and duties of such boards, and relating to the municipal affairs and departments of such cities placed under the direct control and management of such boards, and providing for the maintenance of the same,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

Mr Barber, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 266, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to enable cities to purchase land, erect buildings thereon and equip the same for fire department purposes,'" approved April seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

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

Mr Taylor, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 267, entitled "An act to provide meeting places, necessary supplies and to defray the expenses of the boards of taxation in counties of this State,"

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

Mr Merz, on leave introduced

Assembly Bill No 268, entitled "An act relating to liability of persons doing business in this State to their employes,"

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

Mr Baader, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 269, entitled "An act to authorize cities of the first class in this State to buy lands for and to equip and build city stables, and to provide the funds therefor,"

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

Mr Groel, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 270, entitled, "An act to incorporate the borough of Verona, in the county of Essex,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 271, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of speedways in the counties of this State,'" approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and two,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 272, entitled "An act to further amend section one of chapter one hundred and twenty-five of the laws of one

thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven entitled 'An act to authorize towns to renew matured bonds,'" approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, as the same was amended by chapter two of the laws of one thousand nine hundred,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 273, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the formation, establishment and government of towns,'" approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Which 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 Blohm, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 274, entitled "An act to provide for the recovery of damages in cases where the death of a person is caused by wrongful act, neglect or default" (Revision of 1907),

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

Mr Burk, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 275, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employes and operatives 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," which supplement was approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

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

Mr Perkins, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 276, entitled "An act to regulate the election of directors in certain companies,"

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

Mr Elvins, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 277, entitled "An act to prohibit sales of merchandise in bulk in fraud of creditors,"

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

Mr Morris, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 278, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled '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-third, one thousand nine hundred (Pamph L 1900, p 324),

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 279, entitled "An act to prevent trespassing and the destruction of notice to trespassers and providing a penalty therefor,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 280, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to enable incorporated towns to construct water works for the extinguishment of fires and supply the inhabitants thereof with pure and wholesome water,' " approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four (Gen Stat, p 3559),

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 281, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish in this State boards of health and a bureau of vital statistics and to define their respective powers and duties,'" approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven (Pamph L 1887, p 80),

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 282, entitled "An act to prohibit the use of the automatic shot gun in hunting birds or animals,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 283, entitled "An act to prohibit the use of the automatic shot gun, pump gun or repeating gun in hunting birds and animals,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 284, entitled "An act concerning negligence of employer,"

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

Mr Riordan, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 285, entitled "An act concerning prosecutors of the pleas and their assistants,"

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

Mr Crowther, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 286, entitled "An act to provide for the free distribution of diphtheria antitoxin to the inhabitants of this State,"

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

Mr Tumulty, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 287, entitled "An act regulating the employment of children in mercantile establishments,"

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

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 17, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting writs of error (Revision),'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—56

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

On motion of Mr Holzapfel,

Assembly Bill No 26, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes (Revision

of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was taken up, 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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Ji , Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—56

In the negative—None

Ordered that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Holzapfel

Assembly Bill No 28, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was taken up, 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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Ji , Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr , Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—52

In the negative was—

Mr Morris—1

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 73, entitled "An act to amend the negotiable instrument law relative to the payment of forged checks,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Elvins, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jones, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Wright, Ji —31

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Fake, Gibbs, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Meiz, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Stille, Tumulty, VanBlarcom —26

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Groel,

Assembly Bill No 4, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish public parks in certain counties of this State and to regulate the same,'" approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Collish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—52

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Perkins,

Assembly Bill No 45, 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,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Collish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr., Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Riordan, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—53

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of

Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Assembly Bill No 81, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of courts of law (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Van Blarcom, Wright, Jr—51

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Baker,

Assembly Bill No 74, entitled "An act regarding soldiers, sailors and marines honorably discharged from the United States service,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert,

Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Metz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —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 Alexander offered the following resolution which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Michael L Fagan, City Clerk of Jersey City

On motion of Mr Elvins,

Assembly Bill No 89, entitled "An act to compel the determination of titles to riparian lands and lands under water in which the state claims an estate in remainder or reversion and to quiet the title to the same,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Metz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —53

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 121, entitled "An act to change the name of Ginami Catesto Pettuto,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—54

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Crowther,

Assembly Bill No 122, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the establishment of a course in practical and scientific instruction in the art of clay working and ceramics in the State agricultural college,'" approved March seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and two,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—54

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Manson,

Assembly Bill No 130, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three

Was taken up, 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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corrish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Ji —52

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Brady,

Assembly Bill No 51, entitled "An act to authorize cities having a public water-supply derived from sources beyond the city limits to protect the same from pollution by providing for any portion of the territory from which said water is derived or through which it flows a system of sewers or drains in order to take up, carry off and dispose of the sewage or other polluting matter, and providing also for the raising and expenditure of the money necessary for this purpose,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Kleneit, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlaicom, Wright, Jr—53

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Groel,

Assembly Bill No 131, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning district courts (Revision of 1898),"' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," which supplement was approved February twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and one,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Kleneit, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—54

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 75, 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, 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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Frith, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—54

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Assembly Bill No 80, 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, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine,

Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlaricom, Wright, Jr—57

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Assembly Bill No 82, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the orphans' court and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the orphans' court and surrogates (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 98, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crime (Revision of 1898),'" ap-

proved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Kleneit, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Meiz, Pawelski, Peikins, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —27

In the negative were—

Messrs Blohm, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Fake, Hahn, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Morris, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor—24

Which motion was lost

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
February 25th, 1907

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 21, 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,

Senate Bill No 40, entitled "An act ceding to the United States jurisdiction over lands acquired for public purposes within this State,"

Senate Bill No 41, entitled "An act authorizing the Governor to cede to the United States certain lands under water in the Delaware river for the purpose of aiding in the improvement of said river,"

Senate Bill No 49, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the appointment of fire wardens, the prevention of forest fires and the repeal of sundry acts relating thereto,'" approved April eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Senate Bill No 69, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to trustees,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

And

Senate Bill No 28, 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,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

H L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

The Senate message was then taken up and

Senate Bill No 21, 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,

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 40, entitled "An act ceding to the United States jurisdiction over lands acquired for public purposes within this State,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Navigation

Senate Bill No 41, entitled "An act authorizing the Governor to cede to the United States certain lands under water in the Delaware river for the purpose of aiding in the improvement of said river,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Navigation

Senate Bill No 49, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the appointment of fire wardens, the prevention of forest fires and the repeal of sundry acts relating thereto,'" approved April eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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

Senate Bill No 69, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to trustees,'" 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 Miscellaneous Business

Senate Bill No 78, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning juries (Revision),'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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

Senate Joint Resolution No 2, entitled "Joint Resolution providing for the appointment of commissioners to ascertain the reasons for the large increase in the cost of constructing stone roads in the state and to investigate and report upon the advisability of the purchase and operation by the state of stone quarries for the purpose of supplying stone at cost to the several counties of this state for the permanent improvement of public roads, and keeping the same in repair, and the probable cost of such quarries and of equipping and operating the same,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business

The Clerk read the following announcements

A meeting of the Democratic Assemblymen in the Speaker's room to-morrow morning at 10 30 o'clock sharp

There will be a hearing on Bill No 7, in the Speaker's room, on Monday afternoon next, at 2 o'clock

There will be a meeting on revision of laws to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock

There will be a meeting of the Education Committee at 10 30 A M to-morrow to consider

Assembly Bill No 188, 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, nineteen hundred and three,

And

Assembly Bill No 211, entitled "An act to authorize the board of education of any township in this State to transfer any unused school building to the township in which said board of education is located, and to empower the township committee to use said building for municipal purposes"

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That when the House adjourn, it be to meet to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock

On motion of Mr Merz,

Assembly Bill No 57, entitled "An act for the better protection of game and game birds,"

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

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 147, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the preservation of crabs in the waters of the North and South Shrewsbury rivers and their tributaries,'" approved February sixth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

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

On motion of Mr Olwell,

Assembly Bill No 61, entitled "An act to regulate the hours of labor of mechanics, workmen and laborers employed upon the public works of the State of New Jersey, or upon the public works of any county, city, township or other municipality therein,"

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

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Assembly Bill No 79, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide for the amicable adjustment of grievances and disputes that may arise between employers and employes, and to authorize the creation of a state board of arbitrators,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, and the supplements thereto,

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

On motion of Mr Mead,

Assembly Bill No 116, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'Supplement to an act entitled "An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employes and operatives 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, approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

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

On motion of Mr Perkins,

Assembly Bill No 192, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employes and operatives 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,'"

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

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

On motion of Mr Jess,

Assembly Bill No 55, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),'" approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

And

Assembly Bill No 56, 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,

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

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 141, entitled "A supplement to 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, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Baker,

Assembly Bill No 104, entitled "An act to permit the retirement on pension from public office or position, after twenty-five years' continuous service therein, of widows of honorably discharged Union soldiers, sailors and marines who served in the War of the Rebellion,"

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

On motion of Mr Jess,

Assembly Bill No 158, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting writs of error (Revision),'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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

On motion of Mr Baker,

Assembly Bill No 195, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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

On motion of Mr Baker,

Assembly Bill No 197, entitled "An act entitled 'An act to encourage sports and pastimes on the first day of the week, commonly called Sunday,'"

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

On motion of Mr Lillagore,

Assembly Bill No 190, entitled "An act to annex to the borough of Bradley Beach a portion of the borough of Neptune City, in the county of Monmouth,"

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

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Assembly Bill No 203, entitled "An act for the protection of the health of females employed in manufacturing or mercantile establishments,"

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

On motion of Mr Groel,

Assembly Bill No 212, entitled "An act to require resident citizens to secure license before hunting or gunning within the State of New Jersey, and providing penalties for violation of its provisions,"

Assembly Bill No 214, entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'An act,'" approved April twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and two,

And

Assembly Bill No 215, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kind of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three, and which act to amend was approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

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

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 39, entitled "An act concerning advertisement for bids and the submission of proposals and the awarding of contracts for materials furnished or work done by public award in this state,"

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

The House then adjourned

TUESDAY, February 26th, 1907

House met at 11 o'clock

Prayer was offered by Rev W W Moffett, of Princeton, N J

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

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sul-

livan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —56

Absent—

Messrs Davison, Drake, Manson, Smalley—4

On motion of Mr Klenert, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with

Petitions were presented by the following,

First Baptist Church, Paterson, N J,

M E Church, Hackettstown, N J,

M E Church, Penns Grove, N J,

Park M E Church, Elizabeth, N J,

Baptist Church, Hightstown, N J,

Congregation of Baptist Church, Hightstown, N J,

W C T U, Succassunna, N J

Mr Riordan offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to Mayor Jos P Riordan, of Harrison, N J

Mr Alexander reported

Senate Bill No 78, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning juries (Revision),'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Favorably, and without amendment

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the special committee on bond of State Treasurer, made the following report

FEBRUARY 26th, 1907

Your committee to which was referred the bond of State Treasurer Daniel S Voorhees respectfully approve the same, and recommend the concurrence of the House in the resolution approved by the Senate

ABRAM KLENERT,
ALFRED N BARBER,
JOHN J BAADER

Mr Daab, Chairman on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No 5, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize cities in this state to purchase lands and erect suitable buildings for city purposes, and to sell lands and buildings now used for such purposes,'" approved April seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 146, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide a capital fund to be used for the opening, widening, vacating and other such improvements of streets in cities of the first class in this state,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and six,

And

Assembly Bill No 150, entitled "An act to provide funds to be used for opening and vacating streets and highways, and for curbing, recurbing, grading and regrading, flagging and reflagging streets and highways so opened or widened, in cities of the first class in this state,"

As correctly printed

Mr Morris, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No 12, entitled "An act to authorize cities of the first class to contract to supply water to certain other municipalities in this state,"

Assembly Bill No 42, entitled "An act to authorize any city of this state to use any land which has or may have machinery or appliances available for an electric plant, to convert said property into an electric light plant, acquiring the necessary additional machinery and appliances, and operate and maintain such plant and to furnish electric light, heat and power therefrom for private or public use in said city or in any neighboring municipality, and to make contracts for the construction of such plant and for the operation thereof by any contractor for a limited period,"

Favorably, without amendment,

And

Assembly Bill No 22, entitled "An act to authorize cities in this state to construct and maintain trolley tracks and appliances in the public streets and places and to run trolley cars thereon, and to collect fares for the transportation of the passengers, or to lease the said tracks and appliances or the right to run cars on said tracks and to transport passengers thereon, and to provide the funds necessary for this purpose,"

Assembly Bill No 224, entitled "An act to authorize boards of street and water commissioners in cities of the first class in this state to open, widen, vacate, grade, regrade, curb, recurb, flag and reflag streets in such cities without appropriations for the cost thereof being first made,"

With committee amendment,

And

Assembly Bill No 245, entitled "An act providing for the reimprovement of any street, avenue, road or highway, or the portion of such street, avenue, road or highway lying in part only in one town, which has been heretofore improved and for which improvement assessments for benefits have been heretofore levied and imposed, and for the issue of bonds to pay for said improvement,"

And

Assembly Bill No 37, entitled "An act concerning the time of payment of assessments of benefits of public improvements in municipalities of this state,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Morris reported

Senate Bill No 56, entitled "An act to enable cities to erect a fire house upon city lands, equip the same and issue bonds in payment therefor,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Brady, Chairman of the Committee on Elections, reported

Assembly Bill No 25, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act relative to the time of election and appointments and terms of office of officers elected or appointed in cities in this state,' "

approved February twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and one,

And

Assembly Bill No 225, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act relative to the time of election and appointment and terms of office of officers elected or appointed in towns, townships, boroughs and other municipalities in this state,'" approved February fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Mead, Chairman of the Committee on Labor and Industries, reported

Assembly Bill No 20, entitled "An act to provide for the payment by railroad companies of wages in lawful money of the United States every two weeks,"

Assembly Bill No 90, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employes and operatives 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 204, entitled "An act regulating the employment of children in mercantile establishments,"

Assembly Bill No 231, entitled "An act for the protection of laborers and mechanics engaged in the construction of buildings,"

And

Assembly Bill No 88, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employes and operatives 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,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Assembly Bill No 137, entitled "An act for the sale in fee of land purchased by any taxing district for taxes, assessments or water rents (Revision of 1905),"

Assembly Bill No 139, entitled "An act amending an act entitled 'An act relating to the court of common pleas (Revision of 1900),'"

Assembly Bill No 182, entitled "An act in relation to the expenditure of public moneys,"

Assembly Bill No 189, entitled "An act to authorize the boards of chosen freeholders in the several counties of this state to enter into an agreement with the sheriffs of their respective counties in relation to the support, provision and maintenance of prisoners in the county jails and workhouses in such counties,"

Assembly Bill No 222, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to the writ of certiorari (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 244, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning paid fire departments in certain municipalities of this state, and for the relief of members thereof, their widows, dependent parents and children,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

And

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 6, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Favorably

The Clerk announced a meeting of the Committee on Corporations, Monday afternoon, March 4th, at 2 30, for a hearing on all bills

There will be a meeting of the Committee on Commerce and Navigation on Tuesday, March 5th, at 11 o'clock

Mr Morris, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, announced a public hearing on Monday afternoon, March 4th, at 4 o'clock, on

Assembly Bill No 76, 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,

Assembly Bill No 148, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,'" which supplement was approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

And all other bills in the hands of said committee

Mr Tumulty, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, announced a meeting on Monday evening, at 7 o'clock, to consider all bills now before said committee

Mr Auf der Heide, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships, reported

Assembly Bill No 48, entitled "An act regulating the salaries of members of the boards of council or other governing bodies of towns, incorporated as such, in this State,"

Assembly Bill No 235, 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,

And

Assembly Bill No 109, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the formation, establishment and government of towns,'" approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Assembly Bill No 142, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the orphans' court and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the orphans' court and surrogates (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No 185, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting the orphans' court, and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the orphans' court and surrogates (Revision),' " approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

And

Assembly Bill No 40, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to define the duties and to fix the salary of the attorney-general,' "

With committee amendments,

And committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 1, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase of voting machines, and to regulate the use of the same at elections,' " approved April twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and five

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

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon J W Rufus Besson, a former member of this House

Mr Tumulty moved that the following resolution, which was reported favorably by the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, be adopted

WHEREAS, The House of Representatives of the United States has recently passed an act which will abolish all the United States pension agencies and centralize the payment of pensions in one agency at Washington, which act is now before the Senate of the United States for consideration, and

WHEREAS, The abolition of the pension agencies now located at New York City and Philadelphia will work a hardship upon those pensioners of the United States residing in New Jersey, whose pensions for services in the Mexican, Civil and Spanish Wars and in the regular army and navy service are paid through said agencies,

Resolved, That the United States Senators from New Jersey be and they are hereby respectfully requested to oppose the passage of said act,

Resolved, That the Clerk of this House forthwith mail a copy of this resolution to each of said Senators

Mr Barber moved that the resolution be made Concurrent Resolution No 4, and offered the following amendment

That in the third paragraph, instead of the first line as at present, the line read "*Be it resolved* (the Senate concurring), That the United States Senators and members of the House of Representatives from New Jersey"

Also, that the words "*Resolved,* That the Clerk of this House forthwith mail a copy of this resolution to each of said Senators," be stricken out,

In which amendments the House concurred

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 173, entitled "An act relative to boards of tax commissioners or similar finance bodies in cities of this state,"

Be placed back on second reading

Mr Hendrickson moved that

Assembly Bill No 173, entitled "An act relative to boards of tax commissioners or similar finance bodies in cities of this state,"

Be referred back to committee

House reconvened

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

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Brenig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lothbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —56

Absent—

Messrs Davison, Drake, Smalley, Tillman—4

Mr Earle, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 288, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

Mr Buxton, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 289, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the use of power vessels and boats navigating the waters within the jurisdiction of this State above tide water and to provide for the inspection and licensing of power vessels, their masters, pilots and engineers,'" approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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

Mr Brady, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 290, entitled "An act concerning the admittance of children under the age of fourteen to dance houses, concert saloons, museums, skating rinks, places wherein theatrical performances are being presented by paid performers, or places of entertainment that may be injurious to their health or morals,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 291, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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

Mr Potter, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 292, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the planting and care of shade trees on the

highways of the municipalities of this State,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three,

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

Mr Baader, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 293, entitled "An act to change the name of Joseph Klausmann,"

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

Mr Perkins, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 294, entitled "An act authorizing boroughs to issue bonds to redeem improvement certificates issued for the payment of the cost of public improvements,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 295, entitled "An act to set off territory from the borough of Mountainside, in the county of Union, and annex the same to the town of Westfield, in said county,"

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

Mr Lewis, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 296, entitled "An act making appropriation for the purpose of improving the building and preserving the records of the Surveyor-General's office of the western division of this State,"

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

Mr Tumulty, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 297, entitled "A bill, giving to the voters a power of direct legislation in municipal government,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 298, entitled "A bill, giving to the electors an advisory vote in proposing legislation,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 299, entitled "A bill, giving to the voters a veto power over the acts of their representatives in municipal governments,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 300, entitled "A bill for the establishment of an optional referendum system whereby the electors of the State may register their opinion upon the acts of their legislative agents,"

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

Mr Klenert, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 301, entitled "An act to authorize the return of money paid as fines in certain cases,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 302, entitled "An act concerning rewards,"

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

Mr Ridgway, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 303, entitled "An act establishing the standard of measurement for the sale of milk, skimmed milk or cream and providing penalties for violations thereof,"

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

Mr Riordan, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 304, entitled "An act to provide for the election of a mayor in incorporated towns of this State and to regulate his duties and term of office,"

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

Mr Lane, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 305, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1898),'" approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,

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

The same gentleman, by request, introduced

Assembly Bill No 306, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 307, entitled "An act concerning the overseer of the poor and assistant to the overseer of the poor in cities of the first class,"

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

Mr Sullivan, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 308, entitled "A further supplement to 'An act to regulate fees,'" approved April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

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

Mr Hendrickson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 309, entitled "An act to authorize cities of the first class to contract to supply water to persons, companies or corporations outside of its territorial limits,"

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

At the request of Mr Wright, the unanimous consent of the House was given for the withdrawal from the files of

Assembly Bill No 263, entitled "An act concerning the appointment of receivers for railroads by the Court of Chancery of New Jersey,"

And

Assembly Bill No 264, entitled "An act to compel all railroads in this State to make switching connections with private sidings"

Mr Crowther, by request, introduced

Assembly Bill No 310, entitled "An act to enable any municipality of this State to grant permission to any duly incorporated ferry company to use the foot of any public street or streets ending on the tidal waters of this State as a terminal for a public ferry,"

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

On motion of Mr Klenert, the House then took a recess until 2 30 P M

AFTERNOON SESSION

House reconvened at 2 30 P M

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

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlaicom, Wright, Jr —54

Absent—

Messrs Burk, Drake, Devine, Jr, Jones, Smalley, Stille—6

Mr Baker, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 311, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of South Plainfield, in the county of Middlesex,"

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

Mr Riordan, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 312, entitled "A general act to regulate rates and charges for water and water service made by corporations other than municipal corporations, or municipalities owning or operating any water plant, vending water or furnishing water service, and establishing certain maximum rates and charges therefor,"

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

Mr Firth, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 313, entitled "A supplement to 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 provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession (Revision of 1903)," approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three, approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and four,' " which amendatory act was approved June nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six (Pamph L 1906, ch 317, p 699),

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

Mr Wright, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 314, entitled "An act to compel all railroads in this State to make switching connections with private sidings,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 315, entitled "An act concerning the appointment of receivers for railroads by the Court of Chancery of New Jersey,"

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

Mr Breunig, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 316, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' " approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

Mr Blohm, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 317, entitled "A general act concerning rates and charges for the transportation of passengers over and on the railroads of and within this State and establishing certain maximum rates and charges for such transportation,"

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

Mr Crowther, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 318, entitled "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 was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations

On motion of Mr Baader,

Assembly Bill No 178, entitled "An act to provide for the purification of the Passaic river within the Passaic valley sewerage district, prohibiting the discharge of sewage or other polluting matter into said portion of said river after a fixed date, and authorizing municipalities lying in whole or in part within the Passaic valley sewerage district, from the territory of which sewage or other polluting matter is or may be discharged into said portion of said river, to enter into contracts with each other and with the Passaic valley sewerage commissioners for the intercepting and disposal of such sewage and other polluting matter, and to provide the necessary funds therefor,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Kleneit, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlaicom, Wright, Jr —54

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Assembly Bill No 111, entitled "An act to establish a State reformatory for women, to provide for the government thereof and the commitment thereto of women convicted of crimes and other offenses,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Riordan, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlaicom, Wright, Jr —48

In the negative were—

Messrs. Gibbs, Lewis—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

On motion of Mr Thompson,

Assembly Bill No 43, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relative to the Princeton battle monument,'" approved April twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Earle, Elvins, Ep-

pinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—52

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Tillman,

Assembly Bill No 64, entitled "An act constituting eight hours' service a full day's labor for persons employed in or about state penal institutions of this state,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—50

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 68, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—44

In the negative were—

Messrs Gibbs, Moxon, Perkins, Ridgway—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

On motion of Mr Daab,

Assembly Bill No 92, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a uniform standard of weights and measures in this state,'" passed on the seventeenth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Metz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—50

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr. Wright,

Assembly Bill No 29, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase of sites for and the erection and equipment of armories in cities of the first and second class, and making appropriations therefor, and to provide for the taking of real estate for such sites by commission in case the same cannot be purchased by agreement,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Was taken up, 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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Buik, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Kleneit, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Riordan, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—49

In the negative was—

Mr Sullivan

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Buik,

Assembly Bill No 5, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize cities in this state to purchase lands and erect suitable buildings for city purposes, and to sell lands and buildings now used for such purposes,'" approved April seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—51

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No 78, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning juries (Revision),'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—47

In the negative were—

Messrs Baker, Riordan—2

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Senate Bill No 56, entitled "An act to enable cities to erect a fire house upon city lands, equip the same and issue bonds in payment therefor,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Metz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins Potter, Riordan, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —50

In the negative—None

On motion of Mr Baker, the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 197, entitled "An act entitled 'An act to encourage sports and pastimes on the first day of the week, commonly called Sunday,'"

Was placed on second reading,

Was reconsidered

The same gentleman moved that

Assembly Bill No 197, entitled "An act entitled 'An act to encourage sports and pastimes on the first day of the week, commonly called Sunday,'"

Be recommitted,

Which motion was adopted

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Assembly Bill No 255, entitled "An act to empower municipalities to establish and maintain plants for the treatment, disposal or rendering of sewage,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chap-

lin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Frith, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr , Holcombe, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —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

On motion of Mr Auf der Heide,

Assembly Bill No 50, entitled "An act to regulate and fix the price of water furnished for domestic or other use in counties of the first class by purveyors of water enjoying the right to lay mains and pipes for the purpose of conducting water in or through the public streets, avenues, roads or highways of said counties,"

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

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 174, entitled "An act to prevent the incorporation of trusts or companies in restraint of trade and commerce,"

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

On motion of Mr Merz,

Assembly Bill No 115, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the formation of railroad corporations and regulate the same,' "

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

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 12, entitled "An act to authorize cities of the first class to contract to supply water to certain other municipalities in this state,"

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

On motion of Mr Baader,

Assembly Bill No 224, entitled "An act to authorize boards of street and water commissioners in cities of the first class in this state to open, widen, vacate, grade, regrade, curb, recurb, flag and reflag streets in such cities without appropriations for the cost thereof being first made,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and the following amendment was offered by Mr Baader

Section 2, line 5, erase "five" insert "four"

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 245, entitled "An act providing for the re-improvement of any street, avenue, road or highway, or the portion of such street, avenue, road or highway, lying in part only in one town, which has been heretofore improved and for which improvement assessments for benefits have been heretofore levied and imposed, and for the issue of bonds to pay for said improvement,"

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

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Assembly Bill No 90, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employes and operatives 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,

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

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Assembly Bill No 204, entitled "An act regulating the employment of children in mercantile establishments,"

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

On motion of Mr Brady,

Assembly Bill No. 231, entitled "An act for the protection of laborers and mechanics engaged in the construction of buildings,"

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

On motion of Mr Perkins,

Assembly Bill No 88, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employes and operatives 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,

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

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Assembly Bill No 137, entitled "An act for the sale in fee of land purchased by any taxing district for taxes, assessments or water rents (Revision of 1905),"

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

On motion of Mr Olwell,

Assembly Bill No 182, entitled "An act in relation to the expenditure of public moneys,"

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

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Assembly Bill No 189, entitled "An act to authorize the boards of chosen freeholders in the several counties of this State to enter into an agreement with the sheriffs of their respective counties in relation to the support, provision and maintenance of prisoners in the county jails and workhouses in such counties,"

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

On motion of Mr Kleneit,

Assembly Bill No 244, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning paid fire departments in certain municipalities of this State, and for the relief of members thereof, their widows, dependent parents and children,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

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

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Assembly Bill No 6, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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

On motion of Mr Morris,

Assembly Bill No 235, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the incorporation of cities, and providing for their officers, government and powers,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

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

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 109, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled An act to provide for the formation, establishment and government of towns,'" approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

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

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 142, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the orphans' court and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the orphans' court and

surrogates (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and ninety-eight,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and the following amendments were offered by Mr Hahn

Strike out the words "a counsellor-at-law," on the first line, and second line of section two, and insert the words, "an attorney-at-law"

Upon the adoption of the amendment, the bill, as amended, was ordered to be printed and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 185, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting the orphans' court, and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the orphans' court and surrogates (Revision),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and the following amendments proposed by Mr Klenert

Strike out the word "all" in the sixth line, and insert the word "any"

Upon the adoption of the amendment, the bill, as amended, was ordered to be printed and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 40, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to define the duties and to fix the salary of the attorney-general,'"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and the following amendment proposed.

Amendment by Mr Klenert—

Strike out the word "nine" on the fourth line and insert the word "ten,"

Which amendment was adopted

Upon the adoption of the amendment, the bill was ordered to be printed and to have a third reading.

On motion of Mr Holcombe,

Assembly Bill No 1, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase of voting machines, and to regulate the use of the same at elections,'" approved April twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

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

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 222, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to the writ of certiorari (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

On motion of Mr Hahn, the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 98, 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 placed on third reading,

Which motion was lost

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 98, entitled "'An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Be referred back to committee

The yeas and nays were asked

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Manson, Mead, Metz, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Ridgway, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty VanBlarcon, Wright, Jr—39

In the negative were—

Messrs Hendrickson, Jr, Jess, Lewis, Morris, Tillman—5

The Speaker declared the motion carried

On motion of Mr Hendrickson, the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 173, entitled "An act relative to boards of tax commissioners or similar finance bodies in cities of this state,"

Was placed on second reading be reconsidered,

Which motion was adopted

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 173, entitled "An act relative to boards of tax commissioners or similar finance bodies in cities of this state,"

Be recommitted

On motion of Mr Perkins,

Assembly Bill No 192, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employes and operatives 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,' "

Be placed back on second reading

Mr Perkins moved that

Assembly Bill No 192, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employes and operatives 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,' "

Be referred to Committee on Labor and Industries

Mr Baker, Chairman of the Committee on Bill Revision, reported

Assembly Bill No 197, entitled "An act entitled 'An act to encourage sports and pastimes on the first day of the week, commonly called Sunday,' "

With committee amendment

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Committee substitutes for

Assembly Bill No 30, entitled "An act to provide for the publishing of a verbatim report of the deliberations of the legislature,"

Assembly Bill No 31, entitled "An act to provide stenographers to the legislature, to fix their salaries and to define their duties,"

Assembly Bill No 32, entitled "An act to create the office of state printer of legislative proceedings, to prescribe the fees for said office and to define his duties,"

Assembly Bill No 33, entitled "An act concerning the comptroller of the State of New Jersey, and to confer the power on the said comptroller and to authorize the said comptroller to fix the rate of fees and pay the same to the state printer of legislative proceedings,"

And

Assembly Bill No 35, entitled "An act to provide for the public distribution of the verbatim reports of the proceedings of the legislature,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Backus, Chairman of the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions, reported

Assembly Bill No 19, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of South Plainfield, in the county of Middlesex and State of New Jersey,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Alexander, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No 34, entitled "An act supplementary to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),' being chapter two hundred and thirty-five of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, and the several acts amendatory and supplementary thereto, and making it a high misdemeanor to falsely publish any official report of the proceedings of the legislature,"

With committee amendment

Mr Klenert announced a hearing in the Assembly Chamber, Monday, March 4th, at 2 30 P M , on

Assembly Bill No 118, entitled "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating and brewed liquors,' " ' passed March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight," approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, which supplement was approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Assembly Bill No 47, entitled "An act to repeal chapter one hundred and fourteen of the laws of one thousand nine hundred and six, entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating and brewed liquors,' passed March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,' " approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine," which supplement was approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

And

Assembly Bill No 254, entitled "An act to grant to the people of counties, or of towns, townships, boroughs, villages, cities and other municipalities, or wards therein, the power by popular vote to allow or refuse to allow the sale of intoxicating liquors in counties, or in towns, townships, boroughs, villages, cities and other municipalities or wards therein,"

The following petition was received

First Baptist Church of Mount Holly, N J

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

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

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
February 26th, 1907

Mr Speaker

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

Proposed amendment to the constitution,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

H L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

Senate message was referred to Committee on Judiciary

At the request of Mr Earle, the unanimous consent of the House was given for the withdrawal from the files of

Assembly Bill No, 288, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three

The House then adjourned

FRIDAY, March 1st, 1907

At 10 o'clock A M the House met

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

Messrs Klenert, Lethbridge, Burk

Mr Burk, Speaker *pro tem*, in the chair

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

MONDAY, March 4th, 1907

House met at 8 o'clock P M

Prayer was offered by Rev M S Waters, of Newark, N J

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

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagoie, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlaicom, Wright, Jr—57

Absent—

Messis Buck, Gibbs, Moxon—3

On motion of Mr Klenert, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with

The following petitions were read by the Clerk

Voters from Collingswood, N J,

M E Sabbath-School, Pensauken, N J,

W C T U, Collingswood, N J,

Eastside Young Women's W C T U, Camden, N J,

Y C T U, Blackwood, N J,

Y C T U, Camden, N J,

Y C T U, Haddon Heights, N J,

Lillian M Stevens Y C T U, Camden, N J,

Y W C T U, Camden, N J,

Y W C T U, Haddonfield, N J,

W C T U, Merchantville, N J,
Y C T U, Camden, N J,
Central Y C T U, Camden, N J,
Y C T U, East Orange, N J,
Pilgrims' Society of Friends, Trenton, N J,
First Baptist Church, Trenton, N J,
Grace Baptist Church, Trenton, N J,
W C T U, Trenton, N J,
Passaic Baptist Church, Passaic, N J,
Olivet Baptist Church, Trenton, N J,
Men's Club, M E Church, Summit, N J,
Sixth Presbyterian Church, Newark, N J,
M E Church, Hurffville, N J,
Y C T U, Orange, N J,
Y C T U, Princeton, N J,
Y C T U, Trenton, N J,
Presbyterian Church, Norwood, N J,
Y C T U, Bayonne City, N J,
Westminster Congregation

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 4th, 1907

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 48, entitled "An act to authorize the erection of a monument in Huddy Park, in the township of Dover, county of Ocean, in this State, to commemorate the capture of Toms River block house and the burning of Toms River village by the British

in the revolutionary war, to appoint a commission to erect said monument and to appropriate money to pay for erecting said monument,"

Senate Bill No 14, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase of voting machines and to regulate the use of the same at elections,'" approved April twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Senate Bill No 71, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for short courses in practical and scientific agriculture in the State agricultural college,'" approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Senate Bill No 75, entitled "An act concerning free public libraries in certain cities of this State,"

Senate Bill No 83, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation of pathological and anatomical associations for the advancement of medical and surgical science,"

Senate Bill No 93, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable the board of chosen freeholders of any county in this State to erect, construct and maintain a viaduct between two or more municipalities, and to extend roads to connect with such viaduct, and to acquire lands for the same, and to issue bonds for the payment of the cost of the erection, construction and acquisition thereof,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

And

Senate Joint Resolution No 1, entitled "Whereas, The people of this State are confronted with an unreasonable increase in the price of coal in winter, and of ice in summer, brought about, it is popularly believed, by monopolies created under the corporation laws of this State, therefore,"

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

H L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

Mr Groel offered the following Assembly Joint Resolution No 2

WHEREAS, The people of Northern New Jersey are now smarting under a burning sense of shame at the acts of discrimination and other tyrannies practiced on the taxpayers of Essex county in the matter of coal at the Newark City Home at Verona, in said county, therefore, be it

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That the Speaker of the House of Assembly appoint four members of the Assembly and the President of the Senate three members of the Senate, who shall constitute a joint committee to sit during the session and after adjournment during the recess of the Legislature to investigate the Erie Railroad Company and all other railroad companies and other corporations and other persons in confederation and conspiracy with said Erie Railroad Company, in refusing to furnish transportation for coal to and for the City Home at Verona, in Essex county

2 This resolution shall take effect immediately,

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Railroads and Canals

Mr Olwell offered the following Concurrent Resolution No 5

Resolved (the Senate concurring herein), That a joint committee, consisting of three members of each House, to be named by the Speaker and the President of the Senate, respectively, be appointed to sit during the present session of the Legislature, or after its adjournment, and investigate and report to the next session of the Legislature upon the franchises of public service corporations throughout this State, whether such franchises have been, or assumed to have been, granted by the State or any of the counties and municipalities thereof, such investigation shall have particular reference to the terms of such franchises, duration thereof, and the use, non-use or misuse thereof,

Resolved further, That if such committee be of opinion, after such investigation, that enactments by the Legislature will affect improvements in the granting of such franchises and the exercise thereof, that such committee prepare and recommend for adoption by the next Legislature such bills as in their judgment may be appropriate

Mr Barber offered an amendment to refer resolution to the Committee on Judiciary

Mr Olwell moved that the amendment to the Concurrent Resolution lay on the table

The Speaker thereupon called for the yeas and nays on the motion to lay amendment on the table, which motion was carried by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blehm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Sullivna, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—30

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Fake, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman —25

The Speaker declared the motion carried

Mr Alexander offered the following Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 3

Resolved, That the following amendment to the constitution of this State be and the same is hereby proposed, and when the same shall be agreed to by a majority of the members elected to the Senate and House of Assembly, the said amendment shall be entered on their journals with the yeas and nays thereon, and referred to the Legislature next to be chosen, and published for three months prior to the first Tuesday after the first Monday of November next, in at least one newspaper of each county, to be designated by the President of the Senate, the Speaker of the House of Assembly and the Secretary of State

Strike out section one of article four and insert the following The Senate shall be composed of members annually elected for three years by the legal voters of this State, one Senator from

each Senate district, which Senate districts shall be apportioned among the counties of this State, as nearly as may be, according to the number of their inhabitants, but each Senator shall be voted for only by the legal voters of one Senate district The Legislature shall in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine, and at its first session after each United States decennial census thereafter, and not oftener, divide and arrange each county of this State into a district or districts for the election therein of a Senator or Senators, each Senate district so constituted shall contain, as nearly as practicable, an equal number of inhabitants, and shall consist of convenient and contiguous territory in a compact form, *provided,* that each county shall at all times be entitled to at least one member, and the whole number of members to be chosen shall never exceed thirty-five

The Court of Errors and Appeals is hereby invested with the exclusive original jurisdiction and with full power, under such procedure as it may by rules prescribe, to review any division and arrangement made by the Legislature into Senate districts of this State for the purpose of determining whether such arrangement and division, or any part thereof, is in accordance with or in conflict with this section, and if in conflict herewith, to adjudge the same, or such part thereof as may be in conflict herewith, null and void, in case said court shall determine such arrangement and division, or any part thereof, to be null and void, the Legislature shall proceed to make a new arrangement and division, entire or partial, as the action of the court may require

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

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

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon J Fagan, a former member of this House

Mr Lane offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon William Cardwell, mayor of East Orange

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

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Isaac Schoen, mayor of the City of Orange

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Francis J Van Noort, sheriff of Passaic county

Mr Olwell offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Thomas J Maloney, of Jersey City

Mr Breunig offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon William H F Fielder, a former member of this House

Mr Burk offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Judge Rees, a former member of this House

Mr Cattell offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the congratulations of this House are hereby extended to the Hon Thomas C Elvins, the newly appointed postmaster of Hammonton

Mr Lane offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Edward Haitt, a former member of this House

Mr Pawelski offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. J Smith, of Passaic county

Mr Wright offered the following Assembly Joint Resolution No 3

WHEREAS, The improper conduct of the Fish and Game Commission of this State has become a matter of common knowledge and a public scandal, and

WHEREAS, It is alleged that the sum of one hundred and forty thousand dollars is missing and unaccounted for, and

WHEREAS, The President of the said Fish and Game Commission has failed to make good on his promise to thoroughly investigate said commission, therefore be it

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That the President of the Senate appoint three Senators, and the Speaker of the House appoint four members of the Assembly, who shall constitute a joint committee, to sit during the recess of the Legislature and take testimony as to the cause of said shortage, and investigate thoroughly, otherwise, all the administration acts of said board,

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries

Mr Klenert offered the following Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 4

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That the following amendment to the constitution of this State be and the same is hereby proposed, and when the same shall be agreed to by a majority of the members elected to the Senate and to the House of Assembly, the said amendment shall be entered on their journals with the yeas and nays taken thereon, and referred to the Legislature next to be chosen, and published for three months previous to the first Tuesday after the first Monday of November next, in at least one newspaper of each county, to be designated by the President of the Senate, the Speaker of the House of Assembly and the Secretary of State, payment for such publication to be made by the Treasurer on the warrant of the Comptroller

First Strike out paragraph ten of section seven of article four, and change the numbers of the following paragraphs to correspond

Second Change paragraph ten of article five so as to read as follows

10 The Governor, the Chancellor, the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court and two citizens of the State, appointed by the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, shall constitute the Board of Pardons The members of said board, or any three of them, of whom the Governor shall be one, may remit fines and forfeitures, and grant reprieves, commutations, pardons and paroles, after conviction in all cases except impeachment The two members specially appointed shall hold office for five years, and receive for their services a compensation which shall not be diminished during the term of their appointment

Third Change section one of article six so as to read as follows

SECTION 1

The judicial power shall be vested in a court for the trial of impeachments, a Supreme Court, county courts and such other courts, inferior to the Supreme Court, as may be established by law

Fourth Strike out all of sections two, four, five, six and seven of article six, change the number of section three of article six to section two, and insert the following sections in article six

SECTION III

Any judge of any of the courts of the State may be removed for disability continuing for one year, or for refusal to perform the duties of his office, by a vote of two-thirds of all the members of the Senate and of two-thirds of all the members of the House of Assembly, voting separately, after a hearing before both Houses in joint session

SECTION IV

The Supreme Court shall be organized in three divisions, namely The Appeals Division, the Law Division and the Chancery Division It shall consist of a presiding justice of the Appeals Division, who shall be styled the Chief Justice, a presiding justice of the Law Division, who shall be styled the President

Justice, and a presiding justice of the Chancery Division, who shall be styled the Chancellor, and eighteen associate justices, which number may be increased by law

The Appeals Division shall consist of the Chief Justice and six other justices of the Supreme Court, to be assigned by the Governor A justice of the Supreme Court, assigned by the Governor to the Appeals Division, shall serve in said division until the end of his term

The remaining justices shall be assigned by the Supreme Court to the Law or Chancery Division, as the business of the court may require

Whenever the number of causes before the Appeals Division shall be so great that the division cannot promptly hear and determine them, the Governor shall, when authorized by statute, temporarily assign five of the justices of the other divisions to sit in the Appeals Division, which shall thereupon sit in two divisions, for the hearing and decision of causes pending at the time of such assignment

Four justices shall be necessary to constitute a quorum on the final hearing of any cause in the Appeals Division On the hearing of a cause in the Appeals Division no justice who has given a judicial opinion in the cause in favor of or against the judgment, order or decree under review shall sit at the hearing to review such judgment, order or decree, but the reasons for such opinion shall be assigned to the court in writing

A majority of all the members of the Supreme Court, to be presided over by the Chief Justice, shall constitute a quorum for the assignment of justices, and for the appointment of officers and the enactment of rules pursuant to authority conferred upon the Supreme Court by the constitution or by law

The Supreme Court shall appoint one or more reporters, not exceeding three, to report the decisions of the court, and shall by rule define his or their duties and powers The reporters shall hold office for five years, subject, however, to removal at the discretion of the court

SECTION V

The Appeals Division shall have and exercise the appellate jurisdiction heretofore possessed by the Court of Errors and Appeals, the jurisdiction heretofore possessed by the Supreme Court on writ of error, and the jurisdiction heretofore possessed by the Prerogative Court on appeal, and by the Ordinary on appeal, and such further appellate jurisdiction as may be conferred upon it by law, together with such original jurisdiction as may be incident to the complete determination of any cause on review The jurisdiction heretofore possessed by the Supreme Court and the justices thereof not hereby conferred on the Appeals Division, and the jurisdiction heretofore possessed by the Circuit Courts and the judges thereof, and such further original common law jurisdiction as may be conferred by statute, shall be exercised by the Law Division of the Supreme Court and by the justices thereof, subject to rules prescribed by the Supreme Court

The jurisdiction heretofore possessed by the Prerogative Court and the Ordinary, not hereby conferred on the Appeals Division, and the jurisdiction heretofore possessed by the Court of Chancery and the Chancellor, and such further original equity jurisdiction as may be conferred by statute, and such further original jurisdiction as is now conferrable on the Prerogative Court, shall be exercised by the Chancery Division, and the justices thereof, with such control and supervision by the Chancellor as shall be provided by statute

Terms of the Supreme Court presided over by a single justice of the Law Division for the trial of issues joined in or brought to the Law Division of the Supreme Court shall be held in the several counties at times fixed by the Supreme Court Until so fixed, such trial terms shall be held at the places and times now fixed by law for the holding of the Courts of Common Pleas in the several counties

The Supreme Court may provide by rule for the transfer of any cause or issue from the Law Division to the Chancery Division, or from the Chancery Division to the Law Division of the Supreme Court, and from the county court to the Law Division or the Chancery Division of the Supreme Court, and for the giving

of complete legal and equitable relief in any cause in the court or division where it may be pending Nothing herein contained shall prevent the alteration, by law, of any statutory power or jurisdiction conferred upon any court or judge since the adoption of the constitution in the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-four, and nothing herein contained shall prevent the Legislature from conferring upon any inferior court which may hereafter be established such power or jurisdiction as was exercised by or which may now be conferred upon the inferior courts mentioned in section one of article six of the constitution of one thousand eight hundred and forty-four

SECTION VI

The county courts shall have and exercise in all cases within the county such original common law jurisdiction concurrent with the Supreme Court, and such other jurisdiction heretofore exercised by courts inferior to the Supreme Court and the Prerogative Court as may be provided by law The final judgments of the county courts may be brought for review before the Supreme Court in the Appeals Division Until otherwise provided, the jurisdiction heretofore exercised by the Courts of Common Pleas, Orphans' Courts, Courts of Oyer and Terminer, Courts of Quarter Sessions, or by the judges thereof, shall be exercised by the county courts pursuant to rules prescribed by the Supreme Court The justices of the Law Division of the Supreme Court shall be *ex-officio* judges of the county courts All other jurisdiction or authority now vested in any court, judge or magistrate with jurisdiction inferior to the courts in this section mentioned, and not superseded by this article, shall continue to be exercised by such court, judge or magistrate until the Legislature shall otherwise provide

SECTION VII

This amendment to the constitution shall not cause the abatement of any suit or proceeding pending when it takes effect The Supreme Court shall make such general and special rules and orders as may be necessary for the transfer of all suits and proceedings to the appropriate division or court created by this amend-

ment Matters pending when this amendment takes effect shall be decided by the judge or judges to whom they were submitted, and the order, judgment or decree made or advised by said judge shall be entered as that of the division or court to which the suit or proceedings shall have been transferred

Fifth Strike out paragraphs one, two, five and eight of section two of article seven and substitute the following paragraphs in place of paragraphs one and two, and change the numbers of the paragraphs following five to correspond

1 The Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, the President Justice of the Law Division, the Chancellor and the associate justices of the Supreme Court shall be nominated by the Governor and appointed by him, with the advice and consent of the Senate They shall not be less than thirty-five years of age and shall have been practicing attorneys in the State for at least ten years They shall hold office for the term of seven years, shall, at stated times, receive for their services a compensation which shall not be diminished during their term of office, and they shall hold no other office under the government of the State, or of the United States, and shall not engage in the practice of law during their term of office The Chancellor and the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, and the Vice-Chancellors and Associate Justices of the Supreme Court, in office when this amendment takes effect, shall be Justices of the Supreme Court until the expiration of their respective terms

2 The Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, shall appoint one judge of the county court in each county, and such additional county judge or judges in any county as may be authorized by law The county judges shall not be less than thirty years of age and shall have been practicing attorneys in this State for at least five years , They shall hold office for the term of five years, shall at stated times receive for their services such compensation, which shall not be diminished during their term of office, as the Legislature in its discretion shall fix for each county, and they shall hold no other office under the government of the State or of the United States, and shall not engage in the practice of the law during their term of office The judges of the Common Pleas, in office when this amendment takes effect, shall

be judges of the county courts until the expiration of their present terms

3 This amendment shall take effect on the first Monday in February in the year next following its adoption by the people

4 The Legislature shall pass all laws necessary to carry into effect the provisions of the constitution and this amendment thereof,

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Mr Groel, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Assembly Bill No 211, entitled "An act to authorize the board of education of any township in this State to transfer any unused school building to the township in which said board of education is located, and to empower the township committee to use said building for municipal purposes,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Hendrickson, Chairman of the Committee on Militia, reported

Assembly Bill No 239, entitled "An act to regulate the keeping of employment agencies in this State,"

Favorably, with committee amendment

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Assembly Bill No 118, entitled "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating and brewed liquors,' " ' passed March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight," approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, which supplement was approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Favorably, with the following committee vote

Ayes—Messrs Klenert, Alexander, Wright—3

Nays—Messrs Perkins, Jones—2

Mr Holcombe, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads and Canals, reported

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 154, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

And

Assembly Bill No 163, entitled "An act extending the time for completing certain railroads,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Breunig, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Assembly Bill No 165, entitled "An act to regulate the practice of chiropody in the State of New Jersey, to license chiropodists and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,"

Favorably, without amendment

The same gentleman reported

Assembly Bill No 230, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a sanatorium for persons afflicted with tuberculous diseases and to provide for the selection of a site and the erection of buildings therefor and the government thereof,'" approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Backus, Chairman of the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions, reported

Assembly Bill No 234, entitled "An act to enable adjoining towns, townships and boroughs to form a city government,"

With committee amendment

Mr Auf der Heide, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships, reported

Assembly Bill No 49, entitled "An act abolishing the office of collector of arrears of taxes in towns, incorporated as such, in this State,"

As amended, the fourth section having been stricken out,

And committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 304, entitled "An act to provide for the election of a mayor in incorporated towns of this State and to regulate his duties and term of office,"

And

Assembly Bill No 232, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the formation, establishment and government of towns,'" approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Auf der Heide, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships, reported

Senate Bill No 49, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the appointment of fire wardens, the prevention of forest fires and the repeal of sundry acts relating thereto,'" approved April eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Daab, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No 141, entitled "A supplement to 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,

Assembly Bill No 142, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the orphans' court and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the orphans' court and surrogates (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No 1, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase of voting machines, and to regulate the use of the same at elections,'" approved April twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Assembly Bill No 6, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No 143, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable cities in this State on or near the ocean, and embracing within their limits or jurisdiction any beach or ocean front, to open and lay out a public park or place for public resort or recreation, on and along the beach or ocean front of such city, and to purchase or condemn lands, property and rights therefor, and to preserve the same from obstruction or encroachment,'" approved April twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, constituting chapter ninety-three of the session laws of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,

Assembly Bill No 144, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to empower boards of aldermen, councilmen or other governing bodies of cities, towns or boroughs of this State to give notice of intention to pass ordinances for any public improvement,'" approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Assembly Bill No 11, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),'" approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Assembly Bill No 18, entitled "An act to incorporate the borought of South Bound Brook,"

Assembly Bill No 40, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to define the duties and to fix the salary of the Attorney-General,"

Assembly Bill No 52, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate and license pawnbrokers,'" approved April twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Assembly Bill No 56, 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 57, entitled "An act for the better protection of game and game birds,"

Assembly Bill No 61, entitled "An act to regulate the hours of labor of mechanics, workmen and laborers employed upon the public works of the State of New Jersey, or upon the public works of any county, city, township or other municipality therein,"

Assembly Bill No 79, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide for the amicable adjustment of grievances and disputes that may arise between employers and employes, and to authorize the creation of a State Board of Arbitrators,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, and the supplements thereto,

Assembly Bill No 90, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employes and operatives 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 104, entitled "An act to permit the retirement on pension from public office or position, after twenty-five years' continuous service therein, of widows of honorably discharged Union soldiers, sailors and marines who served in the War of the Rebellion,"

Assembly Bill No 114, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),"'" approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, which amendment was approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 115, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the formation of railroad corporations and regulate the same,'"

Assembly Bill No 147, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the preservation of crabs in the waters of the North and South Shrewsbury rivers and their tributaries,'" approved February sixth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Assembly Bill No 174, entitled "An act to prevent the incorporation of trusts or companies in restraint of trade and commerce,"

Assembly Bill No 185, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting the orphans' court, and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the orphans' court and sur-

ogates (Revision),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand ight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No 190, entitled "An act to annex to the borough f Bradley Beach a portion of the borough of Neptune City, in he county of Monmouth,"

Assembly Bill No 195, entitled "A supplement to an act entiled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'" pproved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-ight,

Assembly Bill No 203, entitled "An act for the protection of he health of females employed in manufacturing or mercantile stablishments,"

Assembly Bill No 204, entitled "An act regulating the employnent of children in mercantile establishments,"

Assembly Bill No 212, entitled "An act to require resident itizens to secure license before hunting or gunning within the State of New Jersey, and providing penalties for violation of its rovisions,"

Assembly Bill No 215, entitled "An act to amend an act entiled 'An act for the protection of certain kind of birds, game and ish, to regulate their method of capture and provide open and close easons for such capture and possession (Revision of 1903),'" pproved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three, nd which act to amend was approved April fifth, one thousand ine hundred and four,

Assembly Bill No 224, entitled "An act to authorize boards of treet and water commissioners in cities of the first class in this State to open, widen, vacate, grade, regrade, curb, recurb, flag nd reflag streets in such cities without appropriations for the ost thereof being first made,"

Assembly Bill No 231, entitled "An act for the protection of aborers and mechanics engaged in the construction of buildings,"

Assembly Bill No 235, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the incorporation of cities, and providing for heir officers, government and powers,'" approved March twentyourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Assembly Bill No 255, entitled "An act to empower municipalities to establish and maintain plants for the treatment, disposal or rendering of sewage,"

Assembly Bill No 116, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'Supplement to an act entitled "An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employes and operatives 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, approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Assembly Bill No 126, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the permanent improvement of public roads in this State,' " approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and five,

And

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 3,

As correctly printed,

Also,

Assembly Bill No 189, entitled "An act to authorize the boards of chosen freeholders in the several counties of this State to enter into an agreement with the sheriffs of their respective counties in relation to the support, provision and maintenance of prisoners in the county jails and workhouses in such counties,"

Assembly Bill No 109, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the formation, establishment and government of towns,' " approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Assembly Bill No 158, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting writs of error (Revision),' " approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy four,

Assembly Bill No 245, entitled "An act providing for the re improvement of any street, avenue, road or highway, or the portion of such street, avenue, road or highway, lying in part only in one town, which has been heretofore improved and for which

improvement assessments for benefits have been heretofore levied and imposed, and for the issue of bonds to pay for said improvement,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Alexander moved that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 68, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was passed be reconsidered

Mr Wright objected to motion as being out of order

Mr Alexander withdrew motion to reconsider

Mr Alexander moved that

Assembly Bill No 68, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Be recalled from the Senate

The yeas and nays were called for, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Metz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlaicom —49

In the negative were—

Messrs Groel, Haines, Tillman, Wright—4

The Speaker declared the motion to withdraw carried

On motion of Mr Olwell,

Assembly Bill No 127, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to the writ of certiorari (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Be recommitted to committee

Mr Olwell moved that the vote by which Senate Concurrent Resolution was lost be reconsidered

The Speaker referred Senate Concurrent Resolution to the Committee on Judiciary

Mr Hendrickson moved that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 95, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),"' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," which supplemental act was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was placed on third reading be reconsidered and placed back on second reading,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Hendrickson that

Assembly Bill No 95, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),"' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," which supplemental act was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Be recommitted for amendment,

Which motion was carried

Mr Tumulty, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 319, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to informations in the nature of a quo warranto (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

Mr Mead, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 320, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning District Courts (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety eight,

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

Mr Klenert, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 321, entitled "An act concerning a proposed amendment to the constitution relating to the judiciary, adapting thereto the structure and practice of the courts, which amendment has been agreed to by a majority of the members elected to the Senate and House of Assembly at the election held in one thousand nine hundred and six,"

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

Mr Chaplin, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 322, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'Supplement' to the act entitled "A general act relative to boroughs (Revision of 1897),"'" approved April nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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

Mr Auf der Heide, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 323, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to improve the conditions of tenement-houses of this State and to establish a State board of tenement-house supervision,'" approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and four (P L, p 96),

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

Mr Devine, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 324, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to facilitate the aquirement of land and the erection of buildings for county purposes,'" approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and one,

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

Mr Haines, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 325, entitled "An act permitting certain boards of education to convey school houses and lands to the boroughs or other municipalities in which they are situated,"

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

Mr Metz, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 326, entitled "An act concerning the payment of wages to employes by persons, firms or corporations in this State,"

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

Mr Gioel, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 327, entitled "An act to provide for admission of attorneys-at-law, residents of this State, to practice as counsellors-at-law in the courts of this State,"

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

Mr Lewis, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 328, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the incorporated cities, towns, townships and boroughs of this State to fund their floated indebtedness and their matured and maturing bonds," approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,'" and which amendment was approved February eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and one,

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

Mr Lane, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 329, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the appointment, term of office and salary of assessors in certain cities in this State, and prescribing their duties,'" approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and five,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 330, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act for the incorporation of cities and providing for their officers, government and powers," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,'" approved June twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 331, entitled "An act to abolish amendatory appropriations and taxes in cities of the second class and to regulate the appropriations of money and the levy of taxes therein,"

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

The same gentleman, by request, for the Speaker, introduced

Assembly Bill No 332, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

Mr Morris, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 333, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize incorporated towns or townships to construct sewers, drains and sewerage disposal plant or plants, and to provide for the cost thereof,'" approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and five, constituting chapter seventy-seven of the session laws of one thousand nine hundred and five,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 334, entitled "A supplement to the act entitled 'An act to authorize towns and townships to construct sewers, drains and sewerage disposal plant or plants, and to provide for the cost, maintenance and operation thereof,' the original act, before amendment, constituted chapter seventy-seven of the session laws of one thousand nine hundred and five and was entitled 'An act to authorize towns and townships to construct sewers, drains and sewerage disposal plant or plants and to provide for the cost thereof,'"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 335, entitled "An act to authorize the erection of a monument on the battlefield of Bloody Angle Court House, in the county of Spottsylvania, in the State of Virginia, and a tablet on the battlefield of Salem Church, in the county of Spottsylvania, in the State of Virginia, to commemorate the services of the Fifteenth Regiment, New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, in the battles of Bloody Angle Court House and Salem Church, both in the county of Spottsylvania, and other engagements of the Civil War, and to appropriate money to pay the cost of the erection and dedication of the same,"

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

Mr Alexander, for the Speaker, introduced

Assembly Bill No 336, 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 was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws

Mr Eppinger, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 337, entitled "An act providing for the reimprovement of any street, avenue, road or highway, or the portion of such street, avenue, road or highway, lying in part only in one town, township or borough, which has heretofore been improved and for which improvement assessments for benefits have been heretofore levied and imposed, and for the issue of bonds to pay for said reimprovement,"

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

Mr Pawelski, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 338, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to prevent the adulteration of food or drugs,' " approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one (P L 1881, p 283),

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

Mr Holzapfel, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 339, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,' " approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

Mr Perkins, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 340, entitled "An act concerning the making and collecting of assessments for benefits conferred by the construction of sewers,"

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

Mr Crowther, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 341, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the better regulation and control of the taking, planting and

cultivating of oysters on lands lying under the tidal waters of the Delaware bay and Maurice river cove, in the State of New Jersey," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,' which supplemental act was approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and five, and which supplement thereto was approved May twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and five, and extending the provisions of said supplemental act, and extending the provisions of said original act, to certain lands under the tidal waters in Raritan bay, in the State of New Jersey, to wit lands comprehended by the following lines Beginning at the watch-house at Canaskonk point, on the shore of Raritan bay, thence, in a straight line to the government buoy, known as East Point Buoy, thence, on a true course west southwest, to the point where said course intersects a line drawn on a course due north from Cliffwood point, thence, on a true course south, to Cliffwood point, thence along the shore line to the place of beginning,"

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

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Assembly Bill No 319, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to informations in the nature of a quo warranto (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Favorably, without amendment

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 146, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide a capital fund to be used for the opening, widening, vacating and other such improvements of streets in cities of the first class in this State,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—53

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Hahn, the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 150, entitled "An act to provide funds to be used for opening and vacating streets and highways, and for curbing, recurbing, grading and regrading, flagging and reflagging streets and highways so opened or widened, in cities of the first class in this State,"

Was passed on third reading, be reconsidered

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 150, entitled "An act to provide funds to be used for opening and vacating streets and highways, and for curbing, recurbing, grading and regrading, flagging and reflagging streets and highways so opened or widened, in cities of the first class in this State,"

Be placed back on second reading for purpose of amendments

Mr Baker offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon M P Cronin, of the city of Bayonne

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved That when the House adjourns, it be to meet tomorrow morning at 10 30 o'clock

On motion of Mr Baker,

Assembly Joint Resolution No 1, entitled "Joint resolution providing for the purchase of portraits of former governors of this State,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Manson, Mead, Merz, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —33

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Davison, Drake, Elvins, Haines, Irick, Lewis, Lillagore, Morris, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Tillman—21

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the 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 House then adjourned

TUESDAY, March 5th, 1907

House met at 10 30 o'clock A M

Prayer was offered by Rev John D Miller, of Newark, N J

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

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—52

Absent—

Messrs Chaplin, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Gibbs, Moxon, Taylor, Tillman—8

On motion of Mr Klenert, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with

The following petition was read by the Clerk

M E Church, Pensauken, N J

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

Assembly Bill No 292, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the planting and care of shade trees on the highways of the municipalities of this State,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Brady, Chairman of the Committee on Elections, reported

Assembly Bill No 85, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No 228, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 227, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

And

Assembly Bill No 291, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Mead, Chairman of the Committee on Labor and Industries, reported

Assembly Bill No 275, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employes and operatives 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," which supplement was approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Morris, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No 266, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to enable cities to purchase land, erect buildings thereon and equip the same for fire department purposes,'" approved April seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Assembly Bill No 269, entitled "An act to authorize cities of the first class in this State to buy lands for and to equip and build city stables, and to provide the funds therefor,"

Assembly Bill No 278, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled '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-third, one thousand nine hundred (Pamph L 1900, p 324),

Assembly Bill No 280, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to enable incorporated towns to construct water works for the extinguishment of fires and supply the inhabitants thereof with pure and wholesome water,' " approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four (Gen Stat, p 3559),

And

Assembly Bill No 309, entitled "An act to authorize cities of the first class to contract to supply water to persons, companies or corporations outside of its territorial limits,"

Favorably, without amendment,

And

Assembly Bill No 229, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act in relation to county expenditures,' " approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

With committee amendment,

And

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 8, entitled "An act to regulate the civil service of the State of New Jersey and of the various municipalities thereof "

Mr Tumulty, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, reported

Assembly Bill, No 169, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable the boards of chosen freeholders of any of the several counties of this State to construct and reconstruct bridges over and across navigable rivers or streams therein, in certain cases, and providing for the regulation thereof,' " approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two,

And

Assembly Bill No 296, entitled "An act making appropriation for the purpose of improving the building and preserving the records of the Surveyor-General's office of the western division of this State,"

Favorably, and without amendment

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Senate Bill No 64, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seven,'" approved May twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and six,

And

Senate Bill No 81, entitled "An act concerning bonds,"

Favorably

Mr Daab, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No 319, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to informations in the nature of a quo warranto (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

As correctly printed

Mr Alexander, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No 202, entitled "An act to regulate the importation of dependent children and providing a penalty for violation thereof,"

Assembly Bill No 58, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting conveyances (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Favorably,

And

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 221, entitled "An act to regulate the registry of voters in this State,"

Assembly Bill No 87, entitled "A supplement to an act concerning roads (Revision)," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No 98, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crime (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

And

Assembly Bill No 59, 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 committee amendment

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Resolution of Mr Riordan of January 14th, 1907,

Favorably

Mr Riordan offered the following resolution, which was read

WHEREAS, Much confusion has heretofore been caused by the hasty passage of ill-considered legislation during the last hours of the legislative session, therefore

Be it Resolved, By the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey

1 That no bill shall be passed by the Legislature of nineteen hundred and seven unless the same be introduced at least ten days prior to the adjournment of the Legislature

2 This resolution shall take effect immediately

Mr Elvins offered the following amendment to the resolution before section two

Provided, however, this resolution shall not apply to the regular or supplemental appropriation "bills"

On motion of Mr Riordan, the concurrent resolution, as amended, was adopted

Mr Manson offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon George C Henry, a former member of this House

Mr Riordan offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Charles K Hart, of Jersey City

Mr Baker offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon John P Egan, Surrogate of Hudson county

Mr Buck offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon James Fielder, a former member of this House

Mr Groel offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon J Harry Bacheller, ex-Senator of Essex county

Mr Earle offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon A Peterson, a former member of this House

Mr Holcombe offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon O I Farley, County Clerk of Hunterdon county

Mr Holzapfel offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Peter Stillwell, a former member of this House

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That fifty additional Legislative Manuals for the year 1907 be provided to meet the deficiency in the supply for the officers of the House

Mr Holcombe, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 342, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of goods, wares and merchandise in the several municipalities of this State,'" approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six (P L 1906, p 201),

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 343, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of goods, wares and merchandise in the several municipalities of this State,'" approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six (P L 1906, p 199),

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

Mr Potter, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 344, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the erection of a monument on the battlefield of Monocacy, in the State of Maryland, to commemorate the services of the Fourteenth Regiment, New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, in the battle of Monocacy and thirty other engagements of the Civil War, and to appropriate money to pay the expense of erecting the same,'" approved April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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

Mr Wright, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 345, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act authorizing the sale of land granted or devised to religious associations, or to corporations formed or existing for the purpose of education, or to officers or trustees of such corpo-

rations in certain cases,' " approved April seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

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

Mr Breunig, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 346, entitled "An act to provide for a commissioner of buildings in each of the cities of the first class in this State, defining his duties and powers, and relating to the municipal affairs of such cities placed under the management of such commissioner,"

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

Mr Lane, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 347, entitled "An act to authorize the construction and establishment of public docks and the shipping facilities connected therewith, and the purchasing and acquiring of riparian lands and rights of other lands and rights in land necessary therefor or incident thereto, and for the regulation of the same in cities fronting on navigable waters of this State,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 348, entitled "An act to permit real estate belonging to any city of the first class, a portion or all of which is not required for the purposes for which it was acquired, to be used for a hospital for persons suffering from tuberculosis, and to provide for the maintenance and supervision of said hospital,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 349, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to the time of election and appointment and

terms of office or officers elected or appointed in towns, townships, boroughs and other municipalities in this State,' " approved February fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 350, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to incorporate trustees of religious societies,' " approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

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

Mr Buck, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 351, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Port Norris, in the county of Cumberland,"

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

Mr Pawelski, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 352, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning superintendents of indoor relief in cities of this State,' " approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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

Mr Burk, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 353, entitled "An act to create county sinking fund commissions and defining their powers,"

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

Mr Groel, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Assembly Bill No 316, 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 manage-

ment thereof,' " approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Holcombe, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads and Canals, announced a hearing on

Assembly Bill No 288, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),' " approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 214, entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'An act,' " approved April twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and two,

And

Assembly Bill No 215, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession (Revision of 1903),' " approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three, and which act to amend was approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

In the Speaker's room, on Monday, March 11th, at 2 30 P M

Mr Baader, Chairman of the Committee on Commerce and Navigation, reported

Assembly Bill No 259, entitled "An act making an appropriation for plans and estimates of cost for the improvement of Manasquan Inlet,"

Senate Bill No 40, entitled "An act ceding to the United States jurisdiction over lands acquired for public purposes within this State,"

And

Senate Bill No 41, entitled "An act authorizing the Governor to cede to the United States certain lands under water in the Delaware river for the purpose of aiding in the improvement of said river,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Morris, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

A meeting of the Committee on Municipal Corporations on Monday, March 11th, at 4 P M

Mr Tumulty, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, reported

Assembly Bill No 257, entitled "An act to provide for the distribution by the State of certain publications to the free public libraries of this State,"

And

Assembly Bill No 258, entitled "An act to prevent the purchase or sale of tickets of admission to theatres or other places of amusement for the purpose of resale,"

Favorably

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 132, entitled "An act to facilitate the transaction of municipal business in cities of this State,"

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 Alexander, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Kleneit, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Mead, Meiz, Moxon, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, Van-Blaricom, Wright, Jr—52

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Assembly Bill No 13, 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, 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 Alexander, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlaricom, Wright, Jr —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

On motion of Mr Jess,

Assembly Bill No 158, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting writs of error (Revision),'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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 Alexander, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Thompson, Tillman, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —48

In the negative was—

Mr Perkins—1

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Riordan,

Assembly Bill No 126, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the permanent improvement of public roads in this State,' " approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and five,

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 Alexander, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fuith, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Kleneut, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Mead, Metz, Morris, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—46.

In the negative was—

Mr Fake—1

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Mead,

Assembly Bill No 116, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'Supplement to an act entitled "An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employes and operatives 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, approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

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 Alexander, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Gioel, Hahn, Haines, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Kleneit, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Mead, Morris, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr. —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 Riordan, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No 38, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1896),'" approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,

Favorably

Mr Lillagore moved that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 126, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the permanent improvement of public roads in this State,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Was passed, be reconsidered

Mr Lillagore moved that the bill be recommitted back on third reading

Mr Riordan moved that the motion of Mr Lillagore to recommit

Assembly Bill No 126, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the permanent improvement of public roads in this State,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Be laid on the table

The Speaker declared both motions out of order

Thereupon the vote was taken upon the consideration of the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 126, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the permanent improvement of public roads in this State,' " approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Was passed with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Gioel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Stille, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—32

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Fake, Haines, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman—24

On motion of Mr Baader,

Assembly Bill No 224, entitled "An act to authorize boards of street and water commissioners in cities of the first class in this State to open, widen, vacate, grade, regrade, curb, recurb, flag and reflag streets in such cities without appropriations for the cost thereof being first made,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Fake, Firth, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead,

Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlaicom, Wright, Jr—51

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

On motion of Mr Gioel,

Assembly Bill No 212, entitled "An act to require resident citizens to secure license before hunting or gunning within the State of New Jersey, and providing penalties for violation of its provisions,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buxton, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Drake, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—36

In the negative were—

Messrs Baader, Barber, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Fiith, Gibbs, Haines, Holcombe, Iiick, Jess, Lewis, Morris, Potter, Ridgway, Stille, Thompson—20

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

The Clerk read the following announcement

There will be a meeting of the Committee on Game and Fisheries in the Speaker's room immediately after the adjournment

Recess until 2 30 P M

AFTERNOON SESSION

House reconvened at 2 30 P M

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

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr , Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr , Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Stillman, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —53

Absent—

Messrs Davison, Drake, Gibbs, Jones, Lillagore, Manson, Tillman—7

On motion of Mr Klenert, the House was placed under call,

Which motion was carried

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

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr , Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr , Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —54

Absent—

Messrs Davison, Drake, Gibbs, Lillagore, Manson, Tillman—6

On motion of Mr Holcombe,

Assembly Bill No 1, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase of voting machines, and to regulate the use of the same at elections,'" approved April twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Metz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Riordan, Stille, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—38

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Buck, Bulk, Buxton, Chaplin, Crowther, Davison, Devine, Jr, Fake, Gibbs, Haines, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman—20

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 191, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase of sites for and the erection and equipment of armories in cities of the first and second class in this State, and cavalry armories in municipalities of this State wherein there is now or hereafter shall be located the headquarters of a troop of cavalry of the National Guard of this State which has been or shall have been in the service of this State not less than ten years, and making appropriations therefor, and to provide for the taking of real estate for such sites by commission in case the same cannot be purchased by agreement,'" title as amended approved April eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—58

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 109, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the formation, establishment and government of towns,'" approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—57

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Assembly Bill No 204, entitled "An act regulating the employment of children in mercantile establishments,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —54

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Assembly Bill No 203, entitled "An act for the protection of the health of females employed in manufacturing or mercantile establishments,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis,

Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—57

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Baker,

Assembly Bill No 195, 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, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—58

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Lillagore,

Assembly Bill No 190, entitled "An act to annex to the borough of Bradley Beach a portion of the borough of Neptune City, in the county of Monmouth,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—57

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 185, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting the orphans' court, and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the orphans' court and surrogates (Revision),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davision, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—58

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Merz,

Assembly Bill No 115, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the formation of railroad corporations and regulate the same,'"

Be placed back on second reading,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Jess,

Assembly Bill No 114, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),"'" approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, which amendment was approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—57

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Assembly Bill No 90, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work

hours of persons, employes and operatives 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;

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlaricom, Wright, Jr—44

In the negative were—

Messrs Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Davison, Drake, Gibbs, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Manson, Potter, Ridgway, Stille, Taylor—15

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Blohm,

Assembly Bill No 118, entitled "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating and brewed liquors,' " ' passed March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight," approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, which supplement was approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was taken up and considered by sections

The Committee on Judiciary offered the following amendment to

Assembly Bill No 118, entitled "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating and brewed liquors,' " ' passed March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight," approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, which supplement was approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

After the word "building," on the twenty-fifth line of page four, insert the word "entirely,"

Which amendment was adopted

Mr Sullivan offered the following amendment to

Assembly Bill No 118, entitled "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating and brewed liquors,' " ' passed March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight," approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, which supplement was approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

In section six, line fourteen, strike out the word "eighteen" and substitute the word "twenty-one" in place thereof,

Which amendment was carried

Mr Barber offered the following amendment to

Assembly Bill No 118, entitled "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating and brewed liquors,' " ' passed March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight," approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, which supplement was approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Add the following to section seven, beginning at the end of said section as now printed "A legal voter at the election provided for in this act shall be any male person entitled to vote at any regular election and any female person over twenty-one years of age who shall have lived five years in the United States and one year in New Jersey, *provided,* said female person shall register for the purpose of this election in accordance with the method prescribed for the registry of male persons,"

Which amendment was declared lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Barber, Buck, Buik, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Fake, Haines, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Moxon, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman —27

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Fith, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —31

Assembly Bill No 118, entitled "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating and brewed liquors,' " passed March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight," approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, which supplement was approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

As amended,

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

Mr Hahn, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, announced a meeting of the committee immediately after the session

Mr Riordan, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, announced a hearing by said committee on Monday, the eleventh instant, at 2 30 o'clock, on all bills now in the hands of said committee

On motion of Mr Barber, recess was taken until 7 30

NIGHT SESSION

House reconvened at 7 30

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

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —57

Absent—

Messrs Drake, Gibbs, Perkins—3

Mr Taylor, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 354, entitled "An act regulating the construction and maintenance of hospitals, sanitariums or other buildings designed for the care, entertainment, board, maintenance, treatment or cure of any person or persons afflicted with the disease known as pulmonary tuberculosis, or any infectious, contagious or communicable disease,"

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

Mr Moxon, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 355, entitled "An act to authorize the city council or other governing body of any city in this State bordering on an arm of the sea or other navigable stream, or through which a navigable stream shall run, to purchase or condemn lands thereon, or to use and devote such lands already acquired on such arm of the sea or other navigable stream for the purpose of erecting, constructing and maintaining one or more public docks, wharves or piers, to be used in whole or in part for recreation purposes, to issue bonds for the purpose of securing money to pay for the lands purchased and for the construction of said docks, wharves or piers,"

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

Mr Barber, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 356, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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

Mr Tumulty, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 357, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of courts of law (Revision of 1903),'"

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

Mr Crowther, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 358, entitled "An act relating to appropriations in certain municipalities and unexpended balances thereof,"

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

Mr Hahn, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 359, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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

Mr Blohm, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 360, entitled "An act to enable the citizens in municipalities permitted by law to construct, purchase or otherwise acquire certain public utilities, to move or direct the municipal governing board of any such municipalities to hold elections for the purpose of submitting to the voters of such municipalities the question of the construction, purchase or otherwise acquiring of any such public utilities,"

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

Mr Blohm, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 361, entitled "An act to provide for the recovery of damages in cases where the death of a person is caused by wrongful act, neglect or default (Revision of 1907),"

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

Mr Blohm asked that by unanimous consent

Assembly Bill No 274, entitled "An act to provide for the recovery of damages in cases where the death of a person is caused by wrongful act, neglect or default (Revision of 1907),"

Be withdrawn from the files of the House, which request was granted

On motion of Mr Eppinger,

Assembly Bill No 19, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of South Plainfield, in the county of Middlesex and State of New Jersey,"

Was recommitted to committee

Mr Lane asked that by unanimous consent

Assembly Bill No 223, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Be withdrawn from the files of the House, which request was granted

Mr Riordan moved that the Concurrent Resolution be reconsidered for purpose of amendment

Mr Riordan offered the following amendment, which was adopted

Amend Concurrent Resolution offered by Mr Riordan, referring to the time-limit for the introduction of bills, by adding, after the words "appropriation bills," the words "and also the act to defray the incidental expenses of the Legislature of New Jersey for the session of one thousand nine hundred and seven"

Mr Riordan moved the adoption of the Concurrent Resolution as amended

On motion of Mr Groel,

Assembly Bill No 214, entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'An act,'" approved April twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment

On motion of Mr Tumulty, the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 212, entitled "An act to require resident citizens to secure license before hunting or gunning within the State of New Jersey, and providing penalties for violation of its provisions,"

Was passed, be reconsidered

Which motion was carried

Mr Hahn offered the following amendment to

Assembly Bill No 150, entitled "An act to provide funds to be used for opening and vacating streets and highways, and for curbing, recurbing, grading and regrading, flagging and reflagging

streets and highways so opened or widened, in cities of the first class in this State,"

Which was adopted,

In paragraph six, line three, change the word "five" to "four,"

And

That the rules be suspended and

Assembly Bill No 150, entitled "An act to provide funds to be used for opening and vacating streets and highways, and for curbing, recurbing, grading and regrading, flagging and reflagging streets and highways so opened or widened, in cities of the first class in this State,"

As amended, be placed on third reading

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 150, entitled "An act to provide funds to be used for opening and vacating streets and highways, and for curbing, recurbing, grading and regrading, flagging and reflagging streets and highways so opened or widened, in cities of the first class in this State,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barbeı, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Coıish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Firth, Gioel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Tayloı, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wiight, Jr —53

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

Mr Alexander offered the following amendment to

Assembly Bill No 115, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the formation of railroad corporations and regulate the same,' "

In line eleven, insert after the word "shall" and before the word "pass" the words "within this State"

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Assembly Bill No 115, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the formation of railroad corporations and regulate the same,' "

As amended,

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

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Assembly Bill No 79, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide for the amicable adjustment of grievances and disputes that may arise between employers and employes, and to authorize the creation of a State board of arbitrators,' " approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, and the supplements thereto,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcomb, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —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 Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Assembly Bill No 308, entitled "A further supplement to 'An act to regulate fees,' " approved April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

And

Senate Concurrent Resolution No 1,

Favorably

Mr Tumulty, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, reported

Assembly Bill No 201, entitled "An act to regulate the appointment and compensation of clerks and assistants in the offices of city clerk in the cities of the first class,"

And

Assembly Bill No 307, entitled "An act concerning the overseer of the poor and assistant to the overseer of the poor in cities of the first class,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Daab, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No 182, entitled "An act in relation to the expenditure of pulbic moneys,"

As correctly printed

Mr Auf der Heide, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships, reported

Assembly Bill No 238, entitled "An act to remove police departments in the townships of this State from political control and to regulate the tenure and terms of office of the officers and men employed in such departments,"

Favorably, without amendment,

And

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 179, entitled "An act to authorize the erection of town halls in towns of this State, and the purchase of lands whereon to erect said buildings"

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 201, entitled "An act to regulate the appointment and compensation of clerks and assistants in the offices of city clerk in the cities of the first class,"

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

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

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

The House then adjourned

FRIDAY, March 8th, 1907

At 10 30 o'clock A M the House met

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

Messrs Barber, Burk

Mr Burk, Speaker *pro tem*, in the chair

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

MONDAY, March 11th, 1907

House met at 8 o'clock P M

Prayer was offered by Rev Nelson B Chester, of Caldwell, N J

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

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Gioel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—58

Absent—

Messrs Buxton, Haines—2

On motion of Mr Klenert, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with

The following petitions were read

First Presbyterian Church, Newark, N J,

Lafayette Reformed Church, Jersey City, N J,

Simpson Literary Society, Jersey City, N J,

Christian Endeavor Society, Hoboken, N J,

Westminster Presbyterian Church, Jersey City, N J,

Claremont Presbyterian Church, Jersey City, N J,

Second United Presbyterian Church, Jersey City, N J,

First United Presbyterian Church, Hoboken, N J,

Epworth League, Park M E Church, Weehawken, N J,

Fifth Street Reformed Church, Bayonne, N J,
Bayonne Ministers' Association,
Epworth League, Grace M E Church, Jersey City, N J,
West Avenue Epworth League, Jersey City, N J,
Forty-sixth Street M E Church, Bayonne, N J,
Lafayette M E Church, Jersey City, N J,
Emery M E Church, Jersey City, N J,
First M E Church, Jersey City, N J,
Trinity M E Church, Jersey City, N. J,
Trinity Epworth League, Jersey City, N J,
Brotherhood of Trinity, Jersey City, N J,
First M E Church, Bayonne, N J,
Palisade M E Church, Jersey City, N J,
M E Church, Arlington, N J,
Linden Avenue Epworth League, Jersey City, N J,
Greenville Reformed Church, Jersey City, N J,
Wayne Street Reformed Church, Jersey City, N J,
Y P S C E, Bayonne, N J,
Y P S C E, Jersey City, N J,
First M E Church, Bayonne, N J,
Bergen Baptist Church, Bayonne, N J,
C E Society, Baptist Church, Bayonne, N J,
C E Society, Jersey City, N J,
First Reformed Church, Jersey City, N J,
Reformed Church, Middlebush, N J,
Board of Trade, Harrison, N J,
Broad Street M E Church, Burlington, N J

On motion of Mr Klenert, the following resolution was read and ordered spread in full upon the minutes of the Journal

BROOKLYN, N Y, March 2d, 1907

To the Honorable the General Assembly Trenton, N J

At the meeting of the Society of the Cincinnati, in the State of New Jersey, held in the Assembly Chamber, State Capitol, Trenton, N J, February 22d, 1907, the following resolution was unanimously adopted

Resolved, That the thanks of the Society of the Cincinnati in the State of New Jersey be given to the State authorities of New Jersey in charge of the State House, for their courtesies and the use of the Assembly Chamber

I regret the delay in sending this resolution, but sickness has prevented my doing so before

Very truly,

W T B S IMLAY,

Secretary

Mr Mead, Chairman of the Committee on Labor and Industries, reported

Assembly Bill No 192, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employes and operatives 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,' "

With committee amendment

Mr Daab, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No 118, entitled "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of spirtuous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating and brewed liquors,' " ' passed March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight," approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, which supplement was approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Assembly Bill No 150, entitled "An act to provide funds to be used for opening and vacating streets and highways, and for curbing, recurbing, grading and regrading, flagging and reflagging streets and highways so opened or widened, in cities of the first class in this State,"

Assembly Bill No 201, entitled "An act to regulate the appointment and compensation of clerks and assistants in the offices of city clerk in the cities of the first class,"

Correctly printed

Mr Hendrickson, Chairman of the Committee on Militia, reported

Assembly Bill No 344, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the erection of a monument on the battlefield of Monocacy, in the State of Maryland, to commemorate the services of the Fourteenth Regiment, New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, in the battle of Monocacy and thirty other engagements of the Civil War, and to appropriate money to pay the expense of erecting the same,' " approved April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Lane, Chairman of the Committee on Banks and Insurance, reported

Assembly Bill No 101, entitled "An act prohibiting the transaction of business in this State by foreign banking, savings, trusts or safe deposit corporations,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Morris, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No 265, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act concerning cities of the first class in this State constituting municipal boards of excise commissioners therein and defining the powers and duties of such boards, and relating to the municipal affairs and departments of such cities placed under the direct control and management of such boards, and providing for the maintenance of the same,' " approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 330, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act for the incorporation of cities and providing for their officers, government and powers," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,'" approved June twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Assembly Bill No 333, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize incorporated towns or townships to construct sewers, drains and sewerage disposal plant or plants, and to provide for the cost thereof,'" approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and five, constituting chapter seventy-seven of the session laws of one thousand nine hundred and five,

Assembly Bill No 337, entitled "An act providing for the reimprovement of any street, avenue, road or highway, or the portion of such street, avenue, road or highway, lying in part only in one town, township or borough, which has heretofore been improved and for which improvement assessments for benefits have been heretofore levied and imposed, and for the issue of bonds to pay for said reimprovement,"

Assembly Bill No 346, entitled "An act to provide for a commissioner of buildings in each of the cities of the first class in this State, defining his duties and powers, and relating to the municipal affairs of such cities placed under the management of such commissioner,"

Assembly Bill No 348, entitled "An act to permit real estate belonging to any city of the first class, a portion or all of which is not required for the purposes for which it was acquired, to be used for a hospital for persons suffering from tuberculosis, and to provide for the maintenance and supervision of said hospital,"

Assembly Bill No 355, entitled "An act to authorize the city council or other governing body of any city in this State bordering on an arm of the sea or other navigable stream, or through which a navigable stream shall run, to purchase or condemn lands thereon, or to use and devote such lands already acquired on such arm of the sea or other navigable stream for the purpose of erecting, constructing and maintaining one or more public docks, wharves or piers, to

be used in whole or in part for recreation purposes, to issue bonds for the purpose of securing money to pay for the lands purchased and for the construction of said docks, wharves or piers,"

And

Assembly Bill No 358, entitled "An act relating to appropriations in certain municipalities and unexpended balances thereof,"

Favorably, without amendment,

And

Assembly Bill No 10, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Without recommendation,

And

Assembly Bill No 334, entitled "A supplement to the act entitled 'An act to authorize towns and townships to construct sewers, drains and sewerage disposal plant or plants, and to provide for the cost, maintenance and operation thereof,' the original act, before amendment, constituted chapter seventy-seven of the session laws of one thousand nine hundred and five and was entitled 'An act to authorize towns and townships to construct sewers, drains and sewerage disposal plant or plants, and to provide for the cost thereof,'"

With committee amendment,

And

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 342, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of goods, wares and merchandise in the several municipalities of this State,'" approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six (P L 1906, p 201),

Assembly Bill No 76, 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,

Assembly Bill No 343, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of goods, wares and merchandise in the several municipalities of this State,'" approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six (P L 1906, p 199)

Mr Tumulty, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, reported

Assembly Bill No 290, entitled "An act concerning the admittance of children under the age of fourteen to dance houses, concert saloons, museums, skating rinks, places wherein theatrical performances are being presented by paid performers, or places of entertainment that may be injurious to their health or morals,"

Assembly Bill No 253, entitled "An act to provide for the compensation of attorneys and counselors-at-law and to provide a lien for such compensation and the method of fixing and enforcing the same,"

Assembly Bill No 293, entitled "An act to change the name of Joseph Klausmann,"

Assembly Bill No 287, entitled "An act regulating the employment of children in mercantile establishments,"

Assembly Bill No 277, entitled "An act to prohibit sales of merchandise in bulk in fraud of creditors,"

Assembly Bill No 249, entitled "An act to change the name of Sarah Ann Backus,"

Assembly Bill No 166, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating and brewed liquors," passed March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,'" approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,

Assembly Bill No 252, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the government and regulation of the State Prison,'" passed April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Assembly Bill No 167, entitled "An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of speedways in counties of this State,"

Assembly Bill No 250, entitled "An act to change the name of Burtiss Davison Backus,"

Favorably,

And

Senate Bill No 69, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to trustees,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

And

Senate Joint Resolution No 2, entitled "Joint Resolution providing for the appointment of commissioners to ascertain the reasons for the large increase in the cost of constructing stone roads in the State and to investigate and report upon the advisability of the purchase and operation by the State of stone quarries for the purpose of supplying stone at cost to the several counties of this State for the permanent improvement of public roads, and keeping the same in repair, and the probable cost of such quarries and of equipping and operating the same,"

Favorably

Mr Brady, Chairman of the Committee on Elections, reported

Assembly Bill No 349, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to the time of election and appointment and terms of office or officers elected or appointed in towns, townships, boroughs and other municipalities in this State,'" approved February fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Auf der Heide, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships, reported

Assembly Bill No 270, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Verona, in the county of Essex,"

Assembly Bill No 208, entitled "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 273, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the formation, establishment and government of towns,'" approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

And

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 236, entitled "An act for the better publication of the annual financial statement of towns, boroughs and townships,

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Assembly Bill No 294, entitled "An act authorizing boroughs to issue bonds to redeem improvement certificates issued for the payment of the cost of public improvements,"

Assembly Bill No 301, entitled "An act to authorize the return of money paid as fines in certain cases,"

Assembly Bill No 306, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No 200, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning district courts (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Favorably,

And

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 83, entitled "An act relative to writs of certiorari and proceedings thereunder"

The same gentleman reported

Assembly Bill No 189, entitled "An act to authorize the board of chosen freeholders in the several counties of this State to enter into an agreement with the sheriffs of their respective counties in relation to the support, provision and maintenance of prisoners in the county jails and workhouses in such counties,"

With amendment

Mr Hahn, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported

Assembly Bill No 124, 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,

Favorably

Mr Breunig offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Geo Serbe, a former member of this House

Mr Breunig offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Frank M McDermit, a former member of this House

Mr Breunig offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon G F Semenn, a former member of this House

Mr Firth offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon John H Buhl, ex-alderman of Newark

Mr Corish offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the congratulations (or commiserations) of the House be extended to Assemblyman John Baader on his being selected as head of the police commission of Newark

Mr Tillman offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

WHEREAS, Since last this House of Assembly convened, one of our members, already famous for deeds of valor in walks of life, and noted for his humanitarianism, has again demonstrated in a conspicuous manner bravery in the face of danger in rescuing a fellow-man from a watery grave, therefore be it

Resolved, That this House hereby tenders to the Honorable Randolph Perkins, of Union, its praise and commendation for

his brave act in rescuing from the Hudson river one Eugene Joly, an artist, who, in a moment of despondency jumped into the river from a ferryboat on the morning of Friday last, and be it further

Resolved, That it is the sense of this House of Assembly that the Honorable Randolph Perkins be commended to the managers of the Carnegie Hero Fund as eminently worthy of a medal, commemorative of bravery displayed on the day and date hereinbefore mentioned, in saving a human life

Mr Hendrickson offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

WHEREAS The Hon Randolph Perkins, a distinguished member of this House of Assembly, has lately shown the true heroism and noble unselfishness of his character in rescuing from drowning in the icy waters of the Hudson river an unfortunate fellow-man, be it

Resolved, That the name of Randolph Perkins be emblazoned high on its roll of honor in token of our appreciation of his manliness, and be it further

Resolved, That the name of Randolph Perkins be recommended to the Carnegie Hero Commission for a medal, and be it further

Resolved That this resolution be spread at length upon the Journal of this House

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

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Philip Tumulty, a former member of this House

Mr Moxon offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon P J Ryan, mayor of Elizabeth

Mr Brady offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Thomas M Gowen, a former member of this House

Mr Groel offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Legislative Committee of the Town of Irvington, Essex county

Mr Groel offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Gustavus Sommers, a former member of this House, from Essex county

Mr Holcombe, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 362, 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,"

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

Mr Moxon, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 363, entitled "An act to authorize cities of this State through which any river, stream or creek runs, and into which the sewage of any city empties, to build and construct intercepting sewers, to receive all such sewage to be disposed of in such manner as shall be deemed proper, and to provide for the alteration of a general system of sewerage and drainage in cities, and to cleanse and otherwise improve such rivers, streams or creeks and to issue bonds to meet the expense of such work,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 364, entitled "An act to enable cities to widen, deepen and improve the streams, creeks or rivers which are the outlets of the natural drainage or storm or surface water therein, and to erect retaining walls on the banks of the same, and to condemn lands along such streams, creeks or rivers necessary to

carry into effect the provisions of this act, and to issue bonds for the cost of such improvement,"

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

Mr Smalley, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 365, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' " which act was approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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

Mr Fake, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 366, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to the poor of the townships of Ridgefield, Englewood and Palisades, in the county of Bergen,' " approved March sixth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three,

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

Mr Auf der Heide, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 367, entitled "An act to regulate charges for the transportation of passengers by street railways or other corporations, their lessees or successors, and establish certain maximum rates and charges for such transportation,"

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

Mr Alexander, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 368, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1896),' and the acts amendatory thereof and the supplements thereto,"

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

Mr Alexander, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 369, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

Mr Holzapfel, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 370, entitled "An act providing for the reimprovement of any street, avenue, road or highway, or the portion of such street, avenue, road or highway, in any city, which has been heretofore improved and for which improvement assessments for benefits have been heretofore levied and imposed, and for the issue of bonds to pay for said improvements,"

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

Mr Holzapfel, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 371, entitled "An act to provide for the election of an alderman, common councilman or councilman-at-large, in cities of the second class in this State, and to regulate his duties, salary and term of office,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 372, entitled "An act to provide for the protection of improved streets in cities of this State, to authorize cities to require water, sewer and gas connections to be made before the improvement of any street and empowering such city to make water, sewer and gas connections and the cost thereof lien upon lands,"

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

Mr Holcombe, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 373, entitled "An act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning roads (Revision)", approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four," which further supplement was approved March twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one,'"

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

Mr Tillman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 374, entitled "An act to aid by an appropriation of State funds the erection and dedication of a monument to commemorate the services rendered by Abraham Clark, one of the New Jersey signers of the declaration of independence,"

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

Mr Barber, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 375, entitled "An act explanatory of certain words contained in an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to remove the fire and police departments of the cities of this State from political control," approved May second, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five,' and to provide for the establishment, management and distribution of a police pension or retiring fund," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,

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

Mr Hahn, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 376, entitled "An act to prohibit fishing through or under ice in any of the waters of this State,"

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

The same gentleman, by request, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 377, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to protect all citizens in their civil and legal rights,'" approved May tenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four,

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

The same gentleman, by request, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 378, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,'" approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

The same gentleman, by request, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 379, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to license graduate nurses in the State of New Jersey, and providing penalties for violations of its provisions,'" approved April seventh, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

The same gentleman, by request, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 380, entitled "An act concerning the power of sale given by virtue of any will, and the execution thereof, and to validate any conveyance heretofore made by or under any such power,"

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

The same gentleman, by request, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 381, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of assistant sergeants-at-arms for the several circuit courts in counties of the first class where more than one Circuit Court judge is sitting, and fixing the salary to be paid them,"

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

Mr Blohm, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 382, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

Mr Lane, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 383, entitled "An act concerning the publication of legal and official notices and advertisements,"

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

Mr Metz, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 384, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the appointment of probation officers and to define their duties and powers,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

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

Mr Elvins, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 385, entitled "An act to authorize the erection of a tablet or monument on the battle ground of Chestnut Neck, in the State of New Jersey, and to provide money to pay the cost of the erection and dedication of the same,"

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

Mr Sullivan, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 386, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

Mr Perkins, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 387, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction, and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' " which supplement was approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 388, entitled "Supplement to 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 was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Mr Tumulty, by request, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 389, entitled "An act to provide for the protection of county roads and boulevards in this State,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 390, entitled "An act to enable boards of chosen freeholders to accept roads or sections of roads in cities, towns, townships or boroughs, and to maintain the same as county roads,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 391, entitled "An act to permit the retirement on pension from public office or position of certain honorably dis-

charged soldiers, sailors and marines, who served in the Union army, war of the rebellion,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 392, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning evidence (Revision of 1900),'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

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

Mr Klenert, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 393, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning disorderly persons (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 394, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating and brewed liquors,' passed March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,"'" approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,

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

The same gentleman, by request, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 395, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, management and support thereof,'" approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

Mr Baker, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 396, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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

On motion of Mr Daab,

Assembly Bill No 135, entitled "An act concerning police in municipalities,"

Was taken up and read a second time

The following amendment, offered by Mr Daab, was read and adopted

Strike out the words "legally authorized," in section one, line nine, and substitute the word "serving"

On motion of Mr Daab,

Assembly Bill No 135, entitled "An act concerning police in municipalities,"

As amended,

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

On motion of Mr Corish,

Assembly Bill No 105, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale or prescription of cocaine, or any patent or proprietary remedy containing cocaine, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof,'"

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

On motion of Mr Fake,

Assembly Bill No 211, entitled "An act to authorize the Board of Education of any township in this State to transfer any unused school building to the township in which said Board of Education is located, and to empower the township committee to use said building for municipal purposes,"

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

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 239, entitled "An act to regulate the keeping of employment agencies in this State,"

Was taken up and read a second time

The following amendment was offered by Mr Hendrickson

In paragraph two, line eleven, section two, insert, after the word "officer," the following "one-half of which license fee shall go to and be paid to the chief of police or to the license inspector, if one be appointed"

Strike out paragraph seven and insert the following

7 ENFORCEMENT —The enforcement of this act shall be entrusted to the police departments of all municipalities not having license inspectors and to the license inspector or inspectors in other municipalities The chief of police or such license inspector as may be appointed by the chief of police, which inspector shall have no other duties except under this act, shall make, at least, bi-monthly visits to every such agency, excepting those agencies exempted from keeping the prescribed registers under section four of this act, which shall be inspected on complaint made to said license inspector Said inspectors shall have a suitable badge, which they shall exhibit on demand of any person with whom they may have official business Said inspectors shall see that all the provisions of this act are complied with, and shall have no other occupation or business Complaints against any such licensed person shall be made in writing to any police magistrate or justice of the peace, and reasonable notice thereof, not less than one day, shall be given in writing to said licensed person by serving upon him a concise statement of the facts constituting the complaint, and a hearing shall be had before the police magistrate or justice of the peace within one week from the date of the filing of the complaint, and no adjournment shall be taken for a period longer than one week A daily calendar of all hearings shall be kept by the police magistrate or justice of the peace, and shall be posted in a conspicuous place in his court room or office for at least one day before the date of such hearings The police magistrate or justice

of the peace shall render his decision within eight days from the time the matter is finally submitted to him Said police magistrate or justice of the peace shall keep a record of all such complaints and hearings The said mayor or other said officer may refuse to issue and may revoke any license for any good cause shown, within the meaning and purpose of this act, and when it is shown to his satisfaction that any licensed person is guilty of any immoral, fraudulent or illegal conduct, in connection with the conduct of said business, it shall be his duty to revoke the license of such persons, but notice of the charges shall be presented and reasonable opportunity shall be given said licensed person to defend himself Whenever for any cause such license is revoked, license shall not be issued to said licensed person or his representative, or to any person with whom he is to be associated in the business of furnishing employment The violation of any provision of this act, except as provided in sections two and six, shall be punishable by a fine not to exceed twenty-five dollars, and any city magistrate, police justice, justice of the peace, or any inferior magistrate having original jurisdiction in criminal cases, shall have power to impose said fine, and in default of payment thereof, to commit the person so offending for a period not exceeding thirty days Any person may institute criminal proceedings for its enforcement before any court of competent jurisdiction

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 239, entitled 'An act to regulate the keeping of employment agencies in this State,"

As amended,

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

On motion of Mr Earle,

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 154, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

On motion of Mr Blohm,

Assembly Bill No 165, entitled "An act to regulate the practice of chiropody in the State of New Jersey, to license chiropodists and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,"

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

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 230, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a sanatorium for persons afflicted with tuberculous diseases and to provide for the selection of a site and the erection of buildings therefor and the government thereof,'" approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Was taken up, read a second time and the following amendment was offered by Mr Wright

Amend subdivision *b* by striking out all of said subdivision and inserting in lieu the following

b The charges for the care and treatment of such persons as have had a residence in any city, borough, town, township or other municipality of this State for at least one year continuously next preceding the application for his or her admission to said sanitarium on the request of the overseer of any such city, borough, town, township or other municipality of this State, shall be paid by the city, borough, town, township or other municipality in which said person shall have resided as aforesaid

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 230, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a sanatorium for persons afflicted with tuberculous diseases and to provide for the selection of a site and the erection of buildings therefor and the government thereof,'" approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,

As amended,

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

On motion of Mr Earle,

Assembly Bill No 155, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning carriers (Revision of 1904),'" approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

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

On motion of Mr Morris,

Assembly Bill No 234, entitled "An act to enable adjoining towns, townships and boroughs to form a city government,"

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

On motion of Mr Merz, the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 57, entitled "An act for the better protection of game and game birds,"

Was advanced to third reading, be reconsidered

On motion of Mr Merz,

Assembly Bill No 57, entitled "An act for the better protection of game and game birds,"

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

On motion of Mr Baker,

Assembly Bill No 104, entitled "An act to permit the retirement on pension from public office or position, after twenty-five years' continuous service therein, of widows of honorably discharged Union soldiers, sailors and marines who served in the War of the Rebellion,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—55

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Jess,

Assembly Bill No 56, 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,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—55

In the negative—None

On motion of Mr Hahn, the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 147, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the preservation of crabs in the waters of the North and South Shrewsbury rivers and their tributaries,'" approved February sixth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 147, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the preservation of crabs in the waters of the North and South Shrewsbury rivers and their tributaries,'" approved February sixth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Be placed back on second reading

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 142, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the Orphans' Court and relating to the powers and duties of the Ordinary and the Orphans' Court and Surrogates (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and ninety-eight,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Metz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—55

In the negative was—

Mr Perkins—1

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Daab,

Assembly Bill No 91, entitled "An act for the designation and appointment of an inspector of weights and measures in cities of the second class,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrick-

son, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Meiz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlaicom—52

In the negative was—

Mr Klenert—1

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 201, entitled "An act to regulate the appointment and compensation of clerks and assistants in the offices of city clerk in the cities of the first class,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Meiz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—55

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Brady,

Assembly Bill No 52, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate and license pawnbrokers,'" approved April twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom —55

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Senate Concurrent Resolution No 1 was taken up and concurred in by the House by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlaicom—55

In the negative—None

The Senate message of March 4th, 1907, was then taken up, and Senate bills were referred as follows

Senate Bill No 93, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable the Board of Chosen Freeholders of any county

in this State to erect, construct and maintain a viaduct between two or more municipalities, and to extend roads to connect with such viaduct, and to acquire lands for the same, and to issue bonds for the payment of the cost of the erection, construction and acquisition thereof,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

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

Senate Bill No 83, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation of pathological and anatomical associations for the advancement of medical and surgical science,"

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

Senate Bill No 75, entitled "An act concerning free public libraries in certain cities of this State,"

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

Senate Bill No 71, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for short courses in practical and scientific agriculture in the State Agricultural College,'" approved March twenty-fifth, 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 Agriculture and Agricultural College

Senate Bill No 48, entitled "An act to authorize the erection of a monument in Huddy Park, in the township of Dover, county of Ocean, in this State, to commemorate the capture of Toms River block house and the burning of Toms River village by the British in the revolutionary war, to appoint a commission to erect said monument, and to appropriate money to pay for erecting said monument,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means

And

Senate Bill No 14, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase of voting machines and to regulate the use of the same at elections,'" approved April twenty-eighth, 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

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 11th, 1907.

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 52, entitled "An act to validate bonds heretofore or hereafter issued by towns and villages for the construction of sewers and drains under an act entitled 'An act to authorize towns and villages to construct sewers and drains and provide for the payment of the cost thereof,'" approved May twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety, and the various supplements and amendments thereto,

Senate Bill No 53, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize towns and villages to construct sewers and drains and to provide for the payment of the cost thereof,'" approved May twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

Senate Bill No 54, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning District Courts,'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Senate Bill No 62, entitled "An act to amend 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate fees,"'" approved April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six, which supplement was approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

Senate Bill No 73, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessments and water rents or water rates in cities

of this State, and imposing and levying the taxes, assessments and liens in lieu and instead of such arrearages, and to enforce the payment thereof, and to provide for the sale of lands subjected to future taxes and assessments,'" approved March thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

Senate Bill No 101, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Senate Bill No 110, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to enable counties which have no county hospital to assist in maintaining hospitals located in such county," approved April twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,'" which said supplement was approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

Senate Bill No 115, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the establishment of forest park reservations by and in the State of New Jersey, and for the appointment of a State Board of Forest Park Reservation Commissioners, and defining its powers and duties,'" approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and five,

And

Senate Bill No 125, entitled "An act respecting police departments of towns and regulating the tenure and terms of office of officers and men employed in said departments,"

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

H. L. TYLER,

Secretary of the Senate

The Senate message was then taken up, and

Senate Bill No 52, entitled "An act to validate bonds heretofore or hereafter issued by towns and villages for the construction of sewers and drains under an act entitled 'An act to authorize towns and villages to construct sewers and drains and provide for the payment of the cost thereof,'" approved May twelfth, one

thousand eight hundred and ninety, and the various 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 Towns and Townships

Senate Bill No 53, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize towns and villages to construct sewers and drains and to provide for the payment of the cost thereof,'" approved May twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

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

Senate Bill No 54, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning district courts,'" 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 62, entitled "An act to amend 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate fees,"'" approved April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six, which supplement was approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

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

Senate Bill No 73, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessments and water rents or water rates in cities of this State, and imposing and levying the taxes, assessments and liens in lieu and instead of such arrearages, and to enforce the payment thereof, and to provide for the sale of lands subjected to future taxes and assessments,'" approved March thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

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

Senate Bill No 101, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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

Senate Bill No 110, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to enable counties which have no county hospital to assist in maintaining hospitals located in such county," approved April twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,'" which said supplement was approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

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

Senate Bill No 115, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the establishment of forest park reservations by and in the State of New Jersey, and for the appointment of a State Board of Forest Park Reservation Commissioners, and defining its powers and duties,'" approved March twenty-second, 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 Agriculture and Agricultural College,

And

Senate Bill No 125, entitled "An act respecting police departments of towns and regulating the tenure and terms of office of officers and men employed in said departments,"

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

On motion of Mr Eppinger,

Assembly Bill No 49, entitled "An act abolishing the office of collector of arrears of taxes in towns, incorporated as such, in this State,"

Was read a second time

Mr Eppinger offered the following amendment, which was adopted

On motion of Mr Eppinger,

Assembly Bill No 49, entitled "An act abolishing the office of collector of arrears of taxes in towns, incorporated as such, in this State,"

As amended,

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

On motion of Mr Riordan,

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 304, entitled "An act to provide for the election of a mayor in incorporated towns of this State and to regulate his duties and term of office,"

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

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 11th, 1907

Mr Speaker

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

Resolved, That the Senate be requested to return to the House of Assembly, for further consideration,

Assembly Bill No 68, entitled "An act to amend an act, entitled 'For the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested

In accordance herewith said bill is returned to the House of Assembly

H L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

Mr Alexander, Chairman of the Committee on the Revision of Laws, reported,

Assembly Bill No 383, entitled "An act concerning the publication of legal and official notices and advertisements,"

Favorably

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That when this House adjourns it be to meet tomorrow morning, at 10 30 o'clock

The House then adjourned

TUESDAY, March 12th, 1907

House met at 10 30 o'clock A M

Prayer was offered by the Rev William L Lubert, of Newark, N J

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

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pavelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—59

Absent—

Mr Buxton—1

On motion of Mr Klenert, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 12th, 1907

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 "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize any town, village or municipality governed by a board of commissioners, or improvement commission, to lay out, open, widen, alter and vacate streets, roads or avenues, and to locate and construct sewers, and to acquire lands and buildings, or parts thereof, by purchase or condemnation, for such purposes,'" approved April thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Senate Bill No 45, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," which supplemental act was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 67, entitled "An act in relation to the price to be charged for electrical energy,"

Senate Bill No 86, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate fences in cities of this State,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

Senate Bill No 131, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),"' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,'" which supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Senate Bill No 136, entitled "An act to extend the territorial boundaries of the borough of Seaside Park, in the county of Ocean, by the annexation of a portion of the township of Berkeley, in said county,"

Senate Bill No 137, entitled "An act to extend the territorial boundaries of the borough of Seaside Park, in the county of Ocean, by the annexation of a portion of the territory of the State of New Jersey,"

Senate Bill No 144, entitled "An act to repeal parts of an act entitled 'An act to repeal sundry acts relating to associations not for pecuniary profit,'" approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Senate Bill No 145, entitled "An act to provide for the attendance of a part of the National Guard of New Jersey at the dedication of the soldiers' and sailors' monument at Trenton, in the county of Mercer, and to appropriate money for the cost of their transportation and other expenses incident to said dedication,"

Senate Bill No 149, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to enable boards of chosen freeholders to acquire, improve and maintain public roads,'" approved March nineteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,

And

Senate Joint Resolution No 3, entitled "Whereas, Article five of the constitution of the United States provides that 'the congress, whenever two-thirds of both houses shall deem it necessary, shall propose amendments to this constitution, or on the application of the legislatures of two-thirds of the several States shall call a convention for proposing amendments, which in either case shall be valid to all intents and purposes as part of this constitution, when ratified by the legislatures of three-fourths of the several States or by conventions in three-fourths thereof,' et cetera, and,"

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

H L TYLER,

Secretary of the Senate

The Senate message was then taken up and the Senate bills were referred as follows

Senate Bill No 26, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize any town, village or municipality governed

by a board of commissioners, or improvement commission, to lay out, open, widen, alter and vacate streets, roads or avenues, and to locate and construct sewers, and to acquire lands and buildings, or parts thereof, by purchase or condemnation, for such purposes,' " approved April thirteenth, 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 Towns and Townships

Senate Bill No 45, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," ' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," which supplemental act was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

Senate Bill No 67, entitled "An act in relation to the price to be charged for electrical energy,"

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 86, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate fences in cities of this State,' " approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business

Senate Bill No 131, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' " which supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

Senate Bill No 136, entitled "An act to extend the territorial boundaries of the borough of Seaside Park, in the county of Ocean, by the annexation of a portion of the township of Berkeley, in said county,"

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

Senate Bill No 137, entitled "An act to extend the territorial boundaries of the borough of Seaside Park, in the county of Ocean, by the annexation of a portion of the territory of 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 Boroughs and Borough Commissions

Senate Bill No 144, entitled "An act to repeal parts of an act entitled 'An act to repal sundry acts relating to associations not for pecuniary profit,'" approved March twenty-second, 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 Revision of Laws

Senate Bill No 145, entitled "An act to provide for the attendance of a part of the National Guard of New Jersey at the dedication of the soldiers' and sailors' monument at Trenton, in the county of Mercer, and to appropriate money for the cost of their transportation and other expenses incident to said dedication,"

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 149, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to enable boards of chosen freeholders to acquire, improve and maintain public roads,'" approved March nineteenth, one thousand eight 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 Revision of Laws

And

Senate Joint Resolution No 3, entitled "Whereas, Article five of the constitution of the United States provides that 'the Congress, whenever two-thirds of both houses shall deem it necessary, shall

propose amendments to this constitution, or on the application of the Legislatures of two-thirds of the several States shall call a convention for proposing amendments, which in either case shall be valid to all intents and purposes as part of this constitution, when ratified by the Legislatures of three-fourths of the several States or by convention in three-fourths thereof,' et cætera, and,"

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

STATE OF NEW-JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 5th, 1907

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 retiring State Treasurer, Frank O Briggs, has discharged the duties of his office in a manner honorable to himself and greatly to the benefit and advantage of the State, therefore

Resolved (the House of Assembly concurring), That we hereby express our recognition and appreciation of the services of the retiring Treasurer, and congratulate him upon the excellent record he has made for himself and the State, and

Resolved (the House of Assembly concurring), That the report of the account of the Hon Frank O Briggs, late State Treasurer, submitted to the Legislature by the Hon Daniel S Voorhees, the succeeding Treasurer, be confirmed, and that the official bond of the said Frank O Briggs be delivered to him,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

H L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

Which was read and adopted

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 12th, 1907

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 5, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize cities in this State to purchase lands and erect suitable buildings for city purposes, and to sell lands and buildings now used for such purposes,'" approved April seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 122, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the establishment of a course in practical and scientific instruction in the art of clay working and ceramics in the State Agricultural College,'" approved March seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Assembly Bill No 178, entitled "An act to provide for the purification of the Passaic river within the Passaic valley sewerage district, prohibiting the discharge of sewage or other polluting matter into said portion of said river after a fixed date, and authorizing municipalities lying in whole or in part within the Passaic valley sewerage district, from the territory of which sewage or other polluting matter is or may be discharged into said portion of said river, to enter into contracts with each other and with the Passaic valley sewerage commissioners for the intercepting and disposal of such sewage and other polluting matter, and to provide the necessary funds therefor"

H L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

On motion of Mr Holzapfel,

Assembly Bill No 309, entitled "An act to authorize cities of the first class to contract to supply water to persons, companies or corporations outside of its territorial limits,"

Be recommitted back to committee

Mr Daab, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No 105, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale or prescription of cocaine, or any patent or proprietary remedy containing cocaine, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof,' "

Assembly Bill No 211, entitled "An act to authorize the Board of Education of any township in this State to transfer any unused school building to the township in which said Board of Education is located, and to empower the township committee to use said building for municipal purposes,"

Assembly Bill No 222, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to the writ of certiorari (Revision of 1903),' " approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 230, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a sanatorium for persons afflicted with tuberculous diseases and to provide for the selection of a site and the erection of buildings therefor and the government thereof,' " approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,

And

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 154, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),' " approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

As correctly printed

Mr Auf der Heide, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships, reported

Senate Bill No 125, entitled "An act respecting police departments of towns and regulating the tenure and terms of office of officers and men employed in said departments,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Assembly Bill No 350, entitled " A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to incorporate trustees of religious societies,' " approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five

Assembly Bill No 331, entitled "An act to abolish amendatory appropriations and taxes in cities of the second class and to regulate the appropriations of money and the levy of taxes therein,"

Assembly Bill No 324, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to facilitate the acquirement of land and the erection of buildings for county purposes,'" approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and one,

And

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 4,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Mead, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 397, entitled "An act for the licensing of firemen for the protection of life and property against loss or damage from the operation of stationary steam-boilers by incompetent persons,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 398, entitled "An act to regulate the salaries of policemen in cities of the first class,"

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

Mr VanBlarcom, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 399, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning townships (Revision of 1899),'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

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

Mr Holcombe, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 400, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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

Mr Groel, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 401, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,'" approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

Mr Klenert, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 402, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of a commission to revise the laws relating to fees and costs,"

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

Mr Wright, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 403, entitled "An act to provide funds to be used for the construction of subways for street cars in cities of the first class in this State,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 404, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled "An act respecting conveyances (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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

Mr Eppinger offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Edgar Loveridge, a former member of this House

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No. 215, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kind of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three, and which act to amend was approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Brady, Breunig, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr., Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr., Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethridge (Speaker), Manson, Mead, Merz, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—34

In the negative were—

Messrs Blohm, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Davison, Elvins, Firth, Gibbs, Haines, Holcombe, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Lillagore, Morris, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson—23

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill and that the 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 Elvins offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon James A Hamill, a former member of this House and Congressman from Hudson county

Mr Klenert moved that the House be placed under call

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

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—57

Absent—

Messrs Buxton, Irick, Manson—3

House reconvened

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

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—59

Absent—

Mr Buxton—1

Mr Alexander, Chairman of the Committee on the Revision of Laws, announced a meeting of the committee in the committee room, at two o'clock P M

On motion of Mr Klenert, the House took a recess until two o'clock P M

AFTERNOON SESSION

House reconvened at 2 o'clock

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

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Kleneit, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—53

Absent—

Messrs Buxton, Crowther, Drake, Elvins, Haines, Jess, Jones—7

On motion of Mr Blohm,

Assembly Bill No 118, entitled "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating and brewed liquors,'"' passed March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight," approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, which supplement was approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Eppinger, Groel, Hahn, Holzapfel, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, Wright, Jr—24

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Morris, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, VanBlarcom—35

On motion of Mr Brady,

Assembly Bill No 231, entitled "An act for the protection of laborers and mechanics engaged in the construction of buildings,"

Was taken up

On motion of Mr Brady, the rules were suspended,

And

Assembly Bill No 231, entitled "An act for the protection of laborers and mechanics engaged in the construction of buildings,"

Was placed back on second reading

On motion of Mr Brady,

Assembly Bill No 231, entitled "An act for the protection of laborers and mechanics engaged in the construction of buildings,"

Be recommitted to committee for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

A message was received from the Governor, which was read, as follows

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

TRENTON, March 12th, 1907

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Assembly

I have the honor to submit to you the report of the commissioners appointed by the Governor of the State to attend the Uniform Divorce Law Congress as delegates to represent the State of New Jersey This report is accompanied by the address of this Congress to the President and the Congress of the United States, and the Governors and Legislatures of the several States and Territories, and the commissioners of the District of Columbia and by a bill drawn by the commissioners of New Jersey, which, if enacted into

law, will bring our divorce statutes into conformity with the recommendations of the Uniform Divorce Law Congress

It is a pleasure to commend the painstaking and careful work of our commissioners in this important matter The report submitted is so clear as to need no comment, and the review of the work of the Congress, with its results and reasons therefor, is set forth in clear and convincing terms

It will be observed from the accompanying report that the Divorce Congress did not question the right of each sovereign State to pass upon the causes for divorce These causes are recommended as within the right of each State to determine according to the views of its own citizens The Divorce Congress did, however, after enumerating certain causes as a maximum standard, recommend that no additional causes be recognized in any State, so that where the number of causes are within or less than the number prescribed in the maximum standard, no change in the present statutes of a State is called for in this regard The causes therefore for divorce in New Jersey are not changed by the proposed bill except in one provision—that for the annulment of marriages contracted under the ages of sixteen for girls, and eighteen for boys This provision is in the nature of a restriction so that divorce will be as difficult to obtain in the future as heretofore, in the event of the passage of the act prepared by the commissioners

The most important consideration before the Divorce Congress related to the subject of jurisdiction of the courts of a State to grant decrees of divorce and to the "effect to be given in any one State to the decrees of divorce obtained in another" The scandal arising from having divorces recognized in one State and refused recognition in another, is an evil that calls for a remedy This evil will be largely overcome by the adoption on the part of the several States of uniform rules governing the question of procedure and jurisdiction, and specifying the extent to which one State shall recognize decrees of another State

The question of divorce so vitally affects the welfare of society that I commend this subject to your most earnest consideration The work of the Congress is one of the most important steps recently taken for the improvement of public morals

The co-operation of the States upon this important subject is a significant movement in governmental policy This Congress, which convened at Washington in February, 1906, was attended voluntarily by delegates from forty States besides the District of Columbia and one Territory If the States can unite upon questions that affect, not only the people within a State itself, but the citizens of all other States, and can agree upon a policy to be pursued in such cases, it would seem that many problems now regarded as too large for a single State to solve, can be successfully met without the intervention of federal legislation The States could in this way preserve their dignity and power and materially aid in promoting the welfare of the country by mutual agreement and by the adoption of uniform laws for the good of the nation Such a policy would do much to prevent any conflict as to jurisdiction between the State and the National government, and would remove many difficulties that grow out of this apparent antagonism

Respectfully,

E C STOKES,

Governor

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 143, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable cities in this State on or near the ocean, and embracing within their limits or jurisdiction any beach or ocean front, to open and lay out a public park or place for public resort or recreation, on and along the beach or ocean front of such city, and to purchase or condemn lands, property and rights therefor, and to preserve the same from obstruction or encroachment,'" approved April twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, constituting chapter ninety-three of the session laws of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel,

Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—57

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 77, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the relief of creditors against absent and absconding debtors (Revision of 1901),'" approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and one,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corrish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—57

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Morris,

Assembly Bill No 235, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the incorporation of cities, and providing for their officers, government and powers,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—54

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 383, entitled "An act concerning the publication of legal and official notices and advertisements,"

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

On motion of Mr Brady,

Assembly Bill No 232, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the formation, establishment and government of towns,'" approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

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

On motion of Mr Potter,

Assembly Bill No 292, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the planting and care of shade trees on the highways of the municipalities of this State,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three,

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

On motion of Mr Barber,

Assembly Bill No 269, entitled "An act to authorize cities of the first class in this State to buy lands for and to equip and build city stables, and to provide the funds therefor,"

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

On motion of Mr Morris,

Assembly Bill No 278, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled '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-third, one thousand nine hundred (Pamph L 1900, p 324),

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

On motion of Mr Moxon,

Assembly Bill No 355, entitled "An act to authorize the city council or other governing body of any city in this State bordering on an arm of the sea or other navigable stream, or through which a navigable stream shall run, to purchase or condemn lands thereon, or to use and devote such lands already acquired on such arm of the sea or other navigable stream for the purpose of erecting, constructing and maintaining one or more public docks, wharves or piers, to be used in whole or in part for recreation purposes, to issue bonds for the purpose of securing money to pay for the lands purchased and for the construction of said docks, wharves or piers,"

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

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Assembly Bill No 189, entitled "An act to authorize the Boards of Chosen Freeholders in the several counties of this State to enter into an agreement with the sheriffs of their respective counties in relation to the support, provision and maintenance of prisoners in the county jails and workhouses in such counties,"

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

On motion of Mr Baker,

Assembly Bill No 162, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled An act concerning the fire department in cities of the first class,'" approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Crowther, Earle, Firth, Hahn, Klenert, Lane, Riordan, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—16

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Barber, Burk, Chaplin, Daab, Davison, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Fake, Gibbs, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Jess, Jones, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Ridgway, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Wright, Jr—28

On motion of Mr Morris,

Senate Bill No 125, entitled "An act respecting police departments of towns and regulating the tenure and terms of office of officers and men employed in said departments,"

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

On motion of Mr Ridgway,

Senate Bill No 49, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the appointment of fire wardens, the prevention of forest fires and the repeal of sundry acts relating thereto,'" approved April eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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

On motion of Mr Fake,

Senate Bill No 64, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seven,'" approved May twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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

On motion of Mr Fake,

Senate Bill No 81, entitled "An act concerning bonds,"

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

On motion of Mr Perkins,

Senate Bill No 40, entitled "An act ceding to the United States jurisdiction over lands acquired for public purposes within this State,"

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

On motion of Mr Perkins,

Senate Bill No 41, entitled "An act authorizing the Governor to cede to the United States certain lands under water in the Delaware river for the purpose of aiding in the improvement of said river,"

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

On motion of Mr Olwell,

Assembly Bill No 229, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act in relation to county expenditures,'" approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

Was taken up and read a second time

Mr Olwell offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted

In section two, line two, change word "four" to "five"

On motion of Mr. Olwell,

Assembly Bill No 229, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act in relation to county expenditures,'" approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

As amended,

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

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Assembly Bill No 296, entitled "An act making appropriation for the purpose of improving the building and preserving the records of the Surveyor-General's office of the western division of this State,"

Was taken up

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Assembly Bill No 296, entitled "An act making appropriation for the purpose of improving the building and preserving the records of the Surveyor-General's office of the western division of this State,"

Was recommitted to committee for amendment

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Assembly Bill No 202, entitled "An act to regulate the importation of dependent children and providing a penalty for violation thereof,"

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

On motion of Mr Groel,

Assembly Bill No 58, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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

On motion of Mr Perkins,

Assembly Bill No 87, entitled "A supplement to an act concerning roads (Revision)," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Assembly Bill No 98, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crime (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following committee amendments proposed by Mr Alexander, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, were read and adopted

Line ten, strike out the word "had"

Line ten, strike out the words "for a period of at least five years"

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Assembly Bill No 98, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crime (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

As amended,

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

On motion of Mr Groel,

Assembly Bill No 59, 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 second time

Mr Alexander, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, offered the following committee amendment, which was read and adopted.

On motion of Mr Groel,

Assembly Bill No 59, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

As amended,

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

On motion of Mr Breunig,

Assembly Bill No 316, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,'" approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

As amended,

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

On motion of Mr Taylor,

Assembly Bill No 259, entitled "An act making an appropriation for plans and estimates of cost for the improvement of Manasquan Inlet,

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

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Assembly Bill No 308, entitled "A further supplement to 'An act to regulate fees,'" approved April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

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

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 307, entitled "An act concerning the overseer of the poor and assistant to the overseer of the poor in cities of the first class,"

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

On motion of Mr Eppinger,

Assembly Bill No 238, entitled "An act to remove police departments in the townships of this State from political control and to regulate the tenure and terms of office of the officers and men employed in such departments,"

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

On motion of Mr Eppinger,

Assembly Bill No 48, entitled "An act regulating the salaries of members of the boards of council or other governing bodies of towns, incorporated as such, in this State,"

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amendment proposed by Mr Firth, was read and adopted

Amend line two by striking out the word "fifteen" and substitute the word "twelve"

On motion of Mr Eppinger,

Assembly Bill No 48, entitled "An act regulating the salaries of members of the boards of council or other governing bodies of towns, incorporated as such, in this State,"

As amended,

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

Mr Riordan, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No 151, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting railroads and canals,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No 263, entitled "An act concerning the appointment of receivers for railroads by the Court of Chancery of New Jersey,"

Assembly Bill No 264, entitled "An act to compel all railroads in this State to make switching connections with private sidings,"

Assembly Bill No 317, entitled "A general act concerning rates and charges for the transportation of passengers over and on the railroads of and within this State, and establishing certain maximum rates and charges for such transportation,"

Assembly Bill No 361, entitled "An act to provide for the recovery of damages in cases where the death of a person is caused by wrongful act, neglect or default (Revision of 1907),"

Favorably, without amendment,

And

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 311, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of South Plainfield, in the county of Middlesex"

Mr Hendrickson, Chairman of the Committee on Militia, reported,

Senate Bill No 146, entitled "An act to regulate the practice of osteopathy in the State of New Jersey and to provide for a State Board of Osteopathic Examiners and to license osteopathic physicians to practice in this State and punish persons violating the provisions of this act,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Daab, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No 165, entitled "An act to regulate the practice of chiropody in the State of New Jersey, to license chiropodists and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,"

And

Assembly Bill No 234, entitled "An act to enable adjoining towns, townships and boroughs to form a city government,"

Correctly printed

The same gentleman reported

Assembly Bill No 135, entitled "An act concerning police in municipalities,"

Favorably, without amendment,

And

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 304, entitled "An act to provide for the election of a mayor in incorporated towns of this State and to regulate his duties and term of office,"

Correctly printed

Mr Mead, Chairman of the Committee on Labor and Industries, reported

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 231, entitled "An act for the protection of laborers and mechanics engaged in the construction of buildings,"

Mr Breunig, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Assembly Bill No 54, entitled "An act for the appointment of a board for the examination and licensing of sanitary plumbers, and defining the duties and powers of said board,"

And

Assembly Bill No 354, entitled "An act regulating the construction and maintenance of hospitals, sanitariums or other buildings designed for the care, entertainment, board, maintenance, treatment or cure of any person or persons afflicted with the disease known as pulmonary tuberculosis, or any infectious, contagious or communicable disease,"

Favorably, with amendments

Mr Morris, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No 248, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating the granting by municipalities of consent to the use of streets, avenues, parks, parkways and other public places,' " approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Favorably, without amendment,

And

Assembly Bill No 352, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning superintendents of indoor relief in cities

of this State,' " approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

With committee amendment

Mr Alexander, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No 336, 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,

Senate Bill No 73, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessments and water rents or water rates in cities of this State, and imposing and levying the taxes, assessments and liens in lieu and instead of such arrearages, and to enforce the payment thereof, and to provide for the sale of lands subjected to future taxes and assessments,' " approved March thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

Senate Bill No 101, 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,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Baader, Chairman of the Committee on Commerce and Navigation, reported

Assembly Bill No 347, entitled "An act to authorize the construction and establishment of public docks and the shipping facilities connected therewith, and the purchasing and acquiring of riparian lands and rights of other lands and rights in land necessary therefor or incident thereto, and for the regulation of the same in cities fronting on navigable waters of this State,"

Assembly Bill No 289, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the use of power vessels and boats navigating the waters within the jurisdiction of this State above tide water and to provide for the inspection and licensing of power vessels, their masters, pilots and engineers,' " approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Assembly Bill No 219, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for public safety on railroads,'" approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one,

And

Assembly Bill No 220, entitled "An act concerning the compulsory furnishing of freight cars by any railroad or other carrier doing business in New Jersey, and providing a penalty to such railroad or other carrier for failing to do so,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Groel, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Assembly Bill No 188, 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, nineteen hundred and three,

And

Assembly Bill No 345, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act authorizing the sale of land granted or devised to religious associations, or to corporations formed or existing for the purpose of education, or to officers or trustees of such corporation in certain cases,'" approved April seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Lane, Chairman of the Committee on Banks and Insurance, reported

Assembly Bill No 226, entitled "An act relative to the payment of deposits made with any bank or trust company in the name of two persons,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Lane, Chairman of the Committee on Banks and Insurance, reported

Assembly Bill No 172, 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,

Favorably

Mr Holcombe, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads and Canals, reported

Assembly Bill No 65, entitled "An act to regulate railroads and other common carriers in this State, creating a State board of commissioners to regulate and police railroads and other common carriers in this State, said board so created to be known as the 'State Board of Commissioners of Railroads and Public Utilities,' giving to them an official seal, to fix their salaries, define their powers (including among said powers the power to issue compulsory processes and use contempt proceedings), to prescribe their term of office, and the mode of the procedure and the rules of evidence to govern said board in the conduct of their hearings and in certain other of their proceedings, to prescribe penalties for the disobeying or contempt of the processes and orders of the said board of railroad commissioners, and providing, further, for any other matters to make efficient such a board so established to police and regulate railroads,"

And

Assembly Bill No 67, entitled "An act to prohibit unfair discrimination by railroads and other carriers of this State between different persons, sections, communities or localities and of unfair conditions, and providing penalties therefor,"

With amendments,

And

Assembly Bill No 63, entitled "An act concerning railroads, and providing for presumptive proof of negligence in any action brought hereafter in any court having jurisdiction over such action, and relative to certain effects of the violation of or failure to comply, with, according to law, of any order of any board of commissioners now in existence or hereafter to be established in this State, concerning the safety of the premises on or through which any railroad in this State operates of or may hereafter operate, and which said premises are the property of or are under the

control of any such railroad, or concerning the safety of any tools, equipment, apparatus or other mechanical appliances or contrivances which are the property of, under the control or in use by any railroad in this State,"

Assembly Bill No 106, entitled "An act relating to street railways and conferring the additional power to regulate them on the State Board of Commissioners of Railroads and Public Utilities," supplementary to an act entitled "An act to regulate railroads and other common carriers in this State, creating a State Board of Commissioners to regulate and police railroads and other common carriers in this State, said board so created to be known as the 'State Board of Commissioners of Railroads and Public Utilities,' giving to them an official seal, to fix their salaries, define their powers (including among said powers the power to issue compulsory processes and use contempt proceedings), prescribe their term of office, and the mode of the procedure, and the rules of evidence to govern said board in the conduct of their hearings, and in certain other of their proceedings, to prescribe penalties for the disobeying or contempt of the processes and orders of the said Board of Railroad Commissioners, and providing further for any other matters to make efficient such a board established to police and regulate railroads,"

Assembly Bill No 108, entitled "An act concerning railroads and other carriers and requiring them to make reasonable connections with each other,"

Assembly Bill No 193, 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 314, entitled "An act to compel all railroads in this State to make switching connections with private sidings,"

Assembly Bill No 315, entitled "An act concerning the appointment of receivers for railroads by the Court of Chancery of New Jersey,"

Assembly Bill No 156, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

And

Assembly Joint Resolution No 2,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Auf der Heide, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships, reported

Assembly Bill No 180, entitled "An act concerning the abolition of certain grade crossings in incorporated towns, and providing for the apportionment of the expense thereof,"

And

Assembly Bill No 237, entitled "An act in relation to the salaries of town clerk, collector of taxes and assessor in towns of this State,"

With committee substitutes,

And

Assembly Bill No 328, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the incorporated cities, towns, townships and boroughs of this State to fund their floated indebtedness and their matured and maturing bonds," approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,' " and which amendment was approved February eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and one,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That when the House adjourns it be to meet to-morrow morning at 10 30 o'clock

The House then adjourned

WEDNESDAY, March 13th, 1907

House met at 10 30 A M

Prayer was offered by Rev Thomas Tyack, of Hightstown, N J

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

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—55

Absent—

Messrs Backus, Buxton, Gibbs, Moxon, Tillman—5

On motion of Mr Klenert, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with

Mr Riordan, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No 262, entitled "An act relating to the abolishment and elimination of all grade crossings of streets and highways over all the railroads in this State,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Brady, Chairman of the Committee on Elections, reported

Senate Bill No 45, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),"' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," which supplemental act was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

And

Senate Bill No 131, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' " which supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Breunig, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Assembly Bill No 323, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to improve the conditions of tenement-houses of this State and to establish a State Board of Tenement-house Supervision,' " approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and four (P L, p 96),

And

Assembly Bill No 286, entitled "An act to provide for the free distribution of diphtheria antitoxin to the inhabitants of this State,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Mead, Chairman of the Committee on Labor and Industries, reported

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 231, entitled "An act for the protection of laborers and mechanics engaged in the construction of buildings,"

Mr Blohm, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Senate Bill No 48, entitled "An act to authorize the erection of a monument in Huddy Park, in the township of Dover, county of Ocean, in this State, to commemorate the capture of Toms River block house and the burning of Toms River village by the British in the revolutionary war, to appoint a commission to erect said monument, and to appropriate money to pay for erecting said monument,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Hendrickson, Chairman of the Committee on Militia, reported

Assembly Bill No 374, entitled "An act to aid by an appropriation of State funds the erection and dedication of a monument to commemorate the services rendered by Abraham Clark, one of the New Jersey signers of the declaration of independence,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Daab, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No 179, entitled "An act to authorize the erection of town halls in towns of this State, and the purchase of lands whereon to erect said buildings,"

Correctly printed

Mr Riordan, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 405, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to an information in the nature of a quo warranto (Revision of 1903),' " approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

Mr Fake, by request, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 406, entitled "An act to annex to the borough of Wood Ridge, in the county of Bergen, a part or portion of the township of Lodi, in said county,"

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

Mr Hendrickson, by request, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 407, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' " approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 408, entitled "An act to authorize cities to provide for the payment for water works and appurtenances by issuing bonds containing the general obligation of the city, secured by mortgage upon said water works, appurtenances and revenues therefrom,"

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

Mr Baader, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 409, entitled "An act relative to the time of election and appointment and term of office of officers elected or appointed in cities, towns, townships, boroughs and other municipalities in this State,"

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

On motion of Mr Groel,

Assembly Bill No 212, entitled "An act to require resident citizens to secure license before hunting or gunning within the State of New Jersey, and providing penalties for violation of its provisions,"

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

On motion of Mr Groel,

Assembly Bill No 214, entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'An act,'" approved April twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amendments, proposed by Mr Groel, were read and adopted

An act to amend an act entitled "An act to require non-residents to secure license before hunting or gunning within the State of New Jersey, and providing penalties for violation of its provisions," approved April twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and two

On motion of Mr Groel,

Assembly Bill No 214, entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'An act,'" approved April twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and two,

As amended,

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

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 139, entitled "An act amending an act entitled 'An act relating to the court of common pleas (Revision of 1900),'"

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

On motion of Mr Olwell,

Assembly Bill No 20, entitled "An act to provide for the payment by railroad companies of wages in lawful money of the United States every two weeks,"

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

On motion of Mr Riordan,

Assembly Bill No 37, entitled "An act concerning the time of payment of assessments of benefits of public improvements in municipalities of this State,"

Was read a second time

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Assembly Bill No 37, entitled "An act concerning the time of payment of assessments of benefits of public improvements in municipalities of this State,"

Be recommitted back to committee,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Baader,

Assembly Bill No 25, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act relative to the time of election and appointments and terms of office of officers elected or appointed in cities in this State,'"

approved February twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and one,

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

On motion of Mr Baader,

Assembly Bill No 225, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act relative to the time of election and appointment and terms of office of officers elected or appointed in towns, townships, boroughs and other municipalities in this State,'" approved February fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

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

On motion of Mr Merz,

Assembly Bill No 57, entitled "An act for the better protection of game and game birds,"

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amendments, proposed by Mr Merz, were read and adopted

Insert after the word "partridge," on line four, the words "water wild fowl."

On motion of Mr Merz,

Assembly Bill No 57, entitled "An act for the better protection of game and game birds,"

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

On motion of Mr Baker,

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 103, entitled "An act relating to the cancellation of mortgages,"

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

On motion of Mr Baker,

Assembly Bill No 198, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for suppressing vice and immorality,'" approved

March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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

On motion of Mr Daab,

Assembly Bill No 19, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of South Plainfield, in the county of Middlesex and State of New Jersey,"

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amendments, proposed by Mr Daab, were read and adopted

Strike out section two and insert in place thereof the following:

2 This act shall not become operative in any county in this State until the same shall be adopted by vote of the legal voters of such counties The adoption of this act may be submitted to vote in any county at any election for members of the General Assembly hereafter to be held by the board of chosen freeholders of such county, by resolution duly passed for that purpose, and shall be submitted when a petition therefor, signed by at least five per centum of the qualified voters of such county, evidenced by the total number of votes cast at the then next preceding election for members of the General Assembly in such county, shall have been filed with the clerk of said county, of such submission the same notice shall be given as is required to be given of said general election, and the legal voters of said county may, at such election, decide upon the acceptance or rejection of this act in the following manner There shall be printed on each official ballot, containing the names of candidates for members of the General Assembly next under the party heading, the proposition, "For the repeal of the vice and immorality act," and immediately thereunder "Against the repeal of the vice and immorality act," and the voter may vote to adopt this act by obliterating the second proposition, or may vote to reject this act by obliterating the first proposition, and said ballots so cast for or against this act shall be counted and the result thereof returned by the election officers and a canvass of such election had in the same manner and at the same time as in case of ballots for candidates voted for at such election, and the acceptance or rejection of this act so determined shall be declared

in the same manner as the general result of such election for county officers, and if there should be a majority of votes so cast in favor of the adoption of this act, but not otherwise, this act shall take effect in such county immediately

On motion of Mr Daab,

Assembly Bill No 19, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of South Plainfield, in the county of Middlesex and State of New Jersey,"

As amended,

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

On motion of Mr Devine,

Assembly Bill No 324, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to facilitate the acquirement of land and the erection of buildings for county purposes,'" approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and one,

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

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Assembly Bill No 321, entitled "An act concerning a proposed amendment to the constitution relating to the judiciary, adapting thereto the structure and practice of the courts, which amendment has been agreed to by a majority of the members elected to the Senate and House of Assembly at the election held in one thousand nine hundred and six,"

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

On motion of Mr Baader,

Assembly Bill No 151, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting railroads and canals,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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

On motion of Mr Blohm,

Assembly Bill No 307, entitled "An act concerning the overseer of the poor and assistant to the overseer of the poor in cities of the first class,"

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

On motion of Mr Blohm,

Assembly Bill No 361, entitled "An act to provide for the recovery of damages in cases where the death of a person is caused by wrongful act, neglect or default (Revision of 1907),"

Was taken up and read a second time

On motion of Mr Blohm,

Assembly Bill No 361, entitled "An act to provide for the recovery of damages in cases where the death of a person is caused by wrongful act, neglect or default (Revision of 1907),"

Be recommitted back to committee for amendment,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Crowther,

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 310, entitled "An act to enable any municipality of this State to grant permission to any duly incorporated ferry company to use the foot of any public street or streets ending on the tidal waters of this State as a terminal for a public ferry,'

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

On motion of Mr Baker,

Assembly Bill No 226, entitled "An act relative to the payment of deposits made with any bank or trust company in the name of two persons,"

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

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 172, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies, and to regulate the transaction of insurance

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

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

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 67, entitled "An act to prohibit unfair discrimination by railroads and other carriers of this State between different persons, sections, communities or localities and of unfair conditions, and providing penalties therefor,"

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following committee amendment, proposed by Mr Holcombe, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads and Canals, was read and adopted

On page one, section one, line four, strike out the word "railroad" and insert the word "railroads"

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 67, entitled "An act to prohibit unfair discrimination by railroads and other carriers of this State between different persons, sections, communities or localities and of unfair conditions, and providing penalties therefor,"

As amended,

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

On motion of Mr Olwell,

Assembly Bill No 63, entitled "An act concerning railroads, and providing for presumptive proof of negligence in any action brought hereafter in any court having jurisdiction over such action, and relative to certain effects of the violation of or failure to comply with, according to law, of any order of any board of commissioners now in existence or hereafter to be established in this State, concerning the safety of the premises on or through which any railroad in this State operates of or may hereafter operate, and which said premises are the property of or are under the control of any such railroad, or concerning the safety of any tools, equipment, apparatus or other mechanical appliances or contrivances which are the property of, under the control or in use by any railroad in this State,"

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

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 106, entitled "An act relating to street railways and conferring the additional power to regulate them on the State Board of Commissioners of Railroads and Public Utilities," supplementary to an act entitled "An act to regulate railroads and other common carriers in this State, creating a State Board of Commissioners to regulate and police railroads and other common carriers in this State, said board so created to be known as the 'State Board of Commissioners of Railroads and Public Utilities,' giving to them an official seal, to fix their salaries, define their powers (including among said powers the power to issue compulsory processes and use contempt proceedings), prescribe their term of office, and the mode of the procedure and the rules of evidence to govern said board in the conduct of their hearings, and in certain other of their proceedings, to prescribe penalties for the disobeying or contempt of the processes and orders of the said Board of Railroad Commissioners, and providing further for any other matters to make efficient such a board established to police and regulate railroads,"

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

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 108, entitled "An act concerning railroads and other carriers and requiring them to make reasonable connections with each other,"

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

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 314, entitled "An act to compel all railroads in this State to make switching connections with private sidings,"

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

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 315, entitled "An act concerning the appointment of receivers for railroads by the Court of Chancery of New Jersey,"

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amendment, proposed by Mr Wright, was read and adopted

In the title, between the words "appointment" and "receivers," change the word "or" to "of"

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 315, entitled "An act concerning the appointment of receivers for railroads by the Court of Chancery of New Jersey,"

As amended,

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

On motion of Mr Smalley,

Senate Bill No 18, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the militia of the State,'" approved May sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Buik, Cattell, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Jess, Jones, Kleneit, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Merz, Pawelski, Potter, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlaicom—45

In the negative was—

Mr Wright Jr—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

On motion of Mr Ridgway,

Senate Bill No 125, entitled "An act respecting police departments of towns and regulating the tenure and terms of office of officers and men employed in said departments,"

Was taken up, 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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger,, Fake, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jones, Kleneit, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, Wright, Jr —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

On motion of Mr Elvins,

Senate Bill No 49, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the appointment of fire wardens, the prevention of forest fires and the repeal of sundry acts relating thereto,'" approved April eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Kleneit, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz,

Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, Wright, Jr —52

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 13th, 1907

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 58, entitled "An act concerning roads,"

In which the concurrence of the House is requested

H L TYLER,
Secretary of Senate

The Senate message was then taken up, and

Senate Bill No 58, entitled "An act concerning roads,"

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

On motion of Mr Fake,

Senate Bill No 64, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seven,' " approved May twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was taken up on third reading and final passage

Mr Barber moved that the previous question be put

On the roll being called on the motion to put the following question, the vote was as follows

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—53

In the negative was—

Mr Morris—1

Mr Fake moved that the roll be called on

Senate Bill No 64, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seven,'" approved May twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and six

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Buck, Cattell, Chaplin, Daab, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Gibbs, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Riordan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—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

Mr Hahn moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 139, entitled "An act amending an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas (Revision of 1900),'"

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 139, entitled "An act amending an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas (Revision of 1900),'"

Was placed back on second reading for amendment,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Klenert, the House then took a recess until 3 o'clock P M

AFTERNOON SESSION

House met at 3 o'clock

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

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —53

Absent—

Messrs Buck, Buxton, Crowther, Firth, Jones, Stille, Tillman —7

On motion of Mr Klenert,

The minutes in parts numbers 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9 be accepted as correctly printed,

Which motion was carried

Mr Daab, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No 202, entitled "An act to regulate the importation of dependent children and providing a penalty for violation thereof,"

Assembly Bill No 316, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,'" approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 59, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No 259, entitled "An act making an appropriation for plans and estimates of cost for the improvement of Manasquan Inlet,"

Assembly Bill No 308, entitled "A further supplement to 'An act to regulate fees,'" approved April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Assembly Bill No 383, entitled "An act concerning the publication of legal and official notices and advertisements,"

Assembly Bill No 292, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the planting and care of shade trees on the highways of the municipalities of this State,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three,

Assembly Bill No 278, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled '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-third, one thousand nine hundred (Pamph L 1900, p 324),

Assembly Bill No 355, entitled "An act to authorize the city council or other governing body of any city in this State bordering on an arm of the sea or other navigable stream, or through which a navigable stream shall run, to purchase or condemn lands thereon, or to use and devote such lands already acquired on such arm of the sea or other navigable stream for the purpose of erecting, constructing and maintaining one or more public docks, wharves or piers, to be used in whole or in part for recreation purposes, to issue bonds for the purpose of securing money to pay for the lands purchased and for the construction of said docks, wharves or piers,"

Assembly Bill No 48, entitled "An act regulating the salaries of members of the boards of council or other governing bodies of towns, incorporated as such, in this State,"

Assembly Bill No 229, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act in relation to county expenditures,'" approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

Assembly Bill No 58, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No 98, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crime (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No 238, entitled "An act to remove police departments in the townships of this State from political control and to regulate the tenure and terms of office of the officers and men employed in such departments,"

And

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 87, entitled "A supplement to an act concerning roads (Revision)," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Correctly printed

Mr Tumulty, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, reported

Assembly Bill No 303, entitled "An act establishing the standard of measurement for the sale of milk, skimmed milk or cream and providing penalties for violations thereof,"

Favorably, as amended

Mr Hahn, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported

Assembly Bill No 160, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

And

Assembly Bill No 376, entitled "An act to prohibit fishing through or under ice in any of the waters of this State,"

Favorably, without amendment

The Clerk read the following notice by Mr Daab

I hereby give notice that on Monday evening, March 18th, I shall introduce a motion or resolution to relieve Committee on Municipal Corporations of

Assembly Bill No 93, entitled "An act to establish grade crossings of railroads in cities of the first and second class"

On motion of Mr Earle,

Assembly Bill No 156, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

On motion of Mr Aud der Heide,

Assembly Bill No 237, entitled "An act in relation to the salaries of town clerk, collector of taxes and assessor in towns of this State,"

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

On motion of Mr Lewis,

Assembly Bill No 328, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the incorporated cities, towns, townships and boroughs of this State to fund their floated indebtedness and their matured and maturing bonds," approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,' " and which amendment was approved February eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and one,

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

On motion of Mr Bradley,

Assembly Bill No 248, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating the granting by municipalities of consent to the use of streets, avenues, parks, parkways and other public places,' " approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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

On motion of Mr Pawelski,

Assembly Bill No 352, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning superintendents of indoor relief in cities of this State,' " approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following committee amendment was offered, which was read and adopted

In section one, first line, insert, after the words "cities of," the words "the second class"

On motion of Mr Pawelski,

Assembly Bill No 352, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning superintendents of indoor relief in cities of this State,' " approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

As amended,

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

On motion of Mr Brady,

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 231, entitled "An act for the protection of laborers and mechanics engaged in the construction of buildings,"

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

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Assembly Bill No 336, 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,

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

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 347, entitled "An act to authorize the construction and establishment of public docks and the shipping facilities connected therewith, and the purchasing and acquiring of riparian lands and rights of other lands and rights in lands necessary therefor or incident thereto, and for the regulation of the same in cities fronting on navigable waters of this State,"

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

On motion of Mr Baader,

Assembly Bill No 219, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for public safety on railroads,'" approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one,

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

On motion of Mr Baader,

Assembly Bill No 220, entitled "An act concerning the compulsory furnishing of freight cars by any railroad or other carrier doing business in New Jersey, and providing a penalty to such railroad or other carrier for failing to do so,"

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

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Assembly Bill No 188, 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, nineteen hundred and three,

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

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 345, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act authorizing the sale of land granted or devised to religious associations, or to corporations formed or existing for the purpose of education, or to officers or trustees of such corporations in certain cases,'" approved April seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

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

On motion of Mr Taylor,

Assembly Bill No 354, entitled "An act regulating the construction and maintenance of hospitals, sanitariums or other buildings designed for the care, entertainment, board, maintenance, treatment or cure of any person or persons afflicted with the disease known as pulmonary tuberculosis, or any infectious, contagious or communicable disease,"

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

On motion of Mr Barber,

Assembly Bill No 266, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to enable cities to purchase land, erect buildings thereon and equip the same for fire department purposes,'" approved April seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amendment was offered by Mr Alexander, which was read and adopted

End of line ten, add the words "*provided,* that this act shall not apply to all or any part of the money raised or to be raised for any fire-house for which the land or any part of the land has heretofore been purchased or contracted for"

On motion of Mr Barber,

Assembly Bill No 266, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to enable cities to purchase land, erect buildings thereon and equip the same for fire department purposes,'" approved April seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

As amended,

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

On motion of Mr Lane (for the Speaker),

Assembly Bill No 221, entitled "An act to regulate the registry of voters in this State,"

Was read a second time, considered by sections, and the following amendments proposed by Mr Blohm

Amend the title to read as follows "An act to regulate the registry of voters in this State"

Amend section one, line two, by striking out the words "In cities of the first and second class"

Upon the adoption of the amendment, the ayes and nays were called for with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Kleneit, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Stille, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr. —29

In the negative were—

Messrs Baker, Barber, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Fake, Firth, Gibbs,

Haines, Hick, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman—26

The Speaker thereupon declared the amendment carried

On motion of Mr Lane (for the Speaker),

Assembly Bill No 221, entitled "An act to regulate the registry of voters in this State,"

As amended,

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

On motion of Mr Baker,

Senate Bill No 101, 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 printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Wright,

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 30, entitled, "An act to provide for the publishing of a verbatim report of the deliberations of the Legislature,"

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

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 31, entitled "An act to provide stenographers to the Legislature, to fix their salaries and to define their duties,"

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

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 32, entitled "An act to create the office of State printer of legislative proceedings, to prescribe the fees for said office and to define his duties,"

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

On motion of Mr Wright,

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 33, entitled "An act concerning the comptroller of the State of New Jersey, and to confer the power on the said comptroller and to authorize the said comptroller to fix the rate of fees and pay the same to the State printer of legislative proceedings,"

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

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 34, entitled "An act supplementary to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),' being chapter two hundred and thirty-five of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, and the several acts amendatory and supplementary thereto, and making it a high misdemeanor to falsely publish any official report of the proceedings of the Legislature,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and the following committee amendment proposed, which was read and adopted

Last line of section one, strike out the word "high"

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 34, entitled "An act supplementary to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),' being chapter two hundred and thirty-five of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, and the several acts amendatory and supplementary thereto, and making it a high misdemeanor to falsely publish any official report of the proceedings of the Legislature,"

As amended,

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

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 35, entitled "An act to provide for the public distribution of the verbatim reports of the proceedings of the Legislature,"

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

On motion of Mr Groel,

Assembly Bill No 270, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Verona, in the county of Essex,"

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

Mr Perkins offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to Jos A. Riordan, prospective member of this House

Mr Daab, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No 307, entitled "An act concerning the overseer of the poor and assistant to the overseer of the poor in cities of the first class,"

Assembly Bill No 269, entitled "An act to authorize cities of the first class in this State to buy lands for and to equip and build city stables, and to provide the funds therefor,"

Assembly Bill No 239, entitled "An act to regulate the keeping of employment agencies in this State,"

Assembly Bill No 232, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the formation, establishment and government of towns,' " approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Correctly printed

Mr Kleuert, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 327, entitled "An act to provide for admission of attorneys-at-law, residents of this State, to practice as counsellors-at-law in the courts of this State,"

And

Assembly Bill No 340, entitled "An act concerning the making and collecting of assessments for benefits conferred by the construction of sewers,"

Favorably

On motion of Mr Corish,

Assembly Bill No 105, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale or prescription of cocaine, or any patent or proprietary remedy containing cocaine, and prescribing penalties for the violation 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 Alexander, Aud der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Tillman Tumulty, Wright, Jr—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 he same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 154, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was taken up on third reading and final passage

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 154, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Fake,

Assembly Bill No 211, entitled "An act to authorize the board of education of any township in this State to transfer any unused school building to the township in which said board of education is located, and to empower the township committee to use said building for municipal purposes,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Riordan,

Assembly Bill No 304, entitled "An act to provide for the election of a mayor in incorporated towns of this State and to regulate his duties and term of office,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge

(Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Metz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 383, entitled "An act concerning the publication of legal and official notices and advertisements,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Brenning, Buik, Cattell, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Metz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Potter, Riordan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Morris,

Assembly Bill No 234, entitled "An act to enable adjoining towns, townships and boroughs to form a city government,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Brenning, Buik, Cattell, Corish, Daab,

Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, Wright, Jr—36

In the negative was—

Mr. Baader—1

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Blohm,

Assembly Bill No 165, entitled "An act to regulate the practice of chiropody in the State of New Jersey, to license chiropodists and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Daab, Elvins, Eppinger, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Manson, Olwell, Sullivan, Taylor—15

In the negative were—

Messrs Backus, Baker, Barber, Cattell, Crowther, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Holcombe, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Pawelski, Potter, Riordan, Smalley, Tillman, Wright, Jr—31

The Speaker thereupon declared Assembly Bill No 165 lost

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 179, entitled "An act to authorize the erection of town halls in towns of this State, and the purchase of lands whereon to erect said buildings,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Groel, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Tillman, Tumulty, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Fake,

Senate Bill No 81, entitled "An act concerning bonds,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Jess, Jones, Manson, Sullivan—4

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Eppinger, Fake, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lillagore, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Riordan, Smalley, Taylor, Tumulty, Wright, Jr—37

The Speaker thereupon declared the bill lost

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 139, entitled "An act amending an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas (Revision of 1900),'"

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amendment, proposed by Mr Hahn, was read and adopted

Amend the title of said bill by adding the words "approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred"

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 139, entitled "An act amending an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Comon Pleas (Revision of 1900),'"

As amended,

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

On motion of Mr Perkins,

Senate Bill No 40, entitled "An act ceding to the United States jurisdiction over lands acquired for public purposes within this State,"

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Cattell, Crowther, Devine, Jr, Drake, Eppinger, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Pawelski, Potter, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor—35

In the negative was—

Mr Daab—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

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 230, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a sanatorium for persons afflicted with tuberculous diseases and to provide for the selection of a site and the erection of buildings therefor and the government thereof,'" approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 230, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a sanatorium for persons afflicted with tuberculous diseases and to provide for the selection of a site and the erection of buildings therefor and the government thereof,'" approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Was taken up, considered by sections, and the following amendment, offered by Mr Wright, was adopted

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 230, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a sanatorium for persons afflicted with tuberculous diseases and to provide for the selection of a site and the erection of buildings therefor and the government thereof,'" approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,

As amended,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Cattell, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Eppinger, Fake, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter,

Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Tillman, Tumulty, Wright, Jr —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

On motion of Mr Perkins,

Senate Bill No 41, entitled "An act authorizing the Governor to cede to the United States certain lands under water in the Delaware river for the purpose of aiding in the improvement of said river,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr , Earle, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr , Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Tillman, Tumulty, Wright, Jr —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

On motion of Mr Potter,

Senate Bill No 38, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1896),'" approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Cattell, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Eppinger, Fake, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Metz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Tillman, Tumulty, Wright, Jr—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

Mr Klenert, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 410, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating and brewed liquors," passed March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,'" approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,

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

Mr Tumulty, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 411, entitled "An act to amend '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 supplement was approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 412, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish in this State boards of health and a bureau of vital statistics, and to define their respective powers and duties,'" approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven,

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

Mr Breunig, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 413, entitled "An act to provide for the establishment of public playgrounds in cities of this State and for the maintenance, control and management thereof,"

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

Mr Morris, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 414, entitled "An act extending the jurisdiction of the Courts of Common Pleas,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 415, entitled "An act extending the jurisdiction of the Circuit Courts of the State of New Jersey,"

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

Mr Wright offered the following Assembly Joint Resolution

Joint Resolution No 4, providing for the appointment of a committee of the Legislature to investigate the State Fish and Game Commission

BE IT RESOLVED *by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey*

1 A committee of the Legislature, to consist of three Senators, to be appointed by the President, and five members of the General

Assembly, to be appointed by the Speaker, be authorized and directed to investigate the entire subject of fish and game conditions as controlled by the State Fish and Game Commission

2 The said committee shall have the right to employ counsel, a stenographer and other clerical assistants as may be necessary, and with the approval of the Governor, fix their compensation, which shall be paid by the Treasurer on the warrant of the Comptroller

3 The said committee shall have authority to sit after the final adjournment of the Legislature

4 This resolution shall take effect immediately

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries

The Clerk read the following announcement

There will be a meeting of the Committee on Municipal Corporations Monday afternoon, March 18th, at 3 30 o'clock

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 154, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amendment offered by Mr Smalley, which was read and adopted

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Assembly Bill No 154, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

As amended,

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

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

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

The House then adjourned

FRIDAY, March 15th, 1907

At 10 30 o'clock A M the House met

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

Messrs Burk Barber, Thompson

Mr Burk, Speaker *pro tem*, in the chair

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

MONDAY, March 18th, 1907

House met at 8 o'clock P M

Prayer was offered by Rev H W. Maguire, of Bayonne, N J

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

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Frith, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—58

Absent—

Messrs Devine, Jr, Jones—2

On motion of Mr Klenert, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with

The following petitions were received

One thousand members of Women Clubs of New Jersey in favor of the passage of the anti-cigarette bill,

Lawyers' Club of Essex County, Newark, N J, recommending passage of Assembly Bills Nos. 149 and 142,

A number of petitions against the passage of House Bill No 10,

Presbyterian Brotherhood, Third Church, Elizabeth, N J

Mr Perkins offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

WHEREAS, A lobbyist named J Frank Burke has stated publicly that three members of the Judiciary Committee have entered into a conspiracy to prevent the report of Assembly Bill No 254, known as the Local Option Bill, therefore be it

Resolved, That on Tuesday, March 19th, inst, at two o'clock, the House resolve itself into a committee of the whole to investigate said charges and to act thereon, and that said Burke be notified by the Sergeant-at-Arms to be present at said hearing

Mr Holcombe offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Harry K Kinsmer, president of the common council of the city of Lambertville, N J

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

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Judge John G Horner, a former member of this House, from Burlington county

Mr Olwell offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Edw A Murphy, a former member of this House, from Hudson county

The clerk read the following announcement

There will be a meeting of the Committee on Incidental Expenses on Monday next at 3 30 P M.

The clerk read the following concurrent resolution by Mr Alexander, which was adopted

WHEREAS, On this eighteenth day of March, the Hon Grover Cleveland, ex-President of the United States, has reached his seventieth birthday, and

WHEREAS, The State of New Jersey can justly claim him as a citizen, both by reason of his birth within the limits of the State and the choice of this State as his home, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the congratulations and good wishes of the one hundred and thirty-first Legislature of this State of New Jersey be and they hereby are extended to the Honorable Grover Cleveland on this his seventieth birthday, and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution, properly attested by the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Assembly, be forthwith sent to the Honorable Grover Cleveland

On motion of Mr Alexander, the Sergeant-at-Arms carry a copy of the above resolution to the Senate,

Which motion was carried

Mr Hendrickson, Chairman of the Committee on Militia, reported

Assembly Bill No 385, entitled "An act to authorize the erection of a tablet or monument on the battle ground of Chestnut Neck, in the State of New Jersey, and to provide money to pay the cost of the erection and dedication of the same,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Kleneit, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Assembly Bill No 267, entitled "An act to provide meeting places, necessary supplies, and to defray the expenses of the boards of taxation in counties of this State,"

Assembly Bill No 382, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

And

Senate Bill No 93, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable the board of chosen freeholders of any county in this State to erect, construct and maintain a viaduct between two or more municipalities, and to extend roads to connect with such viaduct, and to acquire lands for the same, and to issue bonds for the payment of the cost of the erection, construction and acquisition thereof,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

And

Senate Joint Resolution No 3, entitled "Whereas, Article five of the constitution of the United States provides that 'the Congress, whenever two-thirds of both houses shall deem it necessary, shall propose amendments to this constitution, or on the application of

the Legislatures of two-thirds of the several States, shall call a convention for proposing amendments, which in either case shall be valid to all intents and purposes as part of this constitution, when ratified by the Legislatures of three-fourths of the several States or by convention in three-fourths thereof,' et cætera, and,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Senate Bill No 62, entitled "An act to amend 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate fees,"'" approved April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six, which supplement was approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

With amendment

Mr Daab, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No 12, entitled "An act to authorize cities of the first class to contract to supply water to certain other municipalities in this State,"

Assembly Bill No 20, entitled "An act to provide for the payment by railroad companies of wages in lawful money of the United States every two weeks,"

Assembly Bill No 25, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act relative to the time of election and appointments and terms of office of officers elected or appointed in cities in this State,'" approved February twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and one,

Assembly Bill No 34, entitled "An act supplementary to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),' being chapter two hundred and thirty-five of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, and the several acts amendatory and supplementary thereto, and making it a high misdemeanor to falsely publish any official report of the proceedings of the Legislature,"

Assembly Bill No 57, entitled "An act for the better protection of game and game birds,"

Assembly Bill No 63, entitled "An act concerning railroads, and providing for presumptive proof of negligence in any action

brought hereafter in any court having jurisdiction over such action, and relative to certain effects of the violation of or failure to comply with, according to law, of any order of any board of commissioners now in existence or hereafter to be established in this State, concerning the safety of the premises on or through which any railroad in this State operates of or may hereafter operate, and which said premises are the property of or are under the control of any such railroad, or concerning the safety of any tools, equipment, apparatus or other mechanical appliances or contrivances which are the property of, under the control or in use by any railroad in this State,"

Assembly Bill No 101, entitled "An act prohibiting the transaction of business in this State by foreign banking, savings, trusts or safe deposit corporations,"

Assembly Bill No 103, entitled "An act relating to the cancellation of mortgages,"

Assembly Bill No 108, entitled "An act concerning railroads and other carriers, and requiring them to make reasonable connections with each other,"

Assembly Bill No 119, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for suppressing vice and immorality (Revision),'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No 151, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting railroads and canals,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No 154, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 156, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 172, 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 188, 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, nineteen hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 212, entitled "An act to require resident citizens to secure license before hunting or gunning within the State of New Jersey, and providing penalties for violation of its provisions,"

Assembly Bill No 219, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for public safety on railroads,' " approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one,

Assembly Bill No 220, entitled "An act concerning the compulsory furnishing of freight cars by any railroad or other carrier doing business in New Jersey, and providing a penalty to such railroad or other carrier for failing to do so,"

Assembly Bill No 221, entitled "An act to regulate the registry of voters in this State,"

Assembly Bill No 225, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act relative to the time of election and appointment and terms of office of officers elected or appointed in towns, townships, boroughs and other municipalities in this State,' " approved February fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Assembly Bill No 226, entitled "An act relative to the payment of deposits made with any bank or trust company in the name of two persons,"

Assembly Bill No 231, entitled "An act for the protection of laborers and mechanics engaged in the construction of buildings,"

Assembly Bill No 237, entitled "An act in relation to the salaries of town clerk, collector of taxes and assessor in towns of this State,"

Assembly Bill No 248, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating the granting by municipalities of consent to the use of streets, avenues, parks, parkways and other public

places,' " approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Assembly Bill No 266, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to enable cities to purchase land, erect buildings thereon and equip the same for fire department purposes,' " approved April seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Assembly Bill No 310, entitled "An act to enable any municipality of this State to grant permission to any duly incorporated ferry company to use the foot of any public street or streets ending on the tidal waters of this State as a terminal for a public ferry,"

Assembly Bill No 314, entitled "An act to compel all railroads in this State to make switching connections with private sidings,"

Assembly Bill No 315, entitled "An act concerning the appointment of receivers for railroads by the Court of Chancery of New Jersey,"

Assembly Bill No 317, entitled "A general act concerning rates and charges for the transportation of passengers over and on the railroads of and within this State and establishing certain maximum rates and charges for such transportation,"

Assembly Bill No 321, entitled "An act concerning a proposed amendment to the constitution relating to the judiciary, adapting thereto the structure and practice of the courts, which amendment has been agreed to by a majority of the members elected to the Senate and House of Assembly at the election held in one thousand nine hundred and six,"

Assembly Bill No 324, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to facilitate the acquirement of land and the erection of buildings for county purposes,' " approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and one,

Assembly Bill No 328, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the incorporated cities, towns, townships and boroughs of this State to fund their floated indebtedness and their matured and maturing bonds," approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,' " and which amendment was approved February eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and one,

Assembly Bill No 336, 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 345, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act authorizing the sale of land granted or devised to religious associations, or to corporations formed or existing for the purpose of education, or to officers or trustees of such corporations in certain cases,'" approved April seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Assembly Bill No 347, entitled "An act to authorize the construction and establishment of public docks and the shipping facilities connected therewith, and the purchasing and acquiring of riparian lands and rights of other lands and rights in land necessary therefor or incident thereto, and for the regulation of the same in cities fronting on navigable waters of this State,"

Assembly Bill No 354, entitled "An act regulating the construction and maintenance of hospitals, sanitariums or other buildings designed for the care, entertainment, board, maintenance, treatment or cure of any person or persons afflicted with the disease known as pulmonary tuberculosis, or any infectious, contagious or communicable disease,"

Assembly Bill No 115, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the formation of railroad corporations and regulate the same,'"

Assembly Bill No 214, entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'An act,'" approved April twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Assembly Bill No 244, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning paid fire departments in certain municipalities of this State, and for the relief of members thereof, their widows, dependent parents and children,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

And

Assembly Bill No 50, entitled "An act to regulate and fix the price of water furnished for domestic or other use in counties of

the first class by purveyors of water enjoying the right to lay mains and pipes for the purpose of conducting water in or through the public streets, avenues, roads or highways of said counties,"

Correctly printed

Mr Holcombe, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads and Canals, reported

Assembly Bill No 362, 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,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Groel, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 407, 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,

Mr Breunig, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Senate Bill No 110, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to enable counties which have no county hospital to assist in maintaining hospitals located in such county," approved April twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,'" which said supplement was approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Auf der Heide, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships, reported

Senate Bill No 26, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize any town, village or municipality governed by a board of commissioners, or improvement commission, to lay out, open, widen, alter and vacate streets, roads or avenues, and to locate and construct sewers, and to acquire lands and buildings,

or parts thereof, by purchase or condemnation, for such purposes,'" approved April thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Senate Bill No 52, entitled "An act to validate bonds heretofore or hereafter issued by towns and villages for the construction of sewers and drains under an act entitled 'An act to authorize towns and villages to construct sewers and drains and provide for the payment of the cost thereof,'" approved May twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety, and the various supplements and amendments thereto,

And

Senate Bill No 53, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize towns and villages to construct sewers and drains and to provide for the payment of the cost thereof,'" approved May twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Riordan, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No 318, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1896),'" approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,

Assembly Bill No 405, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to an information in the nature of a quo warranto (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

And

Senate Joint Resolution No 1, entitled "Whereas, The people of this State are confronted with an unreasonable increase in the price of coal in winter, and of ice in summer, brought about, it is popularly believed, by monopolies created under the corporation laws of this State, therefore,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Brady, Chairman of the Committee on Elections, reported

Assembly Bill No 409, entitled "An act relative to the time of election and appointment and term of office of officers elected or

ppointed in cities, towns, townships, boroughs and other municipalities in this State,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Breunig, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, eported

Assembly Bill No 413, entitled "An act to provide for the stablishment of public playgrounds in cities of this State and for ie maintenance, control and management thereof,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Hahn, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, eported

Assembly Bill No 69, entitled "An amendment to an act entled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act for the protection f certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method f capture, and to provide open and close seasons for such capture nd possession (Revision of 1903)," ' " approved April fourteenth, ne thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 70, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, regulate their method of capture, and to provide open and close easons for such capture and possession (Revision of 1903),' " pproved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 159, entitled "An act to regulate net fishing Sandy Hook bay, Raritan bay and tributaries thereof,"

Assembly Bill No 149, entitled "An act to amend an act ntitled 'An act relative to fishing in the North and South Shrewsury rivers, and in the waters of Sandy Hook and Raritan bay,' " pproved April seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and ghty-two,

Assembly Bill No 240, entitled "A supplement to an act entled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game nd fish, to regulate their method of capture, and provide open nd closed seasons for such capture and possession (Revision of 903),' " approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred nd three,

Assembly Bill No 341, entitled "A further supplement t an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act fo the better regulation and control of the taking, planting an cultivating of oysters on lands lying under the tidal waters o the Delaware bay and Maurice river cove, in the State of Ne Jersey," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hun dred and ninety-nine,' which supplemental act was approve March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and five, an which supplement thereto was approved May twenty-fifth, on thousand nine hundred and five, and extending the provision of said supplemental act, and extending the provisions of sai original act, to certain lands under the tidal waters in Rarita bay, in the State of New Jersey, to wit lands comprehended b the following lines Beginning at the watch-house at Canaskon point, on the shore of Raritan bay, thence, in a straight line the government buoy, known as East Point Buoy, thence, on true course west southwest, to the point where said course inte sects a line drawn on a course due north from Cliffwood poin thence, on a true course south, to Cliffwood point, thence alon the shore line to the place of beginning,"

And

Assembly Joint Resolution No 4, entitled "Joint resolution pr viding for the appointment of a committee of the Legislature investigate the State Fish and Game Commission,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Alexander offered the following Assembly Concurrent Res lution No 6, which was read and referred to the Committee o Judiciary

Be it Resolved (the Senate concurring), That the followi amendment to the constitution of this State be and the same hereby proposed, and when the same shall be agreed to by majority of the members elected to the House of Assembly and the Senate the said amendment shall be entered on their journa with the yeas and nays taken thereon, and referred to the Sena next to be chosen, and published for three months previous to t first Tuesday after the first Monday of November next, in at lea one newspaper of each county, to be designated by the Speaker the House of Assembly, the President of the Senate and the Se

etary of State, payment for such publication to be made by the 'reasurer on the warrant of the Comptroller

Strike out paragraph four of section two of article seven and ısert in place thereof the following.

4 The clerk of the Supreme Court, clerk of the Court of Chanery and keeper of the State Prison shall be nominated by the lovernor and appointed by him with the advice and consent of ıe Senate, they shall hold their office for five years

Add the following paragraph

4*a* The Attorney-General and Secretary of State shall be lected by the legal voters of this State, when the Attorney-Genral and Secretary of State are to be elected by the people, such lection shall be held at the time when and at the place where the eople shall respectively vote for members of the Lgislature, they ıall hold their office for five years

Strike out paragraph six of section two of article seven and ısert in place thereof the following

6 Clerks and surrogates of counties and prosecutors of the leas shall be elected by the people of their respective counties at ıe annual election for members of the General Assembly, they ıall hold their office for five years

This amendment shall take effect on the first Monday in Febuary in the year next following its adoption by the people

The Legislature shall pass all laws necessary to carry into effect ıe provisions of the constitution and this amendment thereof

On motion of Mr Elvins,

Assembly Bill No 321, entitled "An act concerning a proposed mendment to the constitution relating to the judiciary, adapting ereto the structure and practice of the courts, which amendment as been agreed to by a majority of the members elected to the enate and House of Assembly at the election held in one thousand ine hundred and six,"

Be recommitted to committee,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 147, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the preservation of crabs in the waters of the North and South Shrewsbury rivers and their tributaries,'" approved February sixth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Be recommitted to committee,

Which motion was carried

Mr Wright moved that the motion to recall

Assembly Bill No 68, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

From the Senate be rescinded, which motion to rescind was unanimously adopted

Mr Buck, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 416, entitled "An act providing for the regulation and inspection of electrical wires, conduits and equipment erected and maintained in the public places of this State,"

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

Mr Buxton, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 417, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the use of power vessels and boats navigating the waters within the jurisdiction of this State above tide water and to provide for the inspection and licensing of power vessels, their masters, pilots and engineers,'" approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 418, entitled "An act concerning the enforcement of ordinances in incorporated towns,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 419, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize incorporated towns to construct, operate and maintain a system of sewers and drains and to provide for the payment of the costs of the construction, operation and maintenance thereof,'" approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,

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

Mr Smalley, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 420, 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 was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Education

Mr Gioel, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 421, entitled "An act to establish a school and to provide facilities and accommodations in the State prison,"

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

Mr Wright, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 422, entitled "An act confirming the title to certain real estate of which James R Smith, late of county of Essex, in this State, died seized,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 423, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the ascertainment and payment of compensation for property condemned or taken for public use (Revision of 1900),'" approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred,

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

Mr Baker, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 424, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the fire departments in cities of the first class,'" approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 425, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of architecture,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and two,

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

Mr VanBlaicom, by request, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 426, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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

Mr Lewis, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 427, entitled "An act to change the name of Samuel Smilovitz,"

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

Mr Lane, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 428, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1896)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,'" which supplemental act was approved May sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 429, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' " which supplementary act was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

Mr Sullivan, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 430, entitled "An act for the taxation of the franchises of all persons, co-partnerships, associations or corporations using or occupying public streets, highways, roads or other public places, except municipal, and corporations taxable under the act entitled 'An act for the taxation of railroad and canal property,' " approved April tenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, or any of the supplements or amendments thereto,

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

Mr Sullivan offered the following Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 7, which was read and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

WHEREAS, There are various amendments proposed to the present State Constitution with the view to modernizing it in the interest of present-day wants, and

WHEREAS, It is generally believed that our present requirements as a people have outgrown our Constitution, which should be superseded by a more up-to-date document, therefore, be it

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That a committee of three members from each house be appointed by the presiding officer of each house to sit during the present session and report before adjournment of the Legislature a bill for the holding of a constitutional convention at an early date

Mr Alexander, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 431, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the examination of witnesses before legislative committees and providing for the punishment of witnesses refusing or neglecting to appear or give evidence before such committees,'" approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

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

Mr Firth, Chairman of the Committee on Appropriations, reported

Assembly Bill No 207, entitled "An act to authorize the unveiling of a monument, now in course of erection at Monocacy, Maryland, to commemorate the services of the Fourteenth Regiment, New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, in the battle of Monocacy and thirty other engagements of the Civil War, and to appropriate money to pay the expense of the proper unveiling of said monument,"

Favorably, without amendment

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 139, entitled "An act amending an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas (Revision of 1900),'"

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

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 65, entitled "An act to regulate railroads and other common carriers in this State, creating a State Board of Commissioners to regulate and police railroads and other common carriers in this State, said board so created to be known as the 'State Board of Commissioners of Railroads and Public Utilities,' giving to them an official seal, to fix their salaries, define their powers (including among said powers the power to issue compulsory processes and use contempt proceedings), to prescribe their term of office, and the mode of the procedure and the rules of evidence to govern said board in the conduct of their hearings

and in certain other of their proceedings, to prescribe penalties for the disobeying or contempt of the processes and orders of the said board of railroad commissioners, and providing, further, for any other matters to make efficient such a board so established to police and regulate railroads,'

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following committee amendments, proposed by the Committee on Railroads and Canals, were read and adopted

In page two, section two, line two, strike out word "twenty-five" and insert word "thirty"

In page three, section five, line two, strike out word "prescribe" and insert words "take the"

In page three, section seven (7), line nine, insert after word "board" the words "the annual salary of said inspectors shall be twelve hundred dollars each"

In page five, section eleven, line four, strike out words "and all" and insert words "or of"

In page five, section eleven, line seven, strike out word "all" and insert word "any"

In page five, section twelve, line three, strike out word "offices" and insert word "duties"

In page six, section twelve, line eleven, between words "practice" and "in," insert words "except on the business of said board"

In page six, section fourteen, line four, between words "to" and "adopt" insert words "supervise or"

In page seven, section fourteen, line thirteen, strike out word "fix" and insert words "supervise or fix for"

In page seven, section fourteen, line twenty-two, between words "to" and "fix" insert words "supervise or"

In page eight, section fourteen, line forty-six, strike out words "forty-eight" and insert words "ninety-six"

In page eight, section fourteen, line forty-eight, strike out word "shall" and insert word "may"

In page nine, section fourteen, line seventy-one, strike out word "act" and insert word "action"

In page nine, section fourteen, line eighty-eight, strike out word "trials" and insert words "proceedings of review"

In page eleven, section fourteen, line one hundred and forty-eight, between words "outstanding" and "bonds," insert word "stocks"

In page thirteen, section fourteen, line two hundred and twelve, between the word "the" and word "courts" insert word "circuit"

In page fourteen, section fourteen, line two hundred and thirty-six, strike out word "State" and insert words "said board"

In page sixteen, section nineteen, line nine, between words "and" and "to," insert words "all the rules for their operation and"

In page sixteen, section nineteen, line thirteen, after the word "employes" insert in and add to said paragraph words "and make proper orders in reference thereto"

In page seventeen, section twenty-two, line six, strike out word "unreasonable" and insert word "unreasonably"

In page eighteen, section twenty-four, line four, strike out word "under" and insert words "for a"

In page eighteen, section twenty-five, line one, strike out words "provided by this act"

Mr Alexander offered the following amendments to

Assembly Bill No 65, entitled "An act to regulate railroads and other common carriers in this State, creating a State Board of Commissioners to regulate and police railroads and other common carriers in this State, said board so created to be known as the 'State Board of Commissioners of Railroads and Public Utilities,' giving to them an official seal, to fix their salaries, define their powers (including among said powers the power to issue compulsory processes and use contempt proceedings), to prescribe their term of office, and the mode of the procedure and the rules of evidence to govern said board in the conduct of their hearings and in certain other of their proceedings, to prescribe penalties for the disobeying or contempt of the processes and orders of the said board of railroad commissioners, and providing, further, for any other matters to make efficient such a board so established to police and regulate railroads,"

Which were read and adopted

Strike out the whole of section one and insert in place thereof the following

1 A State Board of Railroad Commissioners is hereby created, to be composed of five citizens of this State, to be elected by the voters of this State who now are or hereafter may be qualified to vote for members of the General Assembly The said five commissioners shall be elected on the first Tuesday after the first Monday of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred and seven, and every three years thereafter, and their election and nomination shall be governed by the provisions of the act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," and the various acts supplementary thereto and amendatory thereof The term of office of said commissioners shall be three years and the said commissioners shall take office January first, one thousand nine hundred and eight, in accordance with the provisions of this act The Governor of this State shall within sixty days after the passage of this act appoint five persons, being citizens of this State, which appointments shall be ad interim appointments, and the said commissioners so appointed by the Governor shall serve until January first, one thousand nine hundred and eight

Section two, line one, after the word "so," add the words "elected or"

Section two, line three, after the word "be," insert the words "elected or"

Section ten, line one, after the word "said," insert the words "ad interim"

Strike out all of section sixteen from the words "the Governor," in line seven, to the words "become vacant," inclusive

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 65, entitled "An act to regulate railroads and other common carriers in this State, creating a State Board of Commissioners to regulate and police railroads and other common carriers in this State, said board so created to be known as the 'State Board of Commissioners of Railroads and Public Utilities,' giving to them an official seal, to fix their salaries, define their powers (including among said powers the power to issue

compulsory processes and use contempt proceedings), to prescribe their term of office, and the mode of the procedure and the rules of evidence to govern said board in the conduct of their hearings and in certain other of their proceedings, to prescribe penalties for the disobeying or contempt of the processes and orders of the said board of railroad commissioners, and providing, further, for any other matters, to make efficient such a board so established to police and regulate railroads,"

As amended,

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

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 10, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amendment proposed by Mr Hendrickson was read and adopted

In section two, line five, after the word "purpose" insert "but not including rolling stock or floating equipment"

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 10, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

As amended,

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

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 330, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act for the incorporation of cities and providing for their officers, government and powers," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,'" approved June twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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

On motion of Mr Eppinger,

Assembly Bill No 337, entitled "An act providing for the reimprovement of any street, avenue, road or highway, or the portion of such street, avenue, road or highway, lying in part only in one town, township or borough, which has heretofore been improved and for which improvement assessments for benefits have been heretofore levied and imposed, and for the issue of bonds to pay for said reimprovement,"

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

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 348, entitled "An act to permit real estate belonging to any city of the first class, a portion or all of which is not required for the purposes for which it was acquired, to be used for a hospital for persons suffering from tuberculosis, and to provide for the maintenance and supervision of said hospital,"

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

On motion of Mr Brady,

Assembly Bill No 290, entitled "An act concerning the admittance of children under the age of fourteen to dance houses, concert saloons, museums, skating rinks, places wherein theatrical performances are being presented by paid performers, or places of entertainment that may be injurious to their health or morals,"

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amendment proposed by Mr Alexander, was read and adopted

Line five, after the word "guardian," insert the words "or by some person authorized in writing by such parent or guardian"

On motion of Mr Brady,

Assembly Bill No 290, entitled "An act concerning the admittance of children under the age of fourteen to dance houses, concert saloons, museums, skating rinks, places wherein theatrical performances are being presented by paid performers, or places of entertainment that may be injurious to their health or morals,"

As amended,

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

On motion of Mr Baader,

Assembly Bill No 293, entitled "An act to change the name of Joseph Klausmann,"

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

On motion of Mr Elvins,

Assembly Bill No 277, entitled "An act to prohibit sales of merchandise in bulk in fraud of creditors,"

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

On motion of Mr Olwell,

Assembly Bill No 249, entitled "An act to change the name of Sarah Ann Backus,"

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

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 167, entitled "An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of speedways in counties of this State,"

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

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 252, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the government and regulation of the State prison,'" passed April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amendment was offered by Mr Alexander, which was read and adopted

Section one, lines two to four, strike out the words "nor shall any cell known as a dark cell be maintained for the punishment of prisoners in said State"

On motion of Mr. Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No. 252, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the government and regulation of the State prison,'" passed April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

As amended,

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

On motion of Mr Olwell,

Assembly Bill No 250, entitled "An act to change the name of Burtiss Davison Backus,"

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

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 349, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to the time of election and appointment and terms of office or officers elected or appointed in towns, townships, boroughs and other municipalities in this State,'" approved February fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

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

On motion of Mr Backus,

Assembly Bill No 208, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning townships (Revision of 1899),'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

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

On motion of Mr Groel,

Assembly Bill No 273, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the formation, establishment and government of towns,'" approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

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

On motion of Mr Perkins,

Assembly Bill No 294, entitled "An act authorizing boroughs to issue bonds to redeem improvement certificates issued for the payment of the cost of public improvements,"

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

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Assembly Bill No 301, entitled "An act to authorize the return of money paid as fines in certain cases,"

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

On motion of Mr Crowther,

Assembly Bill No 200, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning district courts (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Assembly Bill No 83, entitled "An act relative to writs of certiorari and proceedings thereunder,"

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

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 147, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the preservation of crabs in the waters of the North and South Shrewsbury rivers and their tributaries,'" approved February sixth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Be recommitted to committee,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Brady,

Assembly Bill No 262, entitled "An act relating to the abolishment and elimination of all grade crossings of streets and highways over all the railroads in the State,"

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

On motion of Mr Crowther,

Assembly Bill No 286, entitled "An act to provide for the free distribution of diphtheria antitoxin to the inhabitants of this State,"

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

On motion of Mr Auf der Heide,

Assembly Bill No 323, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to improve the conditions of tenement-houses of this State and to establish a State board of tenement-house supervision,'" approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and four (P L, p 96),

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

On motion of Mr Ridgway,

Assembly Bill No 303, entitled "An act establishing the standard of measurement for the sale of milk, skimmed milk or cream and providing penalties for violations thereof,"

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

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 160, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 376, entitled "An act to prohibit fishing through or under ice in any of the waters of this State,"

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

On motion of Mr Gioel,

Assembly Bill No 327, entitled "An act to provide for admission of attorneys-at-law, residents of this State, to practice as counsellors-at-law in the courts of this State,"

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

On motion of Mr Perkins,

Assembly Bill No 340, entitled "An act concerning the making and collecting of assessments for benefits conferred by the construction of sewers,"

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

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 306, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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

On motion of Mr Crowther,

Assembly Bill No 358, entitled "An act relating to appropriations in certain municipalities and unexpended balances thereof,"

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

On motion of Mr Baker,

Assembly Bill No 197, entitled "An act entitled 'An act to encourage sports and pastimes on the first day of the week, commonly called Sunday,'"

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amendments, offered by Mr Baker, were read and adopted

In paragraph three, line four, change comma from after "hereafter" so as to be after the word "Assembly," and put a comma after the word "held"

Also, in line five, change word "when" to "whenever"

In line nine, strike out words "there should be" and word "so" and insert after the word "cast" the following words "upon said question shall be"

On motion of Mr Baker,

Assembly Bill No 197, entitled "An act entitled 'An act to encourage sports and pastimes on the first day of the week, commonly called Sunday,'"

As amended,

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

On motion by Mr Hahn, that the rules be suspended and the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 383, entitled "An act concerning the publication of legal and official notices and advertisements,"

Passed third reading and final passage, be reconsidered,

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —49

In the negative—None

The Speaker thereupon declared the motion carried

Mr Hahn moved that the House inform the Senate that it had reconsidered the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 383, entitled "An act concerning the publication of legal and official notices and advertisements,"

Passed third reading and final passage, and request the Senate to return the bill to the House,

Which motion was carried

Mr Hahn moved that the rules be suspended, and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 383, entitled "An act concerning the publication of legal and official notices and advertisements,"

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Assembly Bill No 383, entitled "An act concerning the publication of legal and official notices and advertisements,"

Be placed back on second reading,

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—52

In the negative—None

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Assembly Bill No 324, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to facilitate the acquirement of land and the erection of buildings for county purposes,'" approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and one,

Be recommitted to committee for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 18th, 1907

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 37, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide for a digest of the law and chancery reports of this State,'" approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Committee Substitute for

Senate Bill No 46, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities,'" approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two, and also to amend a supplement to said act, which supplement is entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities,'" approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Committee Substitute for

Senate Bill No 47, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities,'" approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two, by providing further for the method in which ordinances shall be passed by city councils in said cities by amending section eleven of said act,

Senate Bill No 80, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Rumson, in the county of Monmouth,"

Senate Bill No 88, 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 92, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to amend 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 97, entitled "An act to authorize the change of name of any newspaper published in this State,"

Senate Bill No 103, 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,' "

Senate Bill No 108, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the formation of canal companies and to regulate the same,' " approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven,

Senate Bill No 111, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the commitment of insane persons into institutions for the care and treatment of the insane in this State, their confinement therein and their support while so confined,' " approved July fifth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Senate Bill No 112, entitled "An act to provide for the making of decrees of the Orphans' Court a lien on the lands and real estate of any person or persons liable on such decree by docketing the same in the Supreme Court of this State and issuing of execution thereon,"

Senate Bill No 126, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the infliction of the penalty of death,' " approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Senate Bill No 140, entitled "An act for extending the time for completing certain railroads,"

Senate Bill No 141, entitled "An act to provide for a suitable detail from the National Guard of New Jersey to participate at the dedication and unveiling of a monument erected at Washington, D C, to the honor and memory of the late Major-General George B McClellan,"

Senate Bill No 143, entitled "An act to provide aid for monument associations,"

Senate Bill No 147, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the formation of canal companies and to regulate the same,' " approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven,

Senate Bill No 155, entitled "An act to amend the title of an act entitled 'An act to authorize two or more municipalities in this State to jointly construct and maintain outlet to trunk sewers,' approved March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, and to validate certain acts and proceedings of municipalities under said act and its supplements,"

Senate Bill No 164, 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 165, 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 166, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),'"

Senate Bill No 171, entitled "An act to amend section six of an act entitled 'An act to provide for the marking and designating of the channels of the bays, thoroughfares and sounds flowed by tide waters in the counties of Ocean, Atlantic and Cape May,'" approved June twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Senate Bill No 172, entitled "An act to make the proceedings of the Department of New Jersey of the Grand Army of the Republic a part of the public record of the State and to provide for the printing of same,'

Senate Bill No 173, entitled "An act to provide additional accommodations for 'The Manual Training and Industrial School for Colored Youth,' located at Bordentown, in the county of Burlington,"

Senate Bill No 174, 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 179, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of

1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Senate Bill No 180, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the prevention of cruelty to animals,'" approved March eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty,

Senate Bill No 205, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,'" approved February twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

And

Senate Joint Resolution No 6, entitled "A joint resolution providing for the removal of the remains of Major-General Philip Kearny to the National Cemetery at Arlington, Virginia,"

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

H L TYLER,

Secretary of the Senate

The Senate message was then taken up, and

Committee Substitute for

Senate Bill No 37, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide for a digest of the law and chancery reports of this State,'" approved April tenth, 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

Committee Substitute for

Senate Bill No 46, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities,'" approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two, and also to amend a supplement to said act, which supplement is entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities,'" 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 Miscellaneous Business

Committee Substitute for

Senate Bill No 47, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities,'" approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two, by providing further for the method in which ordinances shall be passed by city councils in said cities by amending section eleven of said act,

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 80, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Rumson, in the county of Monmouth,"

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

Senate Bill No 88, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning townships (Revision of 1899),'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

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

Senate Bill No 92, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to amend 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 97, entitled "An act to authorize the change of name of any newspaper published in 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 Bill No 103, 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,'"

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

Senate Bill No 108, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the formation of canal companies and to regulate the same,'" approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven,

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 111, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the commitment of insane persons into institutions for the care and treatment of the insane in this State, their confinement therein and their support while so confined,'" approved July fifth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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

Senate Bill No 112, entitled "An act to provide for the making of decrees of the Orphans' Court a lien on the lands and real estate of any person or persons liable on such decree by docketing the same in the Supreme Court of this State and issuing of execution thereon,"

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 126, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the infliction of the penalty of death,'" approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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

Senate Bill No 140, entitled "An act for extending the time for completing certain railroads,"

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

Senate Bill No 141, entitled "An act to provide for a suitable detail from the National Guard of New Jersey to participate at the dedication and unveiling of a monument erected at Washington, D C, to the honor and memory of the late Major-General George B McClellan,"

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 143, entitled "An act to provide aid for monument associations,"

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 147, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the formation of canal companies and to regulate the same,'" approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven,

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 155, entitled "An act to amend the title of an act entitled 'An act to authorize two or more municipalities in this State to jointly construct and maintain outlet to trunk sewers,' approved March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, and to validate certain acts and proceedings of municipalities under said act and its supplements,"

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 164, 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 Municipal Corporations

Senate Bill No 165, 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 Municipal Corporations

Senate Bill No 166, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),' "

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

Senate Bill No 171, entitled "An act to amend section six of an act entitled 'An act to provide for the marking and designating of the channels of the bays, thoroughfares and sounds flowed by tide waters in the counties of Ocean, Atlantic and Cape May,' " approved June twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Navigation

Senate Bill No 172, entitled "An act to make the proceedings of the Department of New Jersey of the Grand Army of the Republic a part of the public record of the State and to provide for the printing of same,"

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 173, entitled "An act to provide additional accommodations for 'The Manual Training and Industrial School for Colored Youth,' located at Bordentown, in 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 Education

Senate Bill No 174, 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 179, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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

Senate Bill No 180, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the prevention of cruelty to animals,'" approved March eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty,

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

Senate Bill No 205, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,'" approved February twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

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

And

Senate Joint Resolution No 6, entitled "A joint resolution providing for the removal of the remains of Major-General Philip Kearny to the National Cemetery at Arlington, Virginia,"

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

Mr Buck, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 432, 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,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a

second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws

Mr Hahn moved that the rules be suspended, and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 141, entitled "A supplement to 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 advanced to third reading, be reconsidered,

Which motion was carried

Mr Hahn moved that the rules be suspended, and that

Assembly Bill No 141, entitled "A supplement to 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,

Be placed back on second reading,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Olwell,

Assembly Bill No 61, entitled "An act to regulate the hours of labor of mechanics, workmen and laborers employed upon the public works of the State of New Jersey, or upon the public works of any county, city, township or other municipality therein,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Devine, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Riordan, Sullivan, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—34

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Drake, Jess, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor—18

On motion of Mr Olwell,

Assembly Bill No 182, entitled "An act in relation to the expenditure of public moneys,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Devine, Ji , Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—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 Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That when the House adjourn it be to meet to-morrow morning, at 10 30 o'clock

Mr Morris, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No 363, entitled "An act to authorize cities of this State through which any river, stream or creek runs, and into which the sewage of any city empties, to build and construct intercepting sewers, to receive all such sewage to be disposed of in such manner as shall be deemed proper, and to provide for the alteration of a general system of sewerage and drainage in cities, and to cleanse and otherwise improve such rivers, streams or creeks and to issue bonds to meet the expense of such work,"

Assembly Bill No 364, entitled "An act to enable cities to widen, deepen and improve the streams, creeks or rivers which are the outlets of the natural drainage or storm or surface water

therein, and to erect retaining walls on the banks of the same, and to condemn lands along such streams, creeks or rivers necessary to carry into effect the provisions of this act, and to issue bonds for the cost of said improvement,"

Assembly Bill No. 370, entitled "An act providing for the re-improvement of any street, avenue, road or highway, or the portion of such street, avenue, road or highway, in any city, which has been heretofore improved and for which improvement assessments for benefits have been heretofore levied and imposed, and for the issue of bonds to pay for said improvements,"

Assembly Bill No 371, entitled "An act to provide for the election of an alderman, common councilman or councilman-at-large, in cities of the second class in this State, and to regulate his duties, salary and term of office,"

Assembly Bill No 372, entitled "An act to provide for the protection of improved streets in cities of this State, to authorize cities to require water, sewer and gas connections to be made before the improvement of any street and empowering such city to make water, sewer and gas connections and the cost thereof lien upon lands,"

Assembly Bill No 373, entitled "An act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning roads (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four," which further supplement was approved March twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one,' "

And

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 93, entitled "An act to establish grade crossings of railroads in cities of the first and second class,"

Favorably, without amendment

The Clerk read the following announcement

There will be a meeting of the Democratic Assemblymen in the Speaker's room at 10 o'clock, sharp, to-morrow morning

The House then adjourned

TUESDAY, March 19th, 1907

House met at 10 o'clock A M

Prayer was offered by Rev Howard J Conover, of Cranbury, N J

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

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Rioidan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —55

Absent—

Messrs Devine, Jr, Fake, Gibbs, Haines, Pawelski—5

On motion of Mr Klenert, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with

Mr Baker offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the felicitations of this Assembly be extended to the Hon Frank Crowther, of Middlesex county, upon his appointment as a member of the County Board of Taxation of that county, and be it

Resolved, That this resolution be adopted unanimously and enthusiastically

Mr Perkins, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 433, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Kenilworth, in the county of Union,"

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

Mr Morris, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 434, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize incorporated towns and townships to construct sewers, drains and a sewer disposal plant or plants and to provide for the payment and costs thereof,'" approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and five,

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

Mr Hahn, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 435, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessments and water rents or water rates in cities in this State, and imposing and levying a tax, assessment, and lien in lieu and instead of such arrearages, and to enforce the payment thereof, and to provide for the sale of lands subjected to future taxation and assessment,'" passed March thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

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

Mr Lane, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 436, entitled "An act concerning the appointment and term of office of the city counsel in cities of the second class in this State,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 437, entitled "An act concerning the appointment of members of boards of excise commissioners in cities of this State,"

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

Mr Barber, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 438, entitled "An act to fix the annual salary of the mayors of certain cities in this State,"

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

Mr VanBlarcom, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 439, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to the Supreme and Circuit Courts (Revision of 1900),'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

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

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 169, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable the boards of chosen freeholders of any of the several counties of this State to construct and reconstruct bridges over and across navigable rivers or streams therein, in certain cases, and providing for the regulation thereof,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two,

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

On motion of Mr Elvins,

Assembly Bill No 385, entitled "An act to authorize the erection of a tablet or monument on the battle ground of Chestnut Neck, in the State of New Jersey, and to provide money to pay the cost of the erection and dedication of the same,"

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

On motion of Mr Potter,

Assembly Bill No 267, entitled "An act to provide meeting places, necessary supplies and to defray the expenses of the boards of taxation in counties of this State,"

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

On motion of Mr Blohm,

Assembly Bill No 382, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes (Revision of

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

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

On motion of Mr Holcombe,

Assembly Bill No 362, 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,"

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

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 407, 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, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Crowther,

Assembly Bill No 318, entitled "A 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, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Riordan,

Assembly Bill No 405, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to an information in the nature of a quo warranto (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 69, entitled "An amendment to 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,

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

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 70, 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,

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

On motion of Mr Groel,

Assembly Bill No 159, entitled "An act to regulate net fishing in Sandy Hook bay, Raritan bay and tributaries thereof,"

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

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 149, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relative to fishing in the North and South Shrewsbury rivers, and in the waters of Sandy Hook and Raritan bay,'" approved April seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

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

On motion of Mr Jess,

Assembly Bill No 240, 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,

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

On motion of Mr Crowther,

Assembly Bill No 341, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the better regulation and control of the taking, planting and cultivating of oysters on lands lying under the tidal waters of the Delaware bay and Maurice river cove, in the State of New Jersey," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,' which supplemental act was approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and five, and which supplement thereto was approved May twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and five, and extending the provisions of said supplemental act, and extending the provisions of said original act, to certain lands under the tidal waters in Raritan bay, in the State of New Jersey, to wit lands comprehended by the following lines Beginning at the watch-house at Canaskonk point, on the shore of Raritan bay, thence, in a straight line to the government buoy, known as East Point Buoy, thence, on a true course west southwest, to the point where said course intersects a line drawn on a course due north from Cliffwood point, thence, on a true course south, to Cliffwood point, thence along the shore line to the place of beginning,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Joint Resolution No 4, entitled "Joint resolution providing for the appointment of a committee of the Legislature to investigate the State Fish and Game Commission,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Potter,

Assembly Bill No 207, entitled "An act to authorize the unveiling of a monument, now in course of erection at Monocacy, Maryland, to commemorate the services of the Fourteenth regiment, New Jersey volunteer infantry, in the battle of Monocacy and thirty other engagements of the Civil War, and to appropriate

money to pay the expense of the proper unveiling of said monument,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Breunig,

Assembly Bill No 413, entitled "An act to provide for the establishment of public playgrounds in cities of this State and for the maintenance, control and management thereof,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Moxon,

Assembly Bill No 363, entitled "An act to authorize cities of this State through which any river, stream or creek runs, and into which the sewage of any city empties, to build and construct intercepting sewers, to receive all such sewage to be disposed of in such manner as shall be deemed proper, and to provide for the alteration of a general system of sewerage and drainage in cities, and to cleanse and otherwise improve such rivers, streams or creeks and to issue bonds to meet the expense of such work,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Moxon,

Assembly Bill No 364, entitled "An act to enable cities to widen, deepen and improve the streams, creeks or rivers which are the outlets of the natural drainage or storm or surface water therein, and to erect retaining walls on the banks of the same, and to condemn lands along such streams, creeks or rivers necessary to carry into effect the provisions of this act, and to issue bonds for the cost of such improvement,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Holzapfel,

Assembly Bill No 370, entitled "An act providing for the reimprovement of any street, avenue, road or highway, or the portion of such street, avenue, road or highway, in any city, which

has been heretofore improved and for which improvement assessments for benefits have been heretofore levied and imposed, and for the issue of bonds to pay for said improvements,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Holzapfel,

Assembly Bill No 372, entitled "An act to provide for the protection of improved streets in cities of this State, to authorize cities to require water, sewer and gas connections to be made before the improvement of any street and empowering such city to make water, sewer and gas connections and the cost thereof lien upon lands,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Holcombe,

Assembly Bill No 373, entitled "An act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning roads (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four," which further supplement was approved March twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one,' "

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Daab,

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 93, entitled "An act to establish grade cross-supply for municipalities of this State,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 11, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),' " approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Riordan,

Assembly Bill No 99, entitled "An act to provide for water-supply for municipalities of this State,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

Mr Riordan moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 99, entitled "An act to provide for water-supply for municipalities of this State,"

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered,

Which motion was carried

Mr Riordan moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No 99, entitled "An act to provide for water-supply for municipalities of this State,"

Be placed back on second reading,

Which motion was carried by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Rioidan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—52

In the negative—None

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 19th, 1907

Mr Speaker

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills

Senate committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 29, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase of sites for and the erection and equipment of armories in cities of the first and second class, and making appropriations therefor, and to provide for the taking of real estate for such sites by commission in case the same cannot be purchased by agreement,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

And

Assembly Bill No 43, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relative to the Princeton battle monument,'" approved April twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

And

Assembly Bill No 205, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

With Senate amendment,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

H L TYLER,

Secretary of the Senate

The Senate amendment to

Assembly Bill No 205, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was taken up on third reading, and the Speaker put the question Shall the Senate amendment to

Assembly Bill No 205, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Be concurred in?

Upon which the ayes and nays were called with the following result

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —55

The Speaker thereupon declared the amendment concurred in

House reconvened

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —53

Absent—

Messrs Buik, Devine, Jr, Gibbs, Drake, Haines, Jones, Pawelski—7

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon George Wright, a former member of this House

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon George H Dalrymple, a former member of this House

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 18, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of South Bound Brook,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—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 Tumulty moved that the rules be suspended and the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 244, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning paid fire departments in certain municipalities of this State, and for the relief of members thereof, their widows, dependent parents and children,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Was advanced to third reading, be reconsidered and placed back on second reading,

Which motion was adopted by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, Wright, Jr.—30

In the negative were—

Messrs Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Fake, Gibbs, Haines, Irick, Jones, Klenert, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Merz, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, VanBlarcom—29

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 244, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning paid fire departments in certain municipalities of this State, and for the relief of members thereof, their widows, dependent parents and children,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Be recommitted to committee for amendment,

Which motion was adopted

On motion of Mr Earle,

Assembly Bill No 154, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Colish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Frith, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—53

In the negative was—

Mr Sullivan—1

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Assembly Bill No 155, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning carriers (Revision of 1904),'" approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

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. Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Corish, Devine, Jr, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Potter, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—33

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Barber, Blohm, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Drake, Elvins, Gibbs, Hendrickson, Jr, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Ridgway, Sullivan, Wright, Jr—22

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Burk,

Assembly Bill No 275, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employes and operatives 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," which supplement was approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

Mr Lane moved that the rules be suspended, and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 222, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to the writ of certiorari (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered,

Which motion was carried

Mr Lane moved that the rules be suspended, and that

Assembly Bill No 222, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to the writ of certiorari (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Potter,

Assembly Bill No 269, entitled "An act to authorize cities of the first class in this State to buy lands for and to equip and build city stables, and to provide the funds therefor,"

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—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Tillman, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—51

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 307, entitled "An act concerning the overseer of the poor and assistant to the overseer of the poor in cities of the first class,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Bulk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Tillman, VanBlarcom, Jr—51

In the negative was—

Mr Sullivan—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 Hendrickson moved that the rules be suspended, and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 245, entitled "An act providing for the reimprovement of any street, avenue, road or highway, or the portion of such street, avenue, road or highway, lying in part only in one town, which has been heretofore improved and for which improvement assessments for benefits have been heretofore levied and imposed, and for the issue of bonds to pay for said improvement,"

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered,

Which motion was carried

Mr Lane moved that the rules be suspended, and that

Assembly Bill No 245, entitled "An act providing for the re-improvement of any street, avenue, road or highway, or the portion of such street, avenue, road or highway, lying in part only in one town, which has been heretofore improved and for which improvement assessments for benefits have been heretofore levied and imposed, and for the issue of bonds to pay for said improvement,"

Be placed back on second reading for purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 347, entitled "An act to authorize the construction and establishment of public docks and the shipping facilities connected therewith, and the purchasing and acquiring of riparian lands and rights of other lands and rights in land necessary therefor or incident thereto, and for the regulation of the same in cities fronting on navigable waters of this State,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Colish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Fake, Fuith, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Tillman, VanBlarcom—48

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

Mr Perkins moved that the rules be suspended, and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 87, entitled "A supplement to an act concerning roads (Revision)," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered,

Which motion was carried

Mr Perkins moved that the rules be suspended, and that

Assembly Bill No 87, entitled "A supplement to an act concerning roads (Revision)," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Be placed back on second reading for purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Baker,

Assembly Bill No 101, entitled "An act prohibiting the transaction of business in this State by foreign banking, savings, trusts or safe deposit corporations,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —51.

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Baker,

Assembly Bill No 226, entitled "An act relative to the payment of deposits made with any bank or trust company in the name of two persons,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—53

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

Mr Wright moved that the rules be suspended, and that

Assembly Bill No 106, entitled "An act relating to street railways and conferring the additional power to regulate them on the State Board of Commissioners of Railroads and Public Utilities," supplementary to an act entitled "An act to regulate railroads and other common carriers in this State, creating a State Board of Commissioners to regulate and police railroads and other common carriers in this State, said board so created to be known as the 'State Board of Commissioners of Railroads and Public Utilities,' giving to them an official seal, to fix their salaries, define their powers (including among said powers the power to issue compulsory processes and use contempt proceedings), prescribe their term of office, and the mode of the procedure and the rules of evidence to govern said board in the conduct of their hearings, and in certain other of their proceedings, to prescribe penalties for the disobeying or contempt of the processes and orders of the said Board of Railroad Commissioners, and providing further for any other matters to make efficient such a board established to police and regulate railroads,"

Be placed back on second reading,

Which motion was carried

Mr Daab moved that the rules be suspended, and that

Committee Substitute for

Assembly Bill No 93, entitled "An act to establish grade crossings of railroads in cities of the first and second class,"

Be placed back on second reading for purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

Mr VanBlarcom moved that the rules be suspended, and that

Assembly Bill No 352, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning superintendents of indoor relief in cities of this State,'" approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Be placed back on second reading for purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

Mr Morris, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 440, entitled "An act providing for the establishment of evening schools for foreign residents in the State of New Jersey,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Education

Mr Merz, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 441, entitled "An act respecting theatre and show licenses in municipalities of this State,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business

Mr Groel asked that by unanimous consent

Assembly Bill No 270, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Verona, in the county of Essex,"

Be withdrawn from the files of the House, which request was granted

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Assembly Bill No 308, entitled "A further supplement to 'An act to regulate fees,'" approved April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up, and, under supension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Groel,

Assembly Bill No 212, entitled "An act to require resident citizens to secure license before hunting or gunning within the State of New Jersey, and providing penalties for violation of its provisions,"

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 Buxton, Daab, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Perkins, Riordan, Sullivan—12

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Morris, Moxon, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—41

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the 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 Perkins offered the following resolution, which was adopted.

Resolved, That the House now resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole to investigate charges made by one Mr Burke, according to resolution introduced March 18th,

Whereupon the House resolved itself into Committee of the Whole

When the House reconvened, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Metz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—52

Absent—

Messrs Buck, Burk, Elvins, Firth, Haines, Pawelski, Potter, Taylor—8

Mr Barber, being recognized by the Speaker, announced that he had been named as Chairman of the Committee of the Whole, and reported that the committee, acting on the following resolution, which had been adopted by the House

WHEREAS, A lobbyist named J Frank Burke has stated publicly that three members of the Judiciary Committee have entered into a conspiracy to prevent the report of Assembly Bill No 254, known as the "Local Option Bill," therefore be it

Resolved, That on Tuesday, March nineteenth, instant, at two o'clock, the House resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole to investigate said charges and to act thereon, and that said Burke be notified by the Sergeant-at-Arms to be present at said hearing

After considering it and investigating the allegations, it was recommended that the following resolution be adopted by the House

WHEREAS, The committee find and report that the statement made by J Frank Burke, charging members of the Judiciary Committee with agreeing to prevent the reporting of Assembly Bill No 254, known as the "Local Option Bill," is false and without any foundation in fact, and that said Burke has used unfair means and circulated false reports for the purpose of intimidating the members of said committee, be it

Resolved, That it is the sense of the committee that said J Frank Burke be severely censured, his tactics condemned and that he be hereafter forbidden the privileges of the floor of this House

Mr Barber also announced that in Committee of the Whole, Mr Drake had moved that the resolution last above quoted be amended by striking out of the second paragraph all the words after the word "condemned," and that the amendment was defeated by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Drake, Jones, Lillagore, Morris, Smalley—5

In the negative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Stille, Sullivan, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —41

On the adoption of the original resolution regarding the findings of the Committee of the Whole, the vote was as follows in the Committee of the Whole

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Ep-

pinger, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr , Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —48

In the negative—None

Mr Barber then moved that the House adopt the resolution recommended by the Committee of the Whole On the roll being called, the resolution was adopted by the House by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Bruning, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr , Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr , Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —48

In the negative—None

Mr Hendrickson then moved that the recommendations of the Committee of the Whole be spread at length on the minutes, and that the Clerk be instructed to forward a copy of the minutes to Mr Burke

This motion was carried unanimously

The following resolution was offered by Mr Klenert, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That when the House adjourns it be to meet at 10 30 o'clock A M

The House then adjourned

WEDNESDAY, March 20th, 1907

House met at 10 30 o'clock A M

Prayer was offered by the Rev Father Conway, of Trenton, N J

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —52

Absent—

Messrs Breunig, Drake, Jess, Jones, Pawelski, Riordan, Thompson, Tillman—8

On motion of Mr Klenert, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with

The following petition was read

From the Town Improvement Association of West Hoboken, N J, recommending the passage of a bill abolishing grade crossings, introduced by Mr Daab

Mr Lane, Chairman of the Committee on Banks and Insurance, reported

Assembly committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 103, 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,'"

Mr Backus, Chairman of the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions, reported

Assembly Bill No 322, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'Supplement to the act entitled "A general act relative to boroughs (Revision of 1897),"'" approved April nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Assembly Bill No 325, entitled "An act permitting certain boards of education to convey school houses and lands to the boroughs or other municipalities in which they are situated,"

Assembly Bill No 295, entitled "An act to set off territory from the borough of Mountainside, in the county of Union, and annex the same to the town of Westfield, in said county,"

And

Senate Bill No 80, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Rumson, in the county of Monmouth,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Auf der Heide, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships, reported

Senate Bill No 88, 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 Baader, Chairman of the Committee on Commerce and Navigation, reported

Senate Bill No 171, entitled "An act to amend section six of an act entitled 'An act to provide for the marking and designating of the channels of the bays, thoroughfares and sounds flowed by tide waters in the counties of Ocean, Atlantic and Cape May,'" approved June twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Baker, Chairman of the Committee on Bill Revision, reported

Assembly Bill No 424, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the fire departments in cities of the first

class,' " approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 425, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of architecture,' " approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Morris, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No 297, entitled "A bill giving to the voters a power of direct legislation in municipal government,"

Assembly Bill No 299, entitled "A bill giving to the voters a veto power over the acts of their representatives in municipal governments,"

Assembly Bill No 329, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the appointment, term of office and salary of assessors in certain cities in this State, and prescribing their duties,' " approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Assembly Bill No 403, entitled "An act to provide funds to be used for the construction of subways for street cars in cities of the first class in this State,"

Senate Bill No 164, 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 165, 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,

And

Senate Bill No 205, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,' " approved February twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Hendrickson, Chairman of the Committee on Militia, reported

Senate Bill No 141, entitled "An act to provide for a suitable detail from the National Guard of New Jersey to participate at the dedication and unveiling of a monument erected at Washington, D C, to the honor and memory of the late Major-General George B McClellan,"

Senate Bill No 143, entitled "An act to provide aid for monument associations,"

And

Senate Bill No 172, entitled "An act to make the proceedings of the Department of New Jersey of the Grand Army of the Republic a part of the public record of the State and to provide for the printing of same,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Daab, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No 10, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,' " approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 30, entitled "An act to provide for the publishing of a verbatim report of the deliberations of the Legislature,"

Assembly Bill No 31, entitled "An act to provide stenographers to the Legislature, to fix their salaries and to define their duties,"

Assembly Bill No 32, entitled "An act to create the office of State Printer of Legislative Proceedings, to prescribe the fees for said office and to define his duties,"

Assembly Bill No 33, entitled "An act concerning the Comptroller of the State of New Jersey, and to confer the power on the said Comptroller and to authorize the said Comptroller to fix the rate of fees and pay the same to the State Printer of Legislative Proceedings,"

Assembly Bill No 35, entitled "An act to provide for the public distribution of the verbatim reports of the proceedings of the Legislature,"

Assembly Bill No 65, entitled "An act to regulate railroads and other common carriers in this State, creating a State Board of Commissioners to regulate and police railroads and other common carriers in this State, said board so created to be known as the 'State Board of Commissioners of Railroads and Public Utilities,' giving to them an official seal, to fix their salaries, define their powers (including among said powers the power to issue compulsory processes and use contempt proceedings), to prescribe their term of office, and the mode of the procedure and the rules of evidence to govern said board in the conduct of their hearings and in certain other of their proceedings, to prescribe penalties for the disobeying or contempt of the processes and orders of the said Board of Railroad Commissioners, and providing, further, for any other matters to make efficient such a board so established to police and regulate railroads,"

Assembly Bill No 67, entitled "An act to prohibit unfair discrimination by railroads and other carriers of this State between different persons, sections, communities or localities and of unfair conditions, and providing penalties therefor,"

Assembly Bill No 83, entitled "An act relative to writs of certiorari and proceedings thereunder,"

Assembly Bill No 139, entitled "An act amending an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas (Revision of 1900),'"

Assembly Bill No 167, entitled "An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of speedways in counties of this State,"

Assembly Bill No 200, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning District Courts (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No 208, entitled "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 249, entitled "An act to change the name of Sarah Ann Backus,"

Assembly Bill No 250, entitled "An act to change the name of Burtiss Davison Backus,"

Assembly Bill No 252, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the government and regulation of the State Prison,'" passed April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Assembly Bill No 262, entitled "An act relating to the abolishment and elimination of all grade crossings of streets and highways over all the railroads in the State,"

Assembly Bill No 270, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Verona, in the county of Essex,"

Assembly Bill No 273, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the formation, establishment and government of towns,'" approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Assembly Bill No 277, entitled "An act to prohibit sales of merchandise in bulk in fraud of creditors,"

Assembly Bill No 286, entitled "An act to provide for the free distribution of diphtheria antitoxin to the inhabitants of this State,"

Assembly Bill No 290, entitled "An act concerning the admittance of children under the age of fourteen to dance houses, concert saloons, museums, skating rinks, places wherein theatrical performances are being presented by paid performers, or places of entertainment that may be injurious to their health or morals,"

Assembly Bill No 293, entitled "An act to change the name of Joseph Klausmann,"

Assembly Bill No 294, entitled "An act authorizing boroughs to issue bonds to redeem improvement certificates issued for the payment of the cost of public improvements,"

Assembly Bill No 301, entitled "An act to authorize the return of money paid as fines in certain cases,"

Assembly Bill No 303, entitled "An act establishing the standard of measurement for the sale of milk, skimmed milk or cream and providing penalties for violations thereof,"

Assembly Bill No 306, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No 323, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to improve the conditions of tenement-houses of this State and to establish a State board of tenement-house supervision,'" approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and four (P L, p 96),

Assembly Bill No 327, entitled "An act to provide for admission of attorneys-at-law, residents of this State, to practice as counsellors-at-law in the courts of this State,"

Assembly Bill No 330, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act for the incorporation of cities and providing for their officers, government and powers," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,'" approved June twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Assembly Bill No 340, entitled "An act concerning the making and collecting of assessments for benefits conferred by the construction of sewers,"

Assembly Bill No 348, entitled "An act to permit real estate belonging to any city of the first class, a portion or all of which is not required for the purposes for which it was acquired, to be used for a hospital for persons suffering from tuberculosis, and to provide for the maintenance and supervision of said hospital,"

Assembly Bill No 358, entitled "An act relating to appropriations in certain municipalities and unexpended balances thereof,"

Assembly Bill No 376, entitled "An act to prohibit fishing through or under ice in any of the waters of this State,"

And

Assembly Bill No 137, entitled "An act for the sale in fee of land purchased by any taxing district for taxes, assessments or water rents (Revision of 1905),"

As correctly printed

Mr Klenert, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 442, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning paid fire departments in certain municipalities of this State, and for the relief of members thereof, their widows, dependent parents and children,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Mr Lane, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 443, entitled "An act to provide for the attendance of a part of the National Guard of New Jersey at the unveiling of a monument to the soldiers of the revolution, at Orange, in the county of Essex,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Militia

Mr Lane moved that the rules be suspended, and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 348, entitled "An act to permit real estate belonging to any city of the first class, a portion or all of which is not required for the purposes for which it was acquired, to be used for a hospital for persons suffering from tuberculosis, and to provide for the maintenance and supervision of said hospital,"

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Assembly Bill No 348, entitled "An act to permit real estate belonging to any city of the first class, a portion or all of which is not required for the purposes for which it was acquired, to be used for a hospital for persons suffering from tuberculosis, and to provide for the maintenance and supervision of said hospital,"

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 348, entitled "An act to permit real estate belonging to any city of the first class, a portion or all of which is not required for the purposes for which it was acquired, to be used for a hospital for persons suffering from tuberculosis, and to provide for the maintenance and supervision of said hospital,"

Be recommitted to committee for amendment,

Which motion was carried

Mr Moxon moved that the rules be suspended, and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 363, entitled "An act to authorize cities of this State through which any river, stream or creek runs, and into which the sewage of any city empties, to build and construct intercepting sewers, to receive all such sewage to be disposed of in such manner as shall be deemed proper, and to provide for the alteration of a general system of sewerage and drainage in cities, and to cleanse and otherwise improve such rivers, streams or creeks and to issue bonds to meet the expense of such work,"

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Assembly Bill No 363, entitled "An act to authorize cities of this State through which any river, stream or creek runs, and into which the sewage of any city empties, to build and construct intercepting sewers, to receive all such sewage to be disposed of in such manner as shall be deemed proper, and to provide for the alteration of a general system of sewerage and drainage in cities, and to cleanse and otherwise improve such rivers, streams or creeks and to issue bonds to meet the expense of such work,"

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

Mr Moxon moved that the rules be suspended, and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 364, entitled "An act to enable cities to widen, deepen and improve the streams, creeks or rivers which are the outlets of the natural drainage of storm or surface water

therein, and to erect retaining walls on the banks of the same, and to condemn lands along such streams, creeks or rivers necessary to carry into effect the provisions of this act, and to issue bonds for the cost of such improvement,"

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Assembly Bill No 364, entitled "An act to enable cities to widen, deepen and improve the streams, creeks or rivers which are the outlets of the natural drainage of storm or surface water therein, and to erect retaining walls on the banks of the same, and to condemn lands along such streams, creeks or rivers necessary to carry into effect the provisions of this act, and to issue bonds for the cost of such improvement,"

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

Mr Hendrickson moved that the rules be suspended, and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 172, 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 advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Assembly Bill No 172, 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,

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 172, 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,

Be recommitted to committee for purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Olwell,

Assembly Bill No 229, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act in relation to county expenditures,' " approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

Was taken up, 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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Eppinger, Firth, Gibbs, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Iiick, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom —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

On motion of Mr Eppinger,

Assembly Bill No 48, entitled "An act regulating the salaries of members of the boards of council or other governing bodies of towns, incorporated as such, in this State,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Firth, Gibbs, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Hol-

combe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Perkins, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Taylor,

Assembly Bill No 259, entitled "An act making an appropriation for plans and estimates of cost for the improvement of Manasquan Inlet,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Brennig, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—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.

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Assembly Bill No 202, entitled "An act to regulate the importation of dependent children and providing a penalty for violation 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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Brady,

Assembly Bill No 232, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the formation, establishment and government of towns,'" approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 239, entitled "An act to regulate the keeping of employment agencies in this State,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Drake, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Perkins, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Tillman, VanBlarcom—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.

On motion of Mr Olwell,

Assembly Bill No 20, entitled "An act to provide for the payment by railroad companies of wages in lawful money of the United States every two weeks,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Buxton, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —50

In the negative were—

Messrs Burk, Cattell, Gibbs, Irick, Jones, Lewis—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

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the officers and members of the Grand Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons of the State of New Jersey assembled in this city

Mr Daab, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No 69, entitled "An amendment to 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,

Assembly Bill No 70, 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,

Assembly Bill No 160, 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 169, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable the boards of chosen freeholders of any of the several counties of this State to construct and reconstruct bridges over and across navigable rivers or streams therein, in certain cases, and providing for the regulation thereof,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two,

Assembly Bill No 197, entitled "An act entitled 'An act to encourage sports and pastimes on the first day of the week, commonly called Sunday,'"

Assembly Bill No 207, entitled "An act to authorize the unveiling of a monument, now in course of erection at Monocacy, Maryland, to commemorate the services of the fourteenth regiment, New Jersey volunteer infantry, in the battle of Monocacy and thirty other engagements of the Civil War, and to appropriate money to pay the expense of the proper unveiling of said monument,"

Assembly Bill No 230, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a sanatorium for persons afflicted with tuberculous diseases and to provide for the selection of a site and the erection of buildings therefor and the government thereof,'" approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Assembly Bill No 240, 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,

Assembly Bill No 267, entitled "An act to provide meeting places, necessary supplies and to defray the expenses of the boards of taxation in counties of this State,"

Assembly Bill No 318, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1896),'" approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,

Assembly Bill No 337, entitled "An act providing for the reimprovement of any street, avenue, road or highway, or the portion of such street, avenue, road or highway, lying in part only in one town, township or borough, which has heretofore been improved and for which improvement assessments for benefits have been heretofore levied and imposed, and for the issue of bonds to pay for said reimprovement,"

Assembly Bill No 349, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to the time of election and appointment and terms of office or officers elected or appointed in towns, townships, boroughs and other municipalities in this State,'" approved February fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Assembly Bill No 364, entitled "An act to enable cities to widen, deepen and improve the streams, creeks or rivers which are the outlets of the natural drainage of storm or surface water therein, and to erect retaining walls on the banks of the same, and to condemn lands along such streams, creeks or rivers necessary to carry into effect the provisions of this act, and to issue bonds for the cost of such improvement,"

Assembly Bill No 382, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

And

Assembly Joint Resolution No 4, entitled "Joint resolution providing for the appointment of a committee of the Legislature to investigate the State Fish and Game Commission,"

As correctly printed

On motion of Mr Baker,

Assembly Bill No 103, entitled "An act relating to the cancellation of mortgages,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buxton, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Haines, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Mead, Merz, Olwell, Ridgway, Smalley, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—30

In the negative were—

Messrs Buck, Cattell, Drake, Elvins, Fake, Gibbs, Hendrickson, Jr, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Morris, Moxon, Perkins, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty—22

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Daab,

Assembly Bill No 119, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for suppressing vice and immorality (Revision),'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Manson, Mead, Merz, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, Van-Blarcom, Wright, Jr—28

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Davison, Drake, Elvins, Fake, Gibbs, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Morris, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman—27

Mr Alexander moved that the rules be suspended, and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 151, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting railroads and canals,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Assembly Bill No 151, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting railroads and canals,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Klenert, the House then took a recess until 2 o'clock P M

AFTERNOON SESSION

House reconvened

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Ridgway, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —52

Absent—

Messrs Burk, Drake, Gibbs, Manson, Pawelski, Potter, Stille, Sullivan—8

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 106, entitled "An act relating to street railways and conferring the additional power to regulate them on the State Board of Commissioners of Railroads and Public Utilities," supplementary to an act entitled "An act to regulate railroads and other common carriers in this State, creating a State Board of Commissioners to regulate and police railroads and other common carriers in this State, said board so created to be known as the 'State Board of Commissioners of Railroads and Public Utilities,' giving to them an official seal, to fix their salaries, define their powers (including among said powers the power to issue compulsory processes and use contempt proceedings), prescribe their term of office, and the mode of the procedure and the rules of evidence to govern said board in the conduct of their hearings, and in certain other of their proceedings, to prescribe penalties for the disobeying or contempt of the processes and orders of the said Board of Railroad Commissioners, and providing further for any

other matters to make efficient such a board established to police and regulate railroads,"

Was taken up and read a second time

Mr Wright offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted

Amend section eight, line one, by striking out word "rejected" and inserting after the word "hereby" the word "repealed"

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 106, entitled "An act relating to street railways and conferring the additional power to regulate them on the State Board of Commissioners of Railroads and Public Utilities," supplementary to an act entitled "An act to regulate railroads and other common carriers in this State, creating a State Board of Commissioners to regulate and police railroads and other common carriers in this State, said board so created to be known as the 'State Board of Commissioners of Railroads and Public Utilities,' giving to them an official seal, to fix their salaries, define their powers (including among said powers the power to issue compulsory processes and use contempt proceedings), prescribe their term of office, and the mode of the procedure and the rules of evidence to govern said board in the conduct of their hearings, and in certain other of their proceedings, to prescribe penalties for the disobeying or contempt of the processes and orders of the said Board of Railroad Commissioners, and providing further for any other matters to make efficient such a board established to police and regulate railroads,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Brady,

Assembly Bill No 291, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 329, entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the appointment, term of office and salary of assessors in certain cities in this State, and prescribing their duties,' " approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

Mr Eppinger moved that the rules be suspended, and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 49, entitled "An act abolishing the office of collector of arrears of taxes in towns, incorporated as such, in this State,"

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Assembly Bill No 49, entitled "An act abolishing the office of collector of arrears of taxes in towns, incorporated as such, in this State,"

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

Mr Eppinger offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted

Strike out section four

On motion of Mr Eppinger,

Assembly Bill No 49, entitled "An act abolishing the office of collector of arrears of taxes in towns, incorporated as such, in this State,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

Mr Baker moved that the rules be suspended, and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 53, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'"'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Assembly Bill No 53, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'"'" approved April fourth one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

Mr Baker offered the following committee amendment, which was read and adopted

Strike out the title and insert the following title

"An act entitled to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),"' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," which supplemental act was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three

Strike out the enacting clause and insert in place thereof the following

BE IT ENACTED *by the Sénate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey*

Section four of an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'"'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," which supplemental act was approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and three, shall be amended and read as follows

On motion of Mr Baker,

Assembly Bill No 53, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Jess,

Assembly Bill No 55, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),'" approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

Mr Mead moved that the rules be suspended, and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 54, entitled "An act for the appointment of a board for the examination and licensing of sanitary plumbers, and defining the duties and powers of said board,"

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Assembly Bill No 54, entitled "An act for the appointment of a board for the examination and licensing of sanitary plumbers, and defining the duties and powers of said board,"

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

Mr Mead offered the following committee amendment which was read and adopted

Section one, line two, strike out the word "four" and insert the word "three"

Same section, lines two and three, strike out the words "one of whom shall be chief inspecting officer of the city"

Same section, line five, strike out the words "the health officer"

Same section, lines nine and ten, strike out the words "office of health inspector of the"

Section eight, line one, strike out the words "of a journeyman plumber"

Section eight, line two, strike out the words "and for a master plumber five dollars"

On motion of Mr Mead,

Assembly Bill No 54, entitled "An act for the appointment of a board for the examination and licensing of sanitary plumbers, and defining the duties and powers of said board,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Assembly Bill No 85, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Assembly Bill No 163, entitled "An act extending the time for completing certain railroads,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 166, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating and brewed liquors," passed March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,'" approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Baker,

Assembly Bill No 227, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Baker,

Assembly Bill No 228, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Morris,

Assembly Bill No 236, entitled "An act for the better publication of the annual financial statement of towns, boroughs and townships,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 253, entitled "An act to provide for the compensation of attorneys and counsellors-at-law and to provide a lien for such compensation and the method of fixing and enforcing the same,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Daab,

Assembly Bill No 258, entitled "An act to prevent the purchase or sale of tickets of admission to theatres or other places of amusement for the purpose of resale,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Morris,

Assembly Bill No 280, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to enable incorporated towns to construct water works for the extinguishment of fires and supply the inhabitants thereof with pure and wholesome water,'" approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four (Gen Stat, p 3559),

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 287, entitled "An act regulating the employment of children in mercantile establishments,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Buxton,

Assembly Bill No 289, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the use of power vessels and boats navigating the waters within the jurisdiction of this State above tide water and to provide for the inspection and licensing of power vessels, their masters, pilots and engineers,'" approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Morris,

Assembly Bill No 333, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize incorporated towns or townships to construct sewers, drains and sewerage disposal plant or plants, and to provide for the cost thereof,'" approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and five, constituting chapter seventy-seven of the session laws of one thousand nine hundred and five,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 124, 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 second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

A message was received from the Governor, by the hands of his Secretary, which was read, as follows

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

TRENTON, March 20th, 1907

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Assembly

I had occasion last year to restate my policy on the question of annexation and division of territory among the various municipalities of the State I have noticed that a number of bills are pending this year that do not comply with the suggestions I have heretofore made in this regard I therefore take this means of communicating to the Legislature the principle I think should govern in these cases

First A referendum clause should be embodied in every bill providing for the annexation or division of territory

Second When two or more municipalities are to be annexed, the people in each municipality concerned should be permitted to vote upon the proposition, and no municipality should be forced into annexation with any other municipality or municipalities without the consent of a majority of its citizens voting In other words, if one municipality votes against the proposed annexation, it should not be made a part of any other municipality

Third When a part of the territory of a municipality is to be taken therefrom, or to be made into another municipality, the people of the municipality affected should have a right to vote upon the question, and the referendum should not be confined to the people of the seceding or separating territory This gives the people the power to protect their rights

Respectfully submitted,

E C STOKES

On motion of Mr Klenert, the message be spread in full upon the minutes of the House,

Which motion was carried

Mr Klenert moved that the House be placed under call,

Which motion was carried

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Alexander, Aut der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Meiz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Ridgway, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlaricom, Wright, Jr —50

Absent—

Messrs Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Devine, Jr, Gibbs, Jones, Pawelski, Potter, Riordan, Stille—10

Mr Klenert offered the following Concurrent Resolution and moved its adoption without reference

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Assembly do each appoint a committee of three members of their respective houses to confer for the purpose of fixing a date after which no bills shall be passed by either house, and be it further

Resolved, That after a date so fixed, no adjournment sine die shall be taken until all bills passed by the Legislature shall have been in the Governor's hands at least five days, and be it further

Resolved, That no adjournment be taken until all matters now before the Legislature shall have had full and thorough consideration

Mr Perkins offered the following amendment

"And that both houses remain in session on each legislative day until the business of the Legislature is concluded,"

Which amendment was lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Barber, Buck, Cattell, Crowther, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Fake, Haines, Irick, Jess, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Moxon, Perkins, Smalley, Thompson, Tillman—20

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jones, Kleneit, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlaicom, Wright, Jr—32

The yeas and nays were called upon the original Concurrent Resolution, which was adopted by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Buckus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Cattell, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Kleneit, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Ridgway, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlaicom, Wright, Jr.—51

In the negative—None

Mr Burk, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 444, entitled "An act fixing the salary of the State Librarian,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Education

Mr Perkins, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 445, entitled "An act relating to the construction of filtration plants in connection with the public water-supply in certain cities of this State and providing means for the payment of the cost thereof,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations

Mr Hahn, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 446, entitled "An act concerning the offices of register, surrogate and clerk of the court of Common Pleas in the counties of this State,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Mr Morris, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 447, entitled "An act to regulate the construction and use of dams in the waters of Paulins Kill, in the counties of Warren and Sussex,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business

Mr Brady, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 448, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections,' " approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Elections

Mr Moxon offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Joseph T Hague, a former member of this House

Mr Hahn, chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported

Assembly Bill No 313, entitled "A supplement to 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 provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession (Revision of 1903)," approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three, approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and four,'" which amendatory act was approved June nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six (Pamph L 1906, ch 317, p 699),

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Alexander moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 151, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting railroads and canals,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Assembly Bill No 151, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting railroads and canals,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Assembly Bill No 151, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting railroads and canals,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amendment was offered by Mr Alexander, which was read and adopted

Section one, line three, strike out "or any other inflammable or explosive material"

Mr Barber offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted

"This act shall take effect September 1st, 1907"

Mr Klenert asked that by unanimous consent

Assembly Bill No 189, entitled "An act to authorize the boards of chosen freeholders in the several counties of this State to enter into an agreement with the sheriffs of their respective counties in relation to the support, provision and maintenance of prisoners in the county jails and workhouses in such counties,"

Be withdrawn from the files of the House, which request was granted

Mr Klenert asked that by unanimous consent

Assembly Bill No 244, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning paid fire departments in certain municipalities of this State, and for the relief of members thereof, their widows, dependent parents and children,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Be withdrawn from the files of the House, which request was granted

Mr Olwell asked that by unanimous consent

Assembly Bill No 21, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Be withdrawn from the files of the House, which request was granted

Mr Tumulty, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, reported

Assembly Bill No 357, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of courts of law (Revision of 1903),'"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Hahn, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 147, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the preservation of crabs in the waters of the North and South Shrewsbury rivers and their tributaries,'" approved February sixth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Mr Lane, Chairman of the Committee on Banks and Insurance, reported

Assemly Bill No 172, 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,

Favorably, with amendment

Mr Daab, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No 11, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),'" approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Assembly Bill No 93, entitled "An act to establish grade crossings of railroads in cities of the first and second class,"

Assembly Bill No 106, entitled "An act relating to street railways and conferring the additional power to regulate them on the State Board of Commissioners of Railroads and Public Utilities," supplementary to an act entitled "An act to regulate railroads and other common carriers in this State, creating a State Board of Commissioners to regulate and police railroads and other common carriers in this State, said board so created to be known as the 'State Board of Commissioners of Railroads and Public Utilities,' giving to them an official seal, to fix their salaries, define their

powers (including among said powers the power to issue compulsory processes and use contempt proceedings), prescribe their term of office, and the mode of the procedure and the rules of evidence to govern said board in the conduct of their hearings, and in certain other of their proceedings, to prescribe penalties for the disobeying or contempt of the processes and orders of the said Board of Railroad Commissioners, and providing further for any other matters to make efficient such a board established to police and regulate railroads,"

Assembly Bill No 149, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relative to fishing in the North and South Shrewsbury rivers, and in the waters of Sandy Hook and Raritan bay,'" approved April seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

Assembly Bill No 159, entitled "An act to regulate net fishing in Sandy Hook bay, Raritan bay and tributaries thereof,"

Assembly Bill No 275, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employes and operatives 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," which supplement was approved April fifth one thousand nine hundred and five,

Assembly Bill No 341, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the better regulation and control of the taking, planting and cultivating of oysters on lands lying under the tidal waters of the Delaware bay and Maurice river cove, in the State of New Jersey," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,' which supplemental act was approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and five, and which supplement thereto was approved May twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and five, and extending the provision of said supplemental act, and extending the provisions of said original act, to certain lands under the tidal waters in Raritan bay, in the State of New Jersey, to wit lands comprehended by

the following lines beginning at the watch-house at Canaskonk point, on the shore of Raritan bay, thence, in a straight line to the government buoy, known as East Point Buoy, thence, on a true course west southwest, to the point where said course intersects a line drawn on a course due north from Cliffwood point, thence, on a true course south, to Cliffwood point, thence along the shore line to the place of beginning,"

Assembly Bill No 363, entitled "An act to authorize cities of this State through which any river, stream or creek runs, and into which the sewage of any city empties, to build and construct intercepting sewers, to receive all such sewage to be disposed of in such manner as shall be deemed proper, and to provide for the alteration of a general system of sewerage and drainage in cities, and to cleanse and otherwise improve such rivers, streams or creeks and to issue bonds to meet the expense of such work,"

Assembly Bill No 373, entitled "An act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning roads (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four," which further supplement was approved March twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one,' "

Assembly Bill No 385, entitled "An act to authorize the erection of a tablet or monument on the battle-ground of Chestnut Neck, in the State of New Jersey, and to provide money to pay the cost of the erection and dedication of the same,"

Assembly Bill No 405, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to an information in the nature of a quo warranto (Revision of 1903),' " approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

And

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 407, 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 205, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

With Senate amendments,

As correctly printed

Mr Groel, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Assembly Bill No 401, 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,

With committee amendment

Mr Alexander, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No 396, 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 431, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the examination of witnesses before legislative committees and providing for the punishment of witnesses refusing or neglecting to appear or give evidence before such committees,'" approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

And

Assembly Bill No 375, entitled "An act explanatory of certain words contained in an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to remove the fire and police departments of the cities of this State from political control," approved May second, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five,' and to provide for the establishment, management and distribution of a police pension or retiring fund," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Favorably, without amendment

A message was received from the Governor, by the hand of his Secretary, which was read as follows

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

TRENTON, March 20th, 1907

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Assembly

I herewith submit for your consideration the report of the commissioners to revise and codify the laws relating to master and servant, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 94 of the Laws of 1905

This report embodies a compilation of the decisions in this State relating to action for damages for personal injury to servants while in the employ of their master The commission find the subject so intricate that they feel that further data should be gathered before legislative recommendation is made They therefore ask for a continuance of authority to further investigate and consider the subject

Respectfully submitted,

E C STOKES

On motion of Mr Barber, that 500 copies of the report of the commissioners to revise and codify the laws relating to master and servant, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 94 of the laws of 1905, be printed

Mr Tumulty, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, announces that a hearing will be held on Monday afternoon, March 25th, at 2 o'clock, to consider the following

Assembly Bill No 153, entitled "An act in relation to the appointment of police justices, recorders or police magistrates in cities of the second class,"

Assembly Bill No 206, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 366, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to the pooi of the townships of Ridgefield, Englewood and Palisades, in the county of Bergen,'" approved March sixth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three,

Assembly Bill No 379, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to license graduate nurses in the State of New Jersey, and providing penalties for violations of its provisions,'" approved April seventh, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 389, entitled "An act to provide for the protection of county roads and boulevards in this State,"

Assembly Bill No 390, entitled "An act to enable boards of chosen freeholders to accept roads or sections of roads in cities, towns, townships or boroughs, and to maintain the same as county roads,"

Assembly Bill No 271, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of speedways in the counties of this State,'" approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Assembly Bill No 305, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1898),'" approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,

Assembly Bill No. 242, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act for the preservation of sheep (Revision)," approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,'" which further supplement was approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,

Assembly Bill No 168, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled '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 eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three, and being chapter one hundred and eighty-two (182) of the laws of one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 307, entitled "An act concerning the overseer of the poor and assistant to the overseer of the poor in cities of the first class,"

Assembly Bill No 296, entitled "An act making appropriation for the purpose of improving the building and preserving the records of the Surveyor-General's office of the western division of this State,"

Assembly Bill No 411, entitled "An act to amend '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 supplement was approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

And

Senate Bill No 86, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate fences in cities of this State,' " approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

Senate Bill No 46, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities,' " approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two, and also to amend a supplement to said act, which supplement is entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities,' " approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,

And

Senate Bill No 47, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities,' " approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two, by providing further for the method in which ordinances shall be passed by city councils in said cities by amending section eleven of said act

The Clerk read the following announcement

There will be a meeting of the Committee on Municipal Corporations Monday, March 25th, at 3 o'clock, a public hearing will be accorded to all persons who desire to be heard

Mr Holcombe, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads and Canals, reported

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 206, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted.

Resolved, That when the House adjourn, it be to meet on Friday morning at 10 30 o'clock, and that when it then adjourn it be to meet on Monday evening at 8 o'clock

The House then adjourned

FRIDAY, March 22d, 1907

At 10 30 o'clock A M the House met

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names

Messrs Burk, Barber, Thompson

Mr Burk, Speaker *pro tem*, in the chair

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem* declared the House adjourned until Monday evening at 8 o'clock

MONDAY, March 25th, 1907

House met at 8 o'clock P M

Prayer was offered by Rev Adolph Wanderm, of Paterson, N J

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —56

Absent—

Messrs Crowther, Irick, Moxon, Tillman—4

On motion of Mr Klenert, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with

Mr Klenert moved that the House be placed under call,

Which motion was carried

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welski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—57

Absent—

Messrs Crowther, Irick, Tillman—3

On motion of Mr Klenert, the minutes up to No 10 be approved,

Which motion was carried

Mr Alexander, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No 369, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 402, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of a commission to revise the laws relating to fees and costs,"

Assembly Bill No 272, entitled "An act to further amend section one of chapter one hundred and twenty-five of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven entitled 'An act to authorize towns to renew matured bonds,'" approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, as the same was amended by chapter two of the laws of one thousand nine hundred,

Favorably, without amendment,

And

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 86, entitled "An act to permit the retirement on pension from public office or position, after twenty years' service therein, of officers and employes in all State penal institutions and reformatories,"

Assembly Bill No 113, 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

And

Assembly Bill No 383, entitled "An act concerning the publication of legal and official notices and advertisements,"

With committee amendment

Senate Bill No 144, entitled "An act to repeal parts of an act entitled 'An act to repeal sundry acts relating to associations not for pecuniary profit,'" approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

And

Senate Bill No 83, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation of pathological and anatomical associations for the advancement of medical and surgical science,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Daab, Chairman of the Committee on Printed bills, reported

Assembly Bill No 49, entitled "An act abolishing the office of collector of arrears of taxes in towns, incorporated as such, in this State,"

Assembly Bill No 53, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'"'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No 54, entitled "An act for the appointment of a board for the examination and licensing of sanitary plumbers, and defining the duties and powers of said board,"

Assembly Bill No 85, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No 124, 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 151, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting railroads and canals,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No 163, entitled "An act extending the time for completing certain railroads,"

Assembly Bill No 166, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating and brewed liquors," passed March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,'" approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,

Assembly Bill No 227, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No 228, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No 236, entitled "An act for the better publication of the annual financial statement of towns, boroughs and townships,"

Assembly Bill No 253, entitled "An act to provide for the compensation of attorneys and counselors-at-law and to provide a lien for such compensation and the method of fixing and enforcing the same,"

Assembly Bill No 258, entitled "An act to prevent the purchase or sale of tickets of admission to theaters or other places of amusement for the purpose of resale,"

Assembly Bill No 280, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to enable incorporated towns to construct water works for the extinguishment of fires and supply the inhabitants thereof with pure and wholesome water,'" approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four (Gen Stat, p 3559),

Assembly Bill No 287, entitled "An act regulating the employment of children in mercantile establishments,"

Assembly Bill No 289, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the use of power vessels and boats navigating the waters within the jurisdiction of this State above tide water and to provide for the inspection and licensing of power vessels, their masters, pilots and engineers,'" approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Assembly Bill No 291, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No 329, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the appointment, term of office and salary of assessors in certain cities in this State, and prescribing their duties,'" approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Assembly Bill No 333, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize incorporated towns or townships to construct sewers, drains and sewerage disposal plant or plants, and to provide for the cost thereof,'" approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and five, constituting chapter seventy-seven of the session laws of one thousand nine hundred and five,

Assembly Bill No 362, 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,"

Assembly Bill No 370, entitled "An act providing for the reimprovement of any street, avenue, road or highway, or the portion of such street, avenue, road or highway, in any city, which has been heretofore improved and for which improvement assessments for benefits have been heretofore levied and imposed, and for the issue of bonds to pay for said improvements,"

Assembly Bill No 372, entitled "An act to provide for the protection of improved streets in cities of this State, to authorize cities to require water, sewer and gas connections to be made before the improvement of any street and empowering such city to make water, sewer and gas connections and the cost thereof lien upon lands,"

And

Assembly Bill No 413, entitled "An act to provide for the establishment of public playgrounds in cities of this State and for the maintenance, control and management thereof,"

As correctly printed

Mr Riordan, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No 397, entitled "An act for the licensing of firemen for the protection of life and property against loss or damage from the operation of stationary steam boilers by incompetent persons,"

Assembly Bill No 404, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Favorably, without amendment

And

Committee Substitute for

Assembly Bill No 398, entitled "An act to regulate the salaries of policemen in cities of the first class"

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Assembly Bill No 365, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,'" which act was approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Assembly Bill No 177, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting any execution,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No 388, entitled "Supplement to 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,

Assembly Bill No 392, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning evidence (Revision of 1900),' " approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Assembly Bill No 422, entitled "An act confirming the title to certain real estate of which James R Smith, late of the county of Essex, in this State, died seized,"

Favorably, without amendment,

And, also,

Assembly Bill No 241, 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 March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

Favorably, with committee amendment,

And

Senate Bill No 92, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to amend 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 112, entitled "An act to provide for the making of decrees of the Orphans' Court a lien on the lands and real estate of any person or persons liable on such decree by docketing the same in the Supreme Court of this State and issuing of execution thereon,"

Senate Bill No 155, entitled "An act to amend the title of an act entitled 'An act to authorize two or more municipalities in this State to jointly construct and maintain outlet to trunk sewers,' approved March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, and to validate certain acts and proceedings of municipalities under said act and its supplements,"

Senate Bill No 97, entitled "An act to authorize the change of name of any newspaper published in this State,"

Senate Bill No 140, entitled "An act for extending the time for completing certain railroads,"

Favorably, without amendment,

And

Senate Committee Substitute for

Senate Bill No 37, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide for a digest of the law and chancery reports of this State,'" approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and two

Mr Tumulty, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, reported

Assembly Bill No 271, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of speedways in the counties of this State,'" approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Favorably, without amendment

A message was received from the Governor, by the hands of his Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
TRENTON, March 25th, 1907

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Assembly

My attention has been called to a concurrent resolution, suggesting that the Legislature shall not adjourn *sine die* until all bills passed shall have been in my hands at least five days

My views upon the relations between the Executive and the Legislature have been so often expressed that it is unnecessary for me to say that I do not regard it as within my province to suggest to the members thereof how their business shall be conducted Where, however, legislative action affects the performance of the duties imposed by the constitution upon the Executive, I feel free to consult with you for our mutual convenience

The Legislature has now been in session eleven weeks In that time I have received ten bills, all of which have been disposed of within the limits allowed me by the constitution I am perfectly willing to give more than the usual number of hours regarded as a working day to the consideration of all measures passed by your body I cannot, however, perform physical impossibilities Last year, at the close of the session, I received from the Legislature

about two hundred and sixty bills The intelligent reading of these bills required at least a month, working every day, to which must be added time necessary for the consideration of titles and the effect of the measures upon the laws already upon the statute books To this again must be added time required for consideration as to the general effect of their provisions and the time taken for hearings, which, under our form of government, I consider is the right of every interested citizen You can readily see how impossible it would be to properly consider a large number of bills within five days

Should the Legislature see fit to place in my hands the practical aggregate result of their session's deliberations, as has been the custom heretofore, and then adjourn to meet in five days, I should, of course, do my utmost to give proper consideration to as many of the measures as I could within that time Such measures as I had been unable to consider at the expiration of that period, I should be compelled to return to you without my approval I could not, as I see my duty, either sign my name to unconsidered bills or permit them to become laws by default I would suggest, therefore, that if the Legislature wants to preserve its right to consider vetoes, it make such arrangement as will enable the Executive and the law-making body to work together with mutual convenience to this end

E C STOKES,

Governor

Mr Brady, by request, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 449, entitled "An act to consolidate with and annex to the town of Montclair, in the county of Essex, the territory embraced within the township of Verona, in the county of Essex, provided a majority of the votes cast in said town and in said township upon said annexation and consolidation shall be in favor thereof, and to provide for the submission of the said question to the voters of said town and said township,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 450, entitled "An act concerning the appointment and term of police justices or police magistrates in certain cities of this State,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading and referred to the Committee on Elections

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 451, entitled "An act to set off territory from the township of Verona, in the county of Essex, and annex the same to the town of Montclair, in said county,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business

Mr Olwell, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 452, entitled "An act to amend 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 453, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the planting and care of shade trees on the highways of the municipalities of this State,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business

Mr Auf der Heide, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 454, entitled "An act relating to deposits of moneys with public utilities corporations,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr Wright, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 455, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act relating to the issuance, sale and delivery of stock and securities by corporations of this State which have acquired or may hereafter acquire authority, permission or a franchise from the State or any municipality thereof to use or occupy any street, highway, road, lane or public place within this State,'" approved August twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and six, and any supplement thereof,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 456, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting executions,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Mr Lane, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 457, entitled "A further supplement to the 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,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business

Mr Lane, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 458, entitled "An act providing for the appointment of private secretaries by the mayors of second-class cities,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 459, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting sewers and sewer connections in cities of this State,'" approved March twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 460, entitled "An act amendatory of and supplementary to the act entitled 'An act relating to paving, flagging, maintaining, repairing and otherwise improving sidewalks in municipalities in this State,' approved May fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six, and to amend the title of such act,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws

Mr Jess, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 461, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning idiots and lunatics (Revision),"' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four," which supplement was approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business

Mr Sullivan, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 462, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning idiots and lunatics,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business

Mr Daab, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 463, entitled "A further supplement to 'An act to regulate fees,'" approved April thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 464, entitled "An act to amend chapter one hundred and thirteen of the session laws of one thousand nine hundred and six, 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, defining the amount of license and registration fees, describing and regulating process and the service thereof, and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations,' "

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws

Mr Alexander moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 9, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to revise and amend an act for the taxation of railroad and canal property, " approved April tenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, which act was approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Assembly Bill No 9, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to revise and amend an act for the taxation of railroad and canal property,' " approved April tenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, which act was approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

Mr Alexander moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 10, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,' " approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Assembly Bill No 10, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

Mr Earle offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to Col Crafton W Bateman, president of the common council of the city of Passaic

Mr Hendrickson moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 12, entitled "An act to authorize cities of the first class to contract to supply water to certain other municipalities in this State,"

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Assembly Bill No 12, entitled "An act to authorize cities of the first class to contract to supply water to certain other municipalities in this State,"

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 25th, 1907

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 85, 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

Senate Bill No 100, entitled "An act to incorporate Sea Island City, in the county of Cape May, as a city and fixing the boundaries thereof,"

Senate Bill No 104, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Cape May Point, in the county of Cape May,"

Senate Bill No 120, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),'" approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Senate Bill No 127, 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 of offices in such cities and providing for the maintenance of such board,"

Senate Bill No 128, entitled "An act concerning the government of certain cities in this State and constituting a board of finance therein and defining the powers and duties of such boards and vesting in such boards certain powers of management and appointment,"

Senate Bill No 129, entitled "An act concerning the government of certain cities in this State and constituting a municipal board of public work and other officers therein, and defining the powers and duties of such boards and relating to the municipal affairs and departments of such cities placed under the control and management of such board, and providing for the maintenance of said board,"

Senate Bill No 150, entitled "An act to authorize the erection of a monument on the battlefield of Salem Church, in the State of Virginia, and a tablet on the battlefield of Spottsylvania, in the State of Virginia, to commemorate the services of the Fifteenth regiment, New Jersey volunteer infantry, in the battles of Salem Church and Spottsylvania and other engagements of the Civil War, and to appropriate money to pay for the erection and dedication of the same,"

Senate Bill No 152, 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,

Senate Bill No 154, entitled "An act to appropriate money for erecting a revolutionary monument at Orange,"

Senate Bill No 161, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act for the better regulation and control of the taking, planting and cultivating of oysters and clams on lands lying under the tidal waters of the county of Ocean, in the State of New Jersey, approved March twenty-sixth, one thousand nine hundred and two," and which amendatory act was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,'"

Senate Bill No 163, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the better regulation and control of the taking, planting and cultivating of oysters and clams on lands lying under the tidal waters of the county of Ocean, in the State of New Jersey,'" approved March twenty-sixth, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Senate Bill No 175, entitled "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act concerning contagious and infectious diseases among animals and to repeal certain acts relating thereto,'" approved May fourth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

Senate Bill No 176, entitled "An act for the better protection of hotel, inn and boarding-house proprietors and limiting their liability,"

Senate Bill No 184, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning firemen's relief associations,'" approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five,

Senate Bill No 186, entitled "An act authorizing an instrument affecting lands, tenements and hereditaments within this State, heretofore duly recorded as a release, to be recorded as a deed of conveyance in the proper office by recording a certified copy of the record thereof,"

Senate Bill No 193, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the government and regulation of the State prison,'" approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Senate Bill No 199, entitled "An act to annex to the borough of Belmar a part of the township of Wall in the county of Monmouth,"

Senate Bill No 201, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable any city in this State, other than cities of the first class, to construct, purchase or otherwise acquire water works for the purpose of supplying pure and wholesome water for public and private use in said city or in adjoining municipalities, and providing for the maintenance of the same,'" approved June eighth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Senate Bill No 236, entitled "An act to validate and confirm any elections and all other proceedings heretofore or hereafter held or taken in any boroughs for the issuance of bonds to pay for the cost of construction or purchase of a system of sewers and drains, and to validate and confirm all bonds or obligations issued in conformity with the proposition adopted at any such amount and as provided in any such proposition,"

Senate Bill No 245, entitled "An act concerning cities which have passed or shall hereafter pass from cities of the third class to cities of the second class,"

Senate Bill No 255, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize cities to construct sewers and drains and to provide for the payment of the cost thereof,'" approved March eighth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

And

Assembly Bill No 4, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish public parks in certain counties of this State and to regulate the same,'" approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

With Senate committee amendment,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

H L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 25th, 1907.

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 51, entitled "An act to authorize cities having a public water-supply derived from sources beyond the city limits to protect the same from pollution by providing for any portion of the territory from which said water is derived or through which it flows a system of sewers or drains in order to take up, carry off and dispose of the sewage or other polluting matter, and providing also for the raising and expenditure of the money necessary for this purpose,"

Assembly Bill No 109, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the formation, establishment and government of towns,'" approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Assembly Bill No 116, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'Supplement to an act entitled "An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employes and operatives 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, approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

And

Assembly Bill No 201, entitled "An act to regulate the appointment and compensation of clerks and assistants in the offices of city clerk in the cities of the first class."

H L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

The Senate message was then taken up, and

Senate Bill No 85, 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 read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations

Senate Bill No 100, entitled "An act to incorporate Sea Island City, in the county of Cape May, as a city and fixing the boundaries thereof,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions

Senate Bill No 104, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Cape May Point, in the county of Cape May,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions

Senate Bill No 120, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),'" approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Was 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 127, 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 of offices in such cities and providing for the maintenance of such board,"

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 128, entitled "An act concerning the government of certain cities in this State and constituting a board of finance therein and defining the powers and duties of such boards

and vesting in such boards certain powers of management and appointment,"

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 129, entitled "An act concerning the government of certain cities in this State and constituting a municipal board of public work and other officers therein, and defining the powers and duties of such boards and relating to the municipal affairs and departments of such cities placed under the control and management of such board, and providing for the maintenance of said board,"

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 150, entitled "An act to authorize the erection of a monument on the battlefield of Salem Church, in the State of Virginia, and a tablet on the battlefield of Spottsylvania, in the State of Virginia, to commemorate the services of the Fifteenth regiment, New Jersey volunteer infantry, in the battles of Salem Church and Spottsylvania and other engagements of the Civil War, and to appropriate money to pay for the erection and dedication of the same,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Militia

Senate Bill No 152, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries

Senate Bill No 154, entitled "An act to appropriate money for erecting a revolutionary monument at Orange,"

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 161, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act for the better regulation

and control of the taking, planting and cultivating of oysters and clams on lands lying under the tidal waters of the county of Ocean, in the State of New Jersey, approved March twenty-sixth, one thousand nine hundred and two," and which amendatory act was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' "

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries

Senate Bill No 163, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the better regulation and control of the taking, planting and cultivating of oysters and clams on lands lying under the tidal waters of the county of Ocean, in the State of New Jersey,' " approved March twenty-sixth, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Was 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 175, entitled "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act concerning contagious and infectious diseases among animals and to repeal certain acts relating thereto,' " approved May fourth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Public Health

Senate Bill No 176, entitled "An act for the better protection of hotel, inn and boarding-house proprietors and limiting their liability,"

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 184, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning firemen's relief associations,' " approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-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 186, entitled "An act authorizing an instrument affecting lands, tenements and hereditaments within this State, heretofore duly recorded as a release, to be recorded as a deed of

conveyance in the proper office by recording a certified copy of the record 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 193, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the government and regulation of the State Prison,'" approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

Senate Bill No 199, entitled "An act to annex to the borough of Belmar a part of the township of Wall, in the county of Monmouth,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions

Senate Bill No 201, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable any city in this State, other than cities of the first class, to construct, purchase or otherwise acquire water works for the purpose of supplying pure and wholesome water for public and private use in said city or in adjoining municipalities, and providing for the maintenance of the same,'" approved June eighth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business

Senate Bill No 236, entitled "An act to validate and confirm any elections and all other proceedings heretofore or hereafter held or taken in any boroughs for the issuance of bonds to pay for the cost of construction or purchase of a system of sewers and drains, and to validate and confirm all bonds or obligations issued in conformity with the proposition adopted at any such amount and as provided in any such proposition,"

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 245, entitled "An act concerning cities which have passed or shall hereafter pass from cities of the third class to cities of the second class,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

And

Senate Bill No 255, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize cities to construct sewers and drains and to provide for the payment of the cost thereof,'" approved March eighth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

The Speaker put the question, shall the Senate committee amendments to

Assembly Bill No 4, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish public parks in certain counties of this State and to regulate the same,'" approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Have a third reading?

Which was agreed to

Mr Lane moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 222, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to the writ of certiorari (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Assembly Bill No 222, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to the writ of certiorari (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

Mr Blohm offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted

Section one, line thirteen, strike out the word "thirty" and insert the word "sixty"

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 222, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to the writ of certiorari (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Baader,

Assembly Bill No 409, entitled "An act relative to the time of election and appointment and term of office of officers elected or appointed in cities, towns, townships, boroughs and other municipalities in this State,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

Mr Hendrickson moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 172, 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 advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Assembly Bill No 172, 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,

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

Mr Hendrickson offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted

In line sixteen, at the top of page two, of the official copy reprint, strike out the words "and in possession of"

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 172, 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,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Baker,

Assembly Bill No 396, 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 printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Assembly Bill No 431, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the examination of witnesses before legislative committees and providing for the punishment of witnesses refusing or neglecting to appear or give evidence before such committees,'" 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 printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Baker,

Assembly Bill No 375, entitled "An act explanatory of certain words contained in an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to remove the fire and police departments of the cities of this State from political control," approved May second, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five,' and to provide for the estab-

lishment, management and distribution of a police pension or retiring fund," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Fake,

Committee Substitute for

Assembly Bill No 206, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

Mr Brady moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Committee Substitute for

Assembly Bill No 180, entitled "An act concerning the abolition of certain grade crossings in incorporated towns, and providing for the apportionment of the expense thereof,"

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Committee Substitute for

Assembly Bill No 180, entitled "An act concerning the abolition of certain grade crossings in incorporated towns, and providing for the apportionment of the expense thereof,"

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Brady,

Assembly Bill No 180, entitled "An act concerning the abolition of certain grade crossings in incorporated towns, and providing for the apportionment of the expense thereof,"

Was read a second time, and the following amendment, proposed by Mr Brady, was read and adopted

The entire expense of abolishing such grade crossings, including all damages for change of grade and the value of land taken, shall

be borne by such railroads, and the Chancellor shall apportion such expense between them according to the equities of the case, and shall make such orders from time to time for such payments as may be necessary All such orders may be enforced on application of any municipality or other party interested by all remedies for the enforcement of decrees in Chancery

Assembly Bill No 180, entitled "An act concerning the abolition of certain grade crossings in incorporated towns, and providing for the apportionment of the expense thereof,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

Mr Alexander moved that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 119, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for suppressing vice and immorality (Revision),'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was lost be reconsidered,

Which motion was carried by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—31

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Davison, Drake, Elvins, Fake, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr., Holcombe, Jess, Lewis, Lillagore, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor—21

The Speaker thereupon declared the motion to reconsider carried

Mr Alexander moved that

Assembly Bill No 119, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for suppressing vice and immorality (Revision),'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Be placed on third reading,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 40, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to define the duties and to fix the salary of the attorney-general,'"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —32

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Haines, Jess, Lewis, Lillagore, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor—21

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Daab,

Assembly Bill No 119, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for suppressing vice and immorality (Revision),'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, Van Blarcom, Wright, Jr—32

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Davison, Drake, Elvins, Fake, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Jess, Lewis, Lillagore, Perkins, Potter, Smalley—19

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 25th, 1907

Mr Speaker

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has concurred in that part of the Concurrent Resolution of the House of Assembly which reads as follows

"*Resolved* (the Senate concurring), that the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Assembly do each appoint a committee of three members of their respective houses to confer on the purpose of fixing a date after which no bill shall be passed by either house,"

And has adopted the following amendment to said House Concurrent Resolution

"*Be it further resolved,* That in accordance with the message presented by the Governor a committee of three Senators be appointed by the President of the Senate, and three members of the Assembly be appointed by the Speaker of the House to confer with the Governor relative to *sine die* adjournment,"

In which amendment the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

H S TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

The Senate message was then taken up and was concurred in by the House

Mr Buck offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Lewis H Miller, a former member of this House

Mr Holzapfel offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Allan Benny, a former member of this House

Mr Lethbridge (Speaker) offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

In accordance with Concurrent Resolution No 6, adopted last week, I appoint Messrs Alexander, Lane and Perkins as the House Committee authorized by the resolution

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That when the House adjourns it be to meet to-morrow morning at 10 30 o'clock

The Clerk read the following announcement

There will be a meeting of the Committee on Incidental Expenses in the Speaker's room at 10 o'clock to-morrow morning

The House then adjourned

TUESDAY, March 26th, 1907

House met at 10 30 A M

Prayer was offered by Rev Orville Duffield, of Wenonah, N J

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —55

Absent—

Messrs Devine, Jr, Drake, Jess, Pawelski, Tillman—5

On motion of Mr Klenert, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with

Mr Tumulty, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, reported

Assembly Bill No 441, entitled "An act respecting theatre and show license in municipalities of this State,"

Assembly Bill No 302, entitled "An act concerning rewards,"

Assembly Bill No 390, entitled "An act to enable boards of chosen freeholders to accept roads or sections of roads in cities, towns, townships or boroughs, and to maintain the same as county roads,"

Assembly Bill No 242, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act for the preservation of sheep (Revision)," approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,'" which further supple-

ment was approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,

Assembly Bill No 366, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to the poor of the townships of Ridgefield, Englewood and Palisades, in the county of Bergen,'" approved March sixth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three,

Assembly Bill No 447, entitled "An act to regulate the construction and use of dams in the waters of Paulins Kill, in the counties of Warren and Sussex,"

Assembly Bill No 427, entitled "An act to change the name of Samuel Smilovitz,"

Assembly Bill No 305, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1898),'" approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,

And

Senate Bill No 46, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities,'" approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two, and also to amend a supplement to said act, which supplement is entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities,'" approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Senate Bill No 47, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities,'" approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two, by providing further for the method in which ordinances shall be passed by city councils in said cities by amending section eleven of said act,

Senate Bill No 255, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize cities to construct sewers and drains and to provide for the payment of the cost thereof,'" approved March eighth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

Senate Bill No 201, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable any city in this State, other than cities of the first class, to construct, purchase or otherwise acquire water works

for the purpose of supplying pure and wholesome water for public and private use in said city or in adjoining municipalities, and providing for the maintenance of the same,' " approved June eighth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Senate Bill No 193, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the government and regulation of the State Prison,' " approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Senate Bill No 86, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate fences in cities of this State,' " approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

Senate Bill No 176, entitled "An act for the better protection of hotel, inn and boarding-house proprietors and limiting their liability,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Alexander, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of the Laws, reported

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 432, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),' " approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

And

Senate Bill No 179, 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,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Brady, Chairman of the Committee on Elections, reported

Assembly Bill No 400, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),' " approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No 428, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1896),"' approved April fourth, one thousand eight

hundred and ninety-eight,' " which supplemental act was approved May sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Assembly Bill No 429, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' " which supplementary act was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 448, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections,' " approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

And

Senate Bill No 229, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897)," approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,' " which amending act was approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Riordan, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No 62, entitled "An act concerning the liability of corporations and bodies politic, other than municipal corporations, to their employes,"

Assembly Bill No 284, entitled "An act concerning negligence of employer,"

Assembly Bill No 268, entitled "An act relating to liability of persons doing business in this State to their employes,"

Assembly Bill No 361, entitled "An act to provide for the recovery of damages in cases where the death of a person is caused by wrongful act, neglect or default (Revision of 1907),"

And

Assembly Bill No 274, entitled "An act to provide for the recovery of damages in cases where the death of a person is caused by wrongful act, neglect or default (Revision of 1907),"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Backus, Chairman of the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions, reported

Senate Bill No 100, entitled "An act to incorporate Sea Island City, in the county of Cape May, as a city and fixing the boundaries thereof,"

Senate Bill No 104, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Cape May Point, in the county of Cape May,"

Senate Bill No 120, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),'" approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Senate Bill No 136, entitled "An act to extend the territorial boundaries of the borough of Seaside Park, in the county of Ocean, by the annexation of a portion of the township of Berkeley, in said county,"

Senate Bill No 137, entitled "An act to extend the territorial boundaries of the borough of Seaside Park, in the county of Ocean, by the annexation of a portion of the territory of the State of New Jersey,"

Senate Bill No 166, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),'"

And

Senate Bill No 199, entitled "An act to annex to the borough of Belmar a part of the township of Wall, in the county of Monmouth,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr VanBlarcom, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture and Agricultural College, reported

Senate Bill No 71, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for short courses in practical and scientific agriculture in the State Agricultural College,'" approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

And

Senate Bill No 115, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the establishment of forest park reservations

by and in the State of New Jersey, and for the appointment of a State Board of Forest Park Reservation Commissioners, and defining its powers and duties,'" approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Grocl, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Assembly Bill No 421, entitled "An act to establish a school and to provide facilities and accommodations in the State Prison,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Assembly Bill No 298, entitled "A bill, giving to the electors an advisory vote in proposing legislation,"

And

Assembly Bill No 300, entitled "A bill for the establishment of an optional referendum system whereby the electors of the State may register their opinion upon the acts of their legislative agents,"

With amendment

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 7,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Daab, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 147, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the preservation of crabs in the waters of the North and South Shrewsbury rivers and their tributaries,'" approved February sixth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Assembly Bill No 206, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 222, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to the writ of certiorari (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 313, entitled "A supplement to 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 provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession (Revision of 1903)," approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three, approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and four,'" which amendatory act was approved June nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six (Pamph L 1906, ch 317, p 699),

Assembly Bill No 322, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'Supplement to the act entitled "A general act relative to boroughs (Revision of 1897),"'" approved April nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Assembly Bill No 375, entitled "An act explanatory of certain words contained in an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to remove the fire and police departments of the cities of this State from political control," approved May second, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five,' and to provide for the establishment, management and distribution of a police pension or retiring fund," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Assembly Bill No 403, entitled "An act to provide funds to be used for the construction of subways for street cars in cities of the first class in this State,"

Assembly Bill No 409, entitled "An act relative to the time of election and appointment and term of office of officers elected or appointed in cities, towns, townships, boroughs and other municipalities in this State,"

And

Assembly Bill No 424, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the fire departments in cities of the first class,'" approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

As correctly printed

Mr Meiz offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Edward G Stalter, a former member of this House

Mr Earle offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to Mr. Joseph Spitz, member of Council of the city of Passaic

Mr Wright offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to Mr. Edw W Whitehead, of Essex

Mr Wright offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Simeon H Rollison, of West Orange, a former member of this House

Mr Morris moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 303, entitled "An act establishing the standard of measurement for the sale of milk, skimmed milk or cream and providing penalties for violations thereof,"

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Assembly Bill No 303, entitled "An act establishing the standard of measurement for the sale of milk, skimmed milk or cream and providing penalties for violations thereof,"

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

Mr Hendrickson asked that by unanimous consent

Assembly Bill No 309, entitled "An act to authorize cities of the first class to contract to supply water to persons, companies or corporations outside of its territorial limits,"

Be withdrawn from the files of the House, which request was granted

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 357, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of courts of law (Revision of 1903),'"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Assembly Bill No 369, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Kleneit,

Assembly Bill No 402, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of a commission to revise the laws relating to fees and costs,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Groel,

Assembly Bill No 272, entitled "An act to further amend section one of chapter one hundred and twenty-five of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, entitled 'An act to authorize towns to renew matured bonds,'" approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, as the same was amended by chapter two of the laws of one thousand nine hundred,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

Mr Lane moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Committee Substitute for

Assembly Bill No 383, entitled "An act concerning the publication of legal and official notices and advertisements,"

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Assembly Bill No 383, entitled "An act concerning the publication of legal and official notices and advertisements,"

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 383, entitled "An act concerning the publication of legal and official notices and advertisements,"

Was taken up, read a second time and the following committee amendment, offered by the Committee on Revision of Laws

In section one, line eight, after the word "old," strike out the words "are hereby validated" and insert in their place the words, "shall be paid for in the regular manner"

Was read and adopted

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 383, entitled "An act concerning the publication of legal and official notices and advertisements,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Mead,

Assembly Bill No 397, entitled "An act for the licensing of firemen for the protection of life and property against loss or damage from the operation of stationary steam boilers by incompetent persons,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 404, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

Mr Smalley moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 365, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,'" which act was approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Assembly Bill No 365, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,'" which act was approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Smalley,

Assembly Bill No 365, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,'" which act was approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was taken up, read a second time and the following amendment offered by Mr Smalley

Amend section one by adding at the end of the section the following words "In case the payment of a fine or the costs of prosecution is imposed, to be paid to the probation officer, said money shall enure to the benefit of the county, and the probation officer shall account for and turn over the same, or any money collected by him on account thereof, to the proper county officer"

On motion of Mr Smalley,

Assembly Bill No 365, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,'" which act was approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and six,

As amended,

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 177, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting any execution,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy four,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Perkins,

Assembly Bill No 388, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning proceedings on bonds and mortgages given for the same indebtedness, and the foreclosure and sale of mortgage premises thereunder,'" approved March twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 392, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning evidence (Revision of 1900),'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 422, entitled "An act confirming the title to certain real estate of which James R Smith, late of the county of Essex, in this State, died seized,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

Mr Jess moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which committee amendment to

Assembly Bill No 241, 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 March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Assembly Bill No 241, 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 March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Jess, committee amendment to

Assembly Bill No 241, 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 March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amendment, offered by the Committee on Judiciary

Strike out the word "eighteen" on seventh line and insert the word "sixteen,"

Was read and adopted

On motion of Mr Jess,

Assembly Bill No 241, 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 March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

As amended

Mr Pawelski moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 352, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning superintendents of indoor relief in cities of this State,'" approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Assembly Bill No 352, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning superintendents of indoor relief in cities of this State,'" approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Pawelski,

Assembly Bill No 352, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning superintendents of indoor relief in cities of this State,'" approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was taken up, read a second time and the following amendment, offered by Mr Pawelski, was read and adopted:

Change title to read, "An act concerning superintendents of outdoor relief in cities of the second class of this State"

Insert in section two, line one, between the words "relief" and "now," the words "in cities of the second class"

Assembly Bill No 352, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning superintendents of indoor relief in cities of this State,'" approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Wright,

Senate Committee Substitute for

Assembly Bill No 29, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase of sites for and the erection

and equipment of armories in cities of the first and second class, and making appropriations therefor, and to provide for the taking of real estate for such sites by commission in case the same cannot be purchased by agreement,' " approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Was taken up and read a second time

The Speaker put the question, "Shall the House concur in Senate Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No 29 ?"

Which motion was carried.

On motion of Mr Wright,

Senate Committee Substitute for

Assembly Bill No 29, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase of sites for and the erection and equipment of armories in cities of the first and second class, and making appropriations therefor, and to provide for the taking of real estate for such sites by commission in case the same cannot be purchased by agreement,' " approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Baker,

Senate Bill No 93, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable the board of chosen freeholders of any county in this State to erect, construct and maintain a viaduct between two or more municipalities, and to extend roads to connect with such viaduct, and to acquire lands for the same, and to issue bonds for the payment of the cost of the erection, construction and acquisition thereof,' " approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Holcombe,

Senate Joint Resolution No 3, entitled "Whereas, Article five of the constitution of the United States provides that 'the congress, whenever two-thirds of both houses shall deem it necessary,

shall propose amendments to this constitution, or on the application of the legislatures of two-thirds of the several States shall call a convention for proposing amendments, which in either case shall be valid to all intents and purposes as part of this constitution, when ratified by the legislatures of three-fourths of the several States or by convention in three-fourths thereof,' et cetera, and,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Perkins,

Senate Bill No 110, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to enable counties which have no county hospital to assist in maintaining hospitals located in such county," approved April twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,' " which said supplement was approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Smalley,

Senate Bill No 26, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize any town, village or municipality governed by a board of commissioners, or improvement commission, to lay out, open, widen, alter and vacate streets, roads or avenues, and to locate and construct sewers, and to acquire lands and buildings, or parts thereof, by purchase or condemnation, for such purposes,' " approved April thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Lillagore,

Senate Bill No 52, entitled "An act to validate bonds heretofore or hereafter issued by towns and villages for the construction of sewers and drains under an act entitled 'An act to authorize towns and villages to construct sewers and drains and provide for the payment of the cost thereof,' " approved May twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety, and the various supplements and amendments thereto,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Lillagore,

Senate Bill No 53, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize towns and villages to construct sewers and drains and to provide for the payment of the cost thereof,'" approved May twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Baker,

Senate Joint Resolution No 1, entitled "Whereas, The people of this State are confronted with an unreasonable increase in the price of coal in winter, and of ice in summer, brought about, it is popularly believed, by monopolies created under the corporation laws of this State, therefore,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Wright,

Senate Bill No 45, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),"' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," which supplemental act was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Wright,

Senate Bill No 131, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,'" which supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Devine,

Senate Bill No 88, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning townships (Revision of 1899),'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Elvins,

Senate Bill No 171, entitled "An act to amend section six of an act entitled 'An act to provide for the marking and designating of the channels of the bays, thoroughfares and sounds flowed by tide waters in the counties of Ocean, Atlantic and Cape May,'" approved June twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Lillagore,

Senate Bill No 165, 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, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Lillagore,

Senate Bill No 164, 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, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Elvins,

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 205, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,'" approved February twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Devine,

Senate Bill No 172, entitled "An act to make the proceedings of the Department of New Jersey of the Grand Army of the Republic a part of the public record of the State and to provide for the printing of same,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Barber,

Senate Bill No 143, entitled "An act to provide aid for monument associations,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Smalley,

Senate Bill No 141, entitled "An act to provide for a suitable detail from the National Guard of New Jersey to participate at the dedication and unveiling of a monument erected at Washington, D C, to the honor and memory of the late Major-General George B McClellan,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Barber,

Senate Bill No 145, entitled "An act to provide for the attendance of a part of the National Guard of New Jersey at the dedication of the soldiers' and sailors' monument at Trenton, in the county of Mercer, and to appropriate money for the cost of their transportation and other expenses incident to said dedication,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Barber,

Assembly Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 103, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insu-

ance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' "

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Assembly Bill No 336, 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,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Breunig, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—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.

On motion of Mr Earle,

Assembly Bill No 156, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),' " approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Baader, Earle, Pawelski, Riordan, VanBlarcom—6

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Drake, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Groel, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Wright, Jr—43.

The Speaker declared the bill lost

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No 138, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to reduce the number of members of the board of chosen freeholders in counties of this State, and to fix the salaries, and provide for the election of the members of said board,'" approved March twenty-sixth, one thousand nine hundred and two,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buxton, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Baader,

Senate Bill No 219, entitled "An act providing for the establishment of evening schools for foreign-born residents in the State of New Jersey,"

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Baader, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Earle, Groel, Lane, Mead, Merz—10

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Barbeı, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowtheı, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Morris, Perkins, Potter, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Wright, Jr—32

The Speaker declared the bill lost

On motion of Mr Baader,

Senate Bill No 225, entitled "An act to create a Board of Railroad Commissioners for the State of New Jersey and prescribe their powers and duties,"

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messis Auf der Heide, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Stille, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—26

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexandeı, Baader, Barber, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Fake, Gibbs, Haines, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lewis, Lillagoie, Manson, Morris, Peikins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson—26

The Speaker declared the bill lost

On motion of Mr Brady,

Committee substitute foı

Assembly Bill No 231, entitled "An act for the protection of laborers and mechanics engaged in the construction of buildings,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlaricom, Wright, Jr—45

In the negative were—

Messrs Gibbs, 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

On motion of Mr Blohm,

Committee Substitute for

Assembly Bill No 237, entitled "An act in relation to the salaries of town clerk, collector of taxes and assessor in towns of this State,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Barber,

Assembly Bill No 266, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to enable cities to purchase land, erect buildings thereon and equip the same for fire department purposes,'" approved April seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Frith, Gibbs, Groel, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge, (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—53

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

Mr Crowther moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 310, entitled "An act to enable any municipality of this State to grant permission to any duly incorporated ferry company to use the foot of any public street or streets ending on the tidal waters of this State as a terminal for a public ferry,"

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Assembly Bill No 310, entitled "An act to enable any municipality of this State to grant permission to any duly incorporated ferry company to use the foot of any public street or streets ending on the tidal waters of this State as a terminal for a public ferry,"

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 345, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act authorizing the sale of land granted or devised to religious associations, or to corporations formed or existing for the purpose of education, or to officers or trustees of such corporations in certain cases,'" approved April seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Kleneit, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Rioidan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—54.

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

On motion of Mr Taylor,

Assembly Bill No 354, entitled "An act regulating the construction and maintenance of hospitals, sanitariums or other buildings designed for the care, entertainment, board, maintenance, treatment or cure of any person or persons afflicted with the disease known as pulmonary tuberculosis, or any infectious, contagious or communicable disease,"

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 Backus, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Chaplin, Crowther, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Haines, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Perkins, Potter, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—31.

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Brady, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Wright, Jr—21

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Burk,

Assembly Bill No 275, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employes and operatives 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," which supplement was approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—53

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 98, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crime (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buxton, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Holcombe, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Manson, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Riordan, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —36

In the negative were—

Messrs Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Drake, Fake, Gibbs, Haines, Irick, Jones, Lewis, Lillagore, Mead, Potter, Ridgway —15.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

On motion of Mr Groel,

Assembly Bill No 58, 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, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote.

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake,

Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Iiick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Wiight, Jr —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.

On motion of Mr Potter,

Assembly Bill No 292, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the planting and care of shade trees on the highways of the municipalities of this State,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Iiick, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbiidge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Meiz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, VanBlarcom—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.

On motion of Mr Groel,

Assembly Bill No 59, 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, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlaicom, Wright, Jr—50

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Riordan,

Assembly Bill No 405, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to an information in the nature of a quo warranto (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Irick, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Riordan, Smalley, Stile, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—52

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

On motion of Mr Crowther,

Assembly Bill No 341, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the better regulation and control of the taking, planting and cultivating of oysters on lands lying under the tidal waters of the Delaware bay and Maurice river cove, in the State of New Jersey," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,' which supplemental act was approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and five, and which supplement thereto was approved May twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and five, and extending the provisions of said supplemental act, and extending the provisions of said original act, to certain lands under the tidal waters in Raritan bay, in the State of New Jersey, to wit lands comprehended by the following lines Beginning at the watch-house at Canaskonk point, on the shore of Raritan bay, thence, in a straight line to the government buoy, known as East Point Buoy, thence, on a true course west southwest, to the point where said course intersects a line drawn on a course due north from Cliffwood point, thence, on a true course south, to Cliffwood point, thence along the shore line to the place of beginning,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Frith, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlaicom, Wright, Jr—52

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Holcombe,

Assembly Bill No 373, entitled "An act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning roads (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four," which further supplement was approved March twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one,' "

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Irick, Jess, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —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

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 407, 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, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Irick, Jess, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —45

In the negative was—

Mr Klenert

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 69, entitled "An amendment to 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,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Corish, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Mead, Merz, Pawelski, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr. —38

In the negative were—

Messrs Chaplin, Daab, Firth, Irick, Potter—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

On motion of Mr Eppinger,

Assembly Bill No 49, entitled "An act abolishing the office of collector of arrears of taxes in towns, incorporated as such, in this State,"

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Firth, Gibbs, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lillagore, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 70, 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,

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Cattell, Corish, Crowther, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Mead, Merz, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—36

In the negative were—

Messrs Buxton, Chaplin, Daab, Drake, Haines, Stille, Taylor, Thompson—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.

On motion of Mr Groel,

Assembly Bill No 159, entitled "An act to regulate net fishing in Sandy Hook bay, Raritan bay and tributaries thereof,"

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Brady, Corish, Eppinger, Firth, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Riordan, Sullivan, Wright, Jr—9

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Gibbs, Groel, Haines, Holcombe, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, VanBlarcom—37

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the 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 Alexander moved that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 225, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act relative to the time of election and appointment and terms of office of officers elected or appointed in towns, townships, boroughs and other municipalities in this State,'" approved February fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Was lost be reconsidered

The Speaker called for the ayes and nays to reconsider, which motion was carried by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Manson, Mead, Merz, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—31

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Fake, Gibbs, Haines, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lillagore, Moxon, Potter, Smalley, Stille, Taylor—23

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Assembly Bill No 225, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act relative to the time of election and appointment and terms of office of officers elected or appointed in towns, townships, boroughs and other municipalities in this State,'" approved February fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—31

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Fake, Gibbs, Haines, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Moxon, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson—27

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 65, entitled "An act to regulate railroads and other common carriers in this State, creating a State Board of Commissioners to regulate and police railroads and other common carriers in this State, said board so created to be known as the 'State Board of Commissioners of Railroads and Public Utilities,' giving to them an official seal, to fix their salaries, define their powers (including among said powers the power to issue compulsory processes and use contempt proceedings), to prescribe their term of office, and the mode of the procedure and the rules of evidence to govern said board in the conduct of their hearings and in certain other of their proceedings, to prescribe penalties for the disobeying or contempt of the processes and orders of the said Board of Railroad Commissioners, and providing, further, for any other matters to make efficient such a board so established to police and regulate railroads,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—36

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Davison, Elvins, Gibbs, Haines, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Lillagore, Moxon, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson—22

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 67, entitled "An act to prohibit unfair discrimination by railroads and other carriers of this State between different persons, sections, communities or localities and of unfair conditions, and providing penalties therefor,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—35

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Davison, Elvins, Gibbs, Haines, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Moxon, Potter, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson —21

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 314, entitled "An act to compel all railroads in this State to make switching connections with private sidings,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—34.

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Davison, Elvins, Gibbs, Groel, Jess, Lillagore, Manson, Moxon, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson—20

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 315, entitled "An act concerning the appointment of receivers for railroads by the Court of Chancery of New Jersey,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Ridgway, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—34

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Davison, Earle, Elvins, Gibbs, Haines, Irick, Jess, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Moxon, Potter, Smalley, Stille, Thompson—22

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Merz,

Assembly Bill No 57, entitled "An act for the better protection of game and game birds,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Groel, Hahn, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Manson, Mead, Merz, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—33

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Elvins, Gibbs, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Irick, Jess, Lewis, Lillagore, Morris, Moxon, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson—20

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 160, 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, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buxton, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Irick, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—45

In the negative was—

Mr Daab

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

On motion of Mr Groel,

Assembly Bill No 214, entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'An act,'" approved April twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and two,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Riordan, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—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 VanBlarcom, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture and Agricultural College, announces there will be a hearing on

Senate Bill No 58, entitled "An act concerning roads,"

Will be held in the Municipal Corporation room immediately after the session

Mr Tumulty offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to Congressman Marsh Van Winkle

Mr Earle offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. William Fanning, a freeholder of Passaic county

Mr Wright offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Leo Stein, of Essex county

Mr Earle offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to Mr. Feind, a member of council of the city of Passaic

Mr Earle offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to Mr. Rose, a member of council of the city of Passaic

Mr Alexander, Chairman of the special committee to confer with the Governor and a committee of the Senate, announces a meeting of that committee to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 26th, 1907

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 24, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to repeal an act entitled "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 eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three, and being chapter one hundred and eighty-two of the laws of one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Senate Bill No 74, entitled "An act to encourage the celebration of flag day in the public schools of this State,"

Senate Bill No 76, entitled "An act concerning public parks in certain cities of this State,"

Senate Bill No 183, entitled "An act to extend the territorial boundaries of the borough of Madison, in the county of Morris, by the annexation of a portion of the borough of Florham Park, in said county,"

Senate Bill No 219, entitled "An act providing for the establishment of evening schools for foreign-born residents in the State of New Jersey,"

Senate Bill No 223, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the pensioning of school teachers in this State," approved March fifth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' " approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Senate Bill No 235, entitled "An act to repeal an act approved the twenty-second day of March, A D one thousand nine hundred and five, entitled 'An act to authorize cities which have heretofore adopted, or which shall hereafter adopt, the provisions of an act entitled "An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities," approved April third, A D one thousand nine hundred and two, to authorize the bridging of their streets under certain circumstances,' "

And

Senate Bill No 274, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize cities in this State, located on or near the ocean and embracing within their limits or jurisdiction any beach or ocean front, to lay out and open streets and drives, and construct public walks along and upon the beach or ocean front, to grade and otherwise improve the same, to provide the money necessary therefor, and to regulate the use thereof," approved April sixth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, and acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, and to validate bonds issued, or purporting to be issued, under said acts, or any of them,' " which said act was approved March sixth, one thousand nine hundred and one,"

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

Assembly Bill No 52, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate and license pawnbrokers,' " approved April twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Assembly Bill No 74, entitled "An act regarding soldiers, sailors and marines honorably discharged from the United States service,"

Assembly Bill No 104, entitled "An act to permit the retirement on pension from public office or position, after twenty-five years' continuous service therein, of widows of honorably discharged Union soldiers, sailors and marines who served in the War of the Rebellion,"

Assembly Bill No 114, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),"'" approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, which amendment was approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 121, entitled "An act to change the name of Ginami Catesto Pettuto,"

Assembly Bill No 203, entitled "An act for the protection of the health of females employed in manufacturing or mercantile establishments,"

H L TYLER,
Secretary of Senate

The Senate message was then taken up, and

Senate Bill No 24, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to repeal an act entitled "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 eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three, and being chapter one hundred and eighty-two of the laws of 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 Corporations

Senate Bill No 74, entitled "An act to encourage the celebration of flag day in the public schools of this 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 76, entitled "An act concerning public parks in certain cities of this State,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

Senate Bill No 183, entitled "An act to extend the territorial boundaries of the borough of Madison, in the county of Morris, by the annexation of a portion of the borough of Florham Park, in said county,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions

Senate Bill No 219, entitled "An act providing for the establishment of evening schools for foreign-born residents in the State of New Jersey,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Education

Senate Bill No 223, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the pensioning of school teachers in this State," approved March fifth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' " approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Education

Senate Bill No 235, entitled "An act to repeal an act approved the twenty-second day of March, A D one thousand nine hundred and five, entitled 'An act to authorize cities which have heretofore adopted, or which shall hereafter adopt, the provisions of an act entitled "An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities," approved April third, A D one thousand nine hundred and two, to authorize the bridging of their streets under certain circumstances,' "

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws

Senate Bill No 274, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize cities in this State, located on or near the ocean and embracing within

their limits or jurisdiction any beach or ocean front, to lay out and open streets and drives, and construct public walks along and upon the beach or ocean front, to grade and otherwise improve the same, to provide the money necessary therefor, and to regulate the use thereof," approved April sixth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, and acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, and to validate bonds issued, or purporting to be issued, under said acts, or any of them,"" which said act was approved March sixth, 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 Miscellaneous Business

Mr Gidel, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 465, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Verona, in the county of Essex,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions

Mr Alexander, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 466, entitled "Amendment to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),' "

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Elections

Mr Fake, by request, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 467, entitled "An act to annex to the township of River Vale, in the county of Bergen, a part or portion of the township of Hillsdale, in said county,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Towns and Townships

Mr Crowther, by request, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 468, entitled "An act authorizing the conveyance of certain lands, now in the ownership of the State of New Jersey, to the city of Perth Amboy,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Mr Lane, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 469, entitled "An act to regulate the practice of osteopathy in the State of New Jersey and to provide for a State Board of Osteopathic Examiners, and to license osteopathic physicians to practice in this State, and punish persons violating the provisions of this act,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 470, entitled "An act for the better protection of menhaden in the waters of the State, including the waters of the Atlantic ocean within the jurisdiction of the State, and to prevent the taking of them with nets,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 471, entitled "An act for the better protection of food fish and to prevent the capture of them with nets from the waters of the State and of the Atlantic ocean within the jurisdiction of this State,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries

Mr Hahn, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 472, entitled "An act to repeal section five of an act 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,' " which supplement was approved June second, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 473, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for and regulate appeals from any District Court in any city of the State to the Supreme Court,'" approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 474, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning District Courts (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on the Judiciary, reported

Committee Substitute for

Assembly Bill No 410, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating and brewed liquors," passed March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,'" approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on the Judiciary, reported

Senate Bill No 236, entitled "An act to validate and confirm any elections and all other proceedings heretofore or hereafter held or taken in any boroughs for the issuance of bonds to pay for the cost of construction or purchase of a system of sewers and drains, and to validate and confirm all bonds or obligations issued in conformity with the proposition adopted at any such amount and as provided in any such proposition,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Tumulty, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, reported

Committee Substitute for

Assembly Bill No 303, entitled "An act establishing the standard of measurement for the sale of milk, skimmed milk or cream and providing penalties for violations thereof,"

The Clerk announced a meeting of the Committee on Incidental Expenses to-morrow morning, at 10 o'clock, in the Speaker's room

Mr Daab, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No 55, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),' " approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Assembly Bill No 172, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies, and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' " approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,

And

Committee Substitute for

Assembly Bill No 180, entitled "An act concerning the abolition of certain grade crossings in incorporated towns, and providing for the apportionment of the expense thereof,"

Assembly Bill No 325, entitled "An act permitting certain boards of education to convey school houses and lands to the boroughs or other municipalities in which they are situated,"

Assembly Bill No 352, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning superintendents of indoor relief in cities of this State,' " approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Assembly Bill No 396, 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 425, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of architecture,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Assembly Bill No 431, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the examination of witnesses before legislative committees and providing for the punishment of witnesses refusing or neglecting to appear or give evidence before such committees,'" approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

As correctly printed

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That when the House adjourns it be to meet to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock

The House then adjourned

WEDNESDAY, March 27th, 1907

House met at 10 30 A M

Prayer was offered by William T Stuchell, of Rahway, N J

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, Wright, Jr —48

Absent—

Messrs Alexander, Buck, Drake, Earle, Haines, Holcombe, Lane, Pawelski, Perkins, Riordan, Tillman, VanBlarcom—12.

Mr Klenert moved the reading of the Journal be dispensed with.

Mr Moxon offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Peter Bonnet, a former member of this House

Mr Tumulty, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, reported

Assembly Bill No 462, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning idiots and lunatics,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No 461, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning idiots and lunatics (Revision),"' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four," which supplement was approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Assembly Bill No 451, entitled "An act to set off territory from the township of Verona, in the county of Essex, and annex the same to the town of Montclair, in said county,"

Assembly Bill No 449, entitled "An act to consolidate with and annex to the town of Montclair, in the county of Essex, the territory embraced within the township of Verona, in the county of Essex, provided a majority of the votes cast in said town and in said township upon said annexation and consolidation shall be in favor thereof, and to provide for the submission of the said question to the voters of said town and said township,"

Assembly Bill No 452, entitled "An act to amend 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No 411, entitled "An act to amend '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 supplement was approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Assembly Bill No 453, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the planting and care of shade trees

on the highways of the municipalities of this State,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three,

Assembly Bill No 457, entitled "A further supplement to the 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 168, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled '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 eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three, and being chapter one hundred and eighty-two (182) of the laws of one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 245, entitled "An act providing for the re-improvement of any street, avenue, road or highway, or the portion of such street, avenue, road or highway, lying in part only in one town, which has been heretofore improved and for which improvement assessments for benefits have been heretofore levied and imposed, and for the issue of bonds to pay for said improvement,"

Senate Bill No 274, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize cities in this State, located on or near the ocean and embracing within their limits or jurisdiction any beach or ocean front, to lay out and open streets and drives, and construct public walks along and upon the beach or ocean front, to grade and otherwise improve the same, to provide the money necessary therefor, and to regulate the use thereof," approved April sixth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, and acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, and to validate bonds issued, or purporting to be issued, under said acts, or any of them,'" which said act was approved March sixth, one thousand nine hundred and one,"

And

Senate Bill No 76, entitled "An act concerning public parks in certain cities of this State,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Daab, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No 177, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting any execution,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No 241, 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 March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

Assembly Bill No 357, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of courts of law (Revision of 1903),'"

Assembly Bill No 369, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 383, entitled "An act concerning the publication of legal and official notices and advertisements,"

Assembly Bill No 388, entitled "Supplement to 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,

Assembly Bill No 392, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning evidence (Revision of 1900),'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Assembly Bill No 402, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of a commission to revise the laws relating to fees and costs,"

Assembly Bill No 404, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No 422, entitled "An act confirming the title to certain real estate of which James R Smith, late of county of Essex, this State, died seized,"

And

Assembly committee substitute to

Senate Bill No 103, 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,' "

As correctly printed

Mr Brady, Chairman of the Committee on Elections, reported

Assembly Bill No 450, entitled "An act concerning the appointment and term of police justices or police magistrates in certain cities of this State,"

Favorably, without amendment

On motion of Mr Hahn, the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 69, entitled "An amendment to 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,

Was passed, be reconsidered, which motion was carried by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Morris, Moxon, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty—33

In the negative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Brady, Breunig, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Mead, Olwell, Sullivan—10

Mr Tumulty, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 475, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes (Revision

of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 476, entitled "An act concerning the pay or salary of certain officers and other employes of paid fire departments in cities of the first class in this State,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Mr Lillagore, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 477, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of West Long Branch, in the county of Monmouth,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions

Mr Devine, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 478, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of East Wood Ridge, in the county of Bergen,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions

Mr Crowther, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 479, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning townships (Revision),'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Towns and Townships

Mr Merz, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 480, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting executions,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Mr Daab moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Committee Substitute for

Assembly Bill No 93, entitled "An act to establish grade crossings of railroads in cities of the first and second class,"

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Committee Substitute for

Assembly Bill No 93, entitled "An act to establish grade crossings of railroads in cities of the first and second class,"

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Daab,

Committee Substitute for

Assembly Bill No 93, entitled "An act to establish grade crossings of railroads in cities of the first and second class,"

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amendment offered by Mr Daab, which was read and adopted

Strike out section one and insert in lieu thereof the following

In any incorporated city of the first or second class, or in any incorporated township of this State, where any street or highway, or any part thereof, shall be crossed at grade by the tracks of any steam railroad or railroads, the board of common council, aldermen, township committee, county board, or other body, having charge of any such street or highway, or any part thereof, crossed at grade by such railroad tracks as aforesaid, shall have the right to apply to the Chancellor of this State, by petition, for the abolition of such grade crossing or crossings as aforesaid, and have an order made directing the railroad company or companies owning such tracks to abolish such grade crossing or crossings by elevating or depressing their tracks over or under such street or highway in any such city or township

Upon receipt of such petition, the Chancellor, after causing such reasonable notice as he may direct to be given to such railroad company or companies as aforesaid, shall hear and determine, in a summary manner, whether or not public safety requires the abolition of such grade crossing or crossings, and whether it would be practicable to abolish same by elevation or depression of the tracks of such railroad company or companies over or under such street, highway, or any portion thereof, in any such city or township

Also strike out section two and insert in lieu thereof the following

If the Chancellor, upon such hearing, determines that such grade crossing or crossings menace public life and safety, and that said crossing or crossings should be abolished and the tracks of such company or companies elevated or depressed, he shall thereupon make an order directing the abolition of such crossing or crossings and the elevation or depression, as the case may be, of all the tracks of such railroad company or companies over or under such street, highway, or any portion thereof, in any such city or township petitioning as aforesaid, within the period of not more than eighteen months from the date of making such order, and he shall further order that all expenses incident and necessary to the proper abolition of said grade crossing or crossings and the elevation or depression of all such track or tracks over or under such street, highway, or any portion thereof, shall be borne by the railroad company or companies owning such tracks in such manner as he may think proper and equitable according to the interest of said company or companies in and to the said tracks ordered to be elevated or depressed in accordance with the terms of this act

If, on any hearing held as aforesaid, it shall be made to appear that any bridge or similar structure owned or controlled by any steam railroad affected by the provisions of this act, or owned or controlled by any city, township, county board or body, shall interfere with the abolition of any such grade crossing and elevation or depression of any such tracks, the Chancellor shall thereupon cause the party or parties owning or controlling such bridge or similar structure to be and appear before him at such time and place as he shall fix, and, upon hearing, shall determine the manner in which such bridge or similar structure shall be removed, remodeled or

altered so as to allow the carrying out of any order he may make under the foregoing provisions of this act, and apportion the cost of such removal or alteration in such manner as may seem to him equitable and just

Also strike out section three and insert in lieu thereof the following

This act shall take effect immediately

All acts and parts of acts inconsistent or repugnant to the provisions of this act be and the same are hereby repealed

On motion of Mr Daab,

Committee Substitute for

Assembly Bill No 93, entitled "An act to establish grade crossings of railroads in cities of the first and second class,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading

Mr Moxon moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 363, entitled "An act to authorize cities of this State through which any river, stream or creek runs, and into which the sewage of any city empties, to build and construct intercepting sewers, to receive all such sewage to be disposed of in such manner as shall be deemed proper, and to provide for the alteration of a general system of sewerage and drainage in cities, and to cleanse and otherwise improve such rivers, streams or creeks and to issue bonds to meet the expense of such work,"

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Assembly Bill No 363, entitled "An act to authorize cities of this State through which any river, stream or creek runs, and into which the sewage of any city empties, to build and construct intercepting sewers, to receive all such sewage to be disposed of in such manner as shall be deemed proper, and to provide for the alteration of a general system of sewerage and drainage in cities, and to cleanse and otherwise improve such rivers, streams or creeks and to issue bonds to meet the expense of such work,"

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Moxon,

Assembly Bill No 363, entitled "An act to authorize cities of this State through which any river, stream or creek runs, and into which the sewage of any city empties, to build and construct intercepting sewers, to receive all such sewage to be disposed of in such manner as shall be deemed proper, and to provide for the alteration of a general system of sewerage and drainage in cities, and to cleanse and otherwise improve such rivers, streams or creeks and to issue bonds to meet the expense of such work,"

Was taken up, read a second time and the following amendment offered by Mr Moxon was read and adopted

In section one, line three, insert after the word "emptied" the following "By such number of votes as may be required by the charter of such city or the rules of the governing body thereof for the expenditure of money for other purposes"

On motion of Mr Moxon,

Assembly Bill No 363, entitled "An act to authorize cities of this State through which any river, stream or creek runs, and into which the sewage of any city empties, to build and construct intercepting sewers, to receive all such sewage to be disposed of in such manner as shall be deemed proper, and to provide for the alteration of a general system of sewerage and drainage in cities, and to cleanse and otherwise improve such rivers, streams or creeks and to issue bonds to meet the expense of such work,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading

Mr Moxon moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 364, entitled "An act to enable cities to widen, deepen and improve the streams, creeks or rivers which are the outlets of the natural drainage of storm or surface water therein, and to erect retaining walls on the banks of the same, and

to condemn lands along such streams, creeks or rivers necessary to carry into effect the provisions of this act, and to issue bonds for the cost of such improvement,"

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Assembly Bill No 364, entitled "An act to enable cities to widen, deepen and improve the streams, creeks or rivers which are the outlets of the natural drainage of storm or surface water therein, and to erect retaining walls on the banks of the same, and to condemn lands along such streams, creeks or rivers necessary to carry into effect the provisions of this act, and to issue bonds for the cost of such improvement,"

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Moxon,

Assembly Bill No 364, entitled "An act to enable cities to widen, deepen and improve the streams, creeks or rivers which are the outlets of the natural drainage of storm or surface water therein, and to erect retaining walls on the banks of the same, and to condemn lands along such streams, creeks or rivers necessary to carry into effect the provisions of this act, and to issue bonds for the cost of such improvement,"

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amendment offered by Mr Moxon, which was read and adopted

In section one, line eight, insert after the word "finances" the words "of such city," in section three, line six, insert after the word "centum" the words "per annum"

On motion of Mr Moxon,

Assembly Bill No 364, entitled "An act to enable cities to widen, deepen and improve the streams, creeks or rivers which are the outlets of the natural drainage of storm or surface water therein, and to erect retaining walls on the banks of the same, and to condemn lands along such streams, creeks or rivers necessary to carry into effect the provisions of this act, and to issue bonds for the cost of such improvement,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections agreed to and ordered to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Meiz,

Assembly Bill No 441, entitled "An act respecting theatre an show licenses in municipalities of this State,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agree to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Assembly Bill No 302, entitled "An act concerning rewards,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agree to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 242, entitled "An act to amend an act en titled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act for th preservation of sheep (Revision)," approved April fourteenth, on thousand eight hundred and forty-six,'" which further supple ment was approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred an ninety-four,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agree to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 396, entitled "A further supplement to a act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision c 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundre and ninety-eight,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agree to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Fake,

Assembly Bill No 366, entitled "A supplement to an act ent tled 'An act relative to the poor of the townships of Ridgefiel Englewood and Palisades, in the county of Bergen,'" approve March sixth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agree to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Morris,

Assembly Bill No 447, entitled "An act to regulate the construction and use of dams in the waters of Paulins Kill, in the counties of Warren and Sussex,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Lewis,

Assembly Bill No 427, entitled "An act to change the name of Samuel Smilovitz,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 305, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1898),'" approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Buck,

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 432, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Holcombe,

Assembly Bill No 400, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr. Lane,

Assembly Bill No 428, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1896)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' " which supplemental act was approved May sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 429, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' " which supplementary act was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Olwell,

Assembly Bill No 62, entitled "An act concerning the liability of corporations and bodies politic, other than municipal corporations, to their employes,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Mead,

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 398, entitled "An act to regulate the salaries of policemen in cities of the first class,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Jess,

Senate Bill No 97, entitled "An act to authorize the change of name of any newspaper published in this State,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

Mr Hendrickson moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 169, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable the boards of chosen freeholders of any of the several counties of this State to construct and reconstruct bridges over and across navigable rivers or streams therein, in certain cases, and providing for the regulation thereof,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two,

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Assembly Bill No 169, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable the boards of chosen freeholders of any of the several counties of this State to construct and reconstruct bridges over and across navigable rivers or streams therein, in certain cases, and providing for the regulation thereof,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two,

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Jess,

Assembly Bill No 240, 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,

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Ji, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Fuith, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Iiick, Jess, Jones, Kleneit, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Wright, Jr—46

In the negative were—

Messis Gibbs, Manson—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

On motion of Mr Taylor,

Assembly Bill No 267, entitled "An act to provide meeting places, necessary supplies and to defray the expenses of the boards of taxation in counties of this State,"

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Moxon, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor —43

In the negative were—

Messrs Klenert, Meiz—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.

On motion of Mr Baker,

Assembly Bill No 396, 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, 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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle,

Elvins, Eppinger, Fuith, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Ji, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty—46

In the negative was—

Mr Wright—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 Crowther moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 318, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1896),'" approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Assembly Bill No 318, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1896),'" approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Crowther,

Assembly Bill No 318, entitled "A 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, read a second time, and the following amendment, offered by Mr Crowther, was read and adopted

In section two, line one, after word "body," insert the following. "or other body having charge of the streets and highways"

Also, in section two, line fourteen, after the word "highways," add the following *"provided, however,* that the term of said grant shall not exceed the period of twenty-five years"

On motion of Mr Crowther,

Assembly Bill No 318, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1896),'" approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Eppinger,

Assembly Bill No 337, entitled "An act providing for the re-improvement of any street, avenue, road or highway, or the portion of such street, avenue, road or highway lying in part only in one town, township or borough, which has heretofore been improved and for which improvement assessments for benefits have been heretofore levied and imposed, and for the issue of bonds to pay for said reimprovement,"

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Meiz, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Wright, Jr —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.

The Clerk read the following announcement

There will be a hearing given by the Committee on Corporations on all bills now in the hands of said committee

On motion of Mr. Klenert, the House then adjourned until 2 o'clock P M

AFTERNOON SESSION

House reconvened at 2 o'clock P M

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Frith, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Kleneit, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, Wright, Jr—52

Absent—

Messrs Buck, Burk, Crowther, Haines, Pawelski, Stille, Tillman, VanBlarcom—8

Mr Jess moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 355, entitled "An act to authorize the city council or other governing body of any city in this State bordering on an arm of the sea or other navigable stream, or through which a navigable stream shall run, to purchase or condemn lands thereon, or to use and devote such lands already acquired on such arm of the sea or other navigable stream for the purpose of erecting, constructing and maintaining one or more public docks, wharves or piers, to be used in whole or in part for recreation purposes, to issue bonds for the purpose of securing money to pay for the lands purchased and for the construction of said docks, wharves or piers,"

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Assembly Bill No 355, entitled "An act to authorize the city council or other governing body of any city in this State bordering on an arm of the sea or other navigable stream, or through which a navigable stream shall run, to purchase or condemn lands

thereon, or to use and devote such lands already acquired on such arm of the sea or other navigable stream for the purpose of erecting, constructing and maintaining one or more public docks, wharves or piers, to be used in whole or in part for recreation purposes, to issue bonds for the purpose of securing money to pay for the lands purchased and for the construction of said docks, wharves or piers,"

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

Mr Jess moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 363, entitled "An act to authorize cities of this State through which any river, stream or creek runs, and into which the sewage of any city empties, to build and construct intercepting sewers, to receive all such sewage to be disposed of in such manner as shall be deemed proper, and to provide for the alteration of a general system of sewerage and drainage in cities, and to cleanse and otherwise improve such rivers, streams or creeks and to issue bonds to meet the expense of such work,"

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Assembly Bill No 363, entitled "An act to authorize cities of this State through which any river, stream or creek runs, and into which the sewage of any city empties, to build and construct intercepting sewers, to receive all such sewage to be disposed of in such manner as shall be deemed proper, and to provide for the alteration of a general system of sewerage and drainage in cities, and to cleanse and otherwise improve such rivers, streams or creeks and to issue bonds to meet the expense of such work,"

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

Mr Jess moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 364, entitled "An act to enable cities to widen, deepen and improve the streams, creeks or rivers which are the outlets of the natural drainage of storm or surface water therein, and to erect retaining walls on the banks of the same, and to condemn lands along such streams, creeks or rivers necessary to carry into effect the provisions of this act, and to issue bonds for the cost of such improvement,"

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Assembly Bill No 364, entitled "An act to enable cities to widen, deepen and improve the streams, creeks or rivers which are the outlets of the natural drainage of storm or surface water therein, and to erect retaining walls on the banks of the same, and to condemn lands along such streams, creeks or rivers necessary to carry into effect the provisions of this act, and to issue bonds for the cost of such improvement,"

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

Mr Riordan, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 481, entitled "An act to establish a department for the supervision and inspection of electrical and gas equipment in cities of the first class in this State, to provide for the inspection of electrical and gas machines, meters and appliances, and for the appointment and duties of officers and inspectors therein, and for their compensation and terms of office,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations

Mr Groel, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Assembly Bill No 420, 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 444, entitled "An act fixing the salary of the State Librarian,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Committee Substitute for

Assembly Bill No 324, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to facilitate the acquirement of land and the erection of buildings for county purposes,'" approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and one,

Also

Assembly Bill No 386, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 446, entitled "An act concerning the offices of register, surrogate and clerk of the Court of Common Pleas in the counties of this State,"

Assembly Bill No 463, entitled "A further supplement to 'An act to regulate fees,'" approved April thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Assembly Bill No 458, entitled "An act providing for the appointment of private secretaries by the mayors of second-class cities,"

Favorably, without amendment,

And

Assembly Bill No 442, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning paid fire departments in certain municipalities of this State, and for the relief of members thereof, their widows, dependent parents and children,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

With committee amendment

Mr Baader, Chairman of the Committee on Commerce and Navigation, reported

Assembly Bill No 417, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the use of power vessels and boats navigating the waters within the jurisdiction of this State above tide water and to provide for the inspection and licensing of power vessels,

their masters, pilots and engineers,'" approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on the Judiciary, reported

Senate Bill No 186, entitled "An act authorizing an instrument affecting lands, tenements and hereditaments within this State, heretofore duly recorded as a release, to be recorded as a deed of conveyance in the proper office by recording a certified copy of the record thereof,"

And

Senate Bill No 245, entitled "An act concerning cities which have passed or shall hereafter pass from cities of the third class to cities of the second class,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Wright (for Mr. Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on the Judiciary) reported

Assembly Bill No 254, entitled "An act to grant to the people of counties, or of towns, townships, boroughs, villages, cities and other municipalities, or wards therein, the power by popular vote to allow or refuse to allow the sale of intoxicating liquors in counties, or in towns, townships, boroughs, villages, cities and other municipalities or wards therein,"

Without recommendation

Mr Daab, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No 272, entitled "An act to further amend section one of chapter one hundred and twenty-five of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, entitled 'An act to authorize towns to renew matured bonds,'" approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, as the same was amended by chapter two of the laws of one thousand nine hundred,

Assembly Bill No 365, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act relating to courts having

criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' " which act was approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Assembly Bill No 397, entitled "An act for the licensing of firemen for the protection of life and property against loss or damage from the operation of stationary steam boilers by incompetent persons,"

And

Assembly Substitute for

Senate Bill No 205, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,' " approved February twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

As correctly printed

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 27th, 1907

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 43, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," ' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," which supplemental act was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Committee Substitute for

Senate Bill No 57, entitled "An act to enable cities in this State to build subways or conduits for electric wires,"

Senate Bill No 79, entitled "An act to regulate theatrical bill-posting in municipalities of this State,"

And

Senate Concurrent Resolution No 5, entitled "Whereas, The site on which the sessions of the Continental Congress were held in Trenton, New Jersey, from November first to December twenty-fourth, one thousand seven hundred and eighty-four, being unknown, its location has long since been a question in which eminent and distinguished historians have absolutely failed and disagreed, and,"

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

H L TYLER,

Secretary of the Senate

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 27th, 1907

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 88, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employes and operatives 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,

With Senate amendment,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

H L TYLER,

Secretary of the Senate.

The Senate message was then taken up, and

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 43, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),"' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," which supplemental act was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Elections

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 57, entitled "An act to enable cities in this State to build subways or conduits for electric wires,"

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 79, entitled "An act to regulate theatrical bill-posting in municipalities of this State,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations

Assembly Bill No 89, entitled "An act to compel the determination of titles to riparian lands and lands under water in which the State claims an estate in remainder or reversion and to quiet the title to the same,"

With Senate amendment, was then taken up, and the Speaker put the question, "Shall the Senate amendment to this bill have a third reading?" and to this the House agreed

Mr Elvins then moved that the rules be suspended and the bill, with amendments, be put on third reading at once,

Which motion was carried

The Speaker then put the question, on motion of Mr Elvins, "Shall the House concur in the Senate amendment?"

On this motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppin-

ger, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Iiick, Jess, Jones, Kleneit, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lallagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson, Wright, Jr —48

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said amendment, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has concurred in the same

Mr Alexander, Chairman of the Special House Committee appointed to fix a date for final adjournment, reported that the House Committee was unable to reach an agreement as to the date for final adjournment

Assembly Concurrent Resolution, by Mr Alexander

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That both Houses of the Legislature take a recess on April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and seven, until June eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seven, and that on June eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seven, both Houses of the Legislature reassemble for the sole purpose of acting upon bills vetoed by the Governor

Mr Buck offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon William Kirby, of Cumberland county

Mr Barber offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Charles E Hendrickson, Justice of the Supreme Court and former member of this House

On motion of Mr Merz,

Assembly Bill No 268, entitled "An act relating to liability of persons doing business in this State to their employes,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Morris,

Assembly Bill No 284, entitled "An act concerning negligence of employer,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Groel,

Assembly Bill No 421, entitled "An act to establish a school and to provide facilities and accommodations in the State Prison,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Senate Bill No 93, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable the board of chosen freeholders of any county in this State to erect, construct and maintain a viaduct between two or more municipalities, and to extend roads to connect with such viaduct, and to acquire lands for the same, and to issue bonds for the payment of the cost of the erection, construction and acquisition thereof,' " approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Conish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Meiz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Potter, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, Wright, Jr—52

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Blohm,

Assembly Bill No 382, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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. Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, Wright, Jr —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.

On motion of Mr Morris,

Committee Substitute for

Assembly Bill No 236, entitled "An act for the better publication of the annual financial statement of towns, boroughs and townships,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Firth, Gibbs, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor—45

In the negative was—

Mr. Thompson—1

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 349, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to the time of election and appointment and terms of office or officers elected or appointed in towns, townships, boroughs and other municipalities in this State,'" approved February fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lillagore, Mead, Merz, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Tumulty, Wright, Jr. —43

In the negative was—

Mr. Lewis—1

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Committee Substitute for

Assembly Bill No 83, entitled "An act relative to writs of certiorari and proceedings thereunder,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty —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

On motion of Mr Wright,

Senate Committee Substitute for

Assembly Bill No 29, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase of sites for and the erection and equipment of armories in cities of the first and second class, and making appropriations therefor, and to provide for the taking of real estate for such sites by commission in case the same cannot be purchased by agreement,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Was taken up, 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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Merz, Olwell, Potter, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Wright, Jr —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

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 139, entitled "An act amending an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas (Revision of 1900),'"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Buck, Buxton, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenért, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Meiz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, VanBlaicom—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

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 167, entitled "An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of speedways in counties of this State,"

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 167, entitled "An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of speedways in counties of this State,"

Be placed back on second reading for amendment,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Brady,

Assembly Bill No 290, entitled "An act concerning the admittance of children under the age of fourteen to dance houses, concert saloons, museums, skating rinks, places wherein theatrical

performances are being presented by paid performers, or places of entertainment that may be injurious to their health or morals,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Mead, Meiz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —53

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

On motion of Mr Holcombe,

Assembly Bill No 362, 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,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Meiz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Backus,

Assembly Bill No 208, entitled "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, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Backus,

Assembly Bill No 249, entitled "An act to change the name of Sarah Ann Backus,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—46

In the negative were—

Messrs Moxon, Perkins—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

On motion of Mr Backus,

Assembly Bill No 250, entitled "An act to change the name of Burtiss Davison Backus,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Collish, Daab, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—43

In the negative were—

Messrs Drake, Moxon, Perkins, Potter—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

On motion of Mr Morris,

Assembly Bill No 333, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize incorporated towns or townships to construct sewers, drains and sewerage disposal plant or plants, and to provide for the cost thereof,'" approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and five, constituting chapter seventy-seven of the session laws of one thousand nine hundred and five,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Jess,

Assembly Bill No 55, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),'" approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Was taken up, 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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Thompson, Wright, Jr—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.

On motion of Mr Groel,

Assembly Bill No 273, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the formation, establishment and government of towns,'" approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Merz, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Thompson, Wright, Jr —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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 27th, 1907

Mr Speaker

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following Concurrent Resolution

Resolved (the House of Assembly concurring), That Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No 43 be returned for further consideration,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

H L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

Mr Riordan moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 316, 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 advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Assembly Bill No 316, 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,

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Elvins,

Assembly Bill No 277, entitled "An act to prohibit sales of merchandise in bulk in fraud of creditors,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Collish, Daab, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, Wright, Jr—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.

On motion of Mr Baader,

Assembly Bill No 293, entitled "An act to change the name of Joseph Klausmann,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—46

In the negative were—

Messrs Moxon, Perkins—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

On motion of Mr Baader,

Assembly Bill No 294, entitled "An act authorizing boroughs to issue bonds to redeem improvement certificates issued for the payment of the cost of public improvements,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Ridgway, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Assembly Bill No 301, entitled "An act to authorize the return of money paid as fines in certain cases,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty—48

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr Lane moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 306, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Assembly Bill No 306, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Groel,

Assembly Bill No 327, entitled "An act to provide for admission of attorneys-at-law, residents of this State, to practice as counsellors-at-law in the courts of this State,"

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Breunig, Burk, Chaplin, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Manson, Merz, Moxon, Perkins, Ridgway, Thompson, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—23

In the negative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Cattell, Corish, Elvins, Fake, Hendrickson, Jr, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Mead, Morris, Olwell, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty—26

The Speaker declared the bill lost

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 330, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act for the incorporation of cities and providing for their officers, government and powers," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,'" approved June twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Olwell, Perkins, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom—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.

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 383, entitled "An act concerning the publication of legal and official notices and advertisements,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Perkins, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —46

In the negative were—

Messrs Hendrickson, Jess, Lewis—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 Sullivan moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 316, 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 advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Assembly Bill No 316, 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,

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Assembly Bill No 316, 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, read a second time, and the following amendment, offered by Mr Sullivan, was read and adopted

In section one, line eight, insert after the word "school" the following "which shall be in session at least one hundred and eighty days in each school year and"

In section one strike out in lines eleven and twelve the words, "the public schools are in session in the school district in which such child resides," and substitute therefor the following, "such school is in session"

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Assembly Bill No 316, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,'" approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That when the House adjourns it be to meet to-morrow morning at 10 30 o'clock

The House then adjourned

THURSDAY, March 28th, 1907

House met at 10 30 o'clock A M

Prayer was offered by the Rev Chas M Giffin, of Asbury Park, N J

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Thompson, Wright, Jr—43.

Absent—

Messrs Baader, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Corish, Gibbs, Haines, Irick, Jones, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Stille, Sullivan, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—17

On motion of Mr Klenert, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 27th, 1907

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 221, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Senate Bill No 291, entitled "An act to create a public holiday, to be known as 'Good Friday,' "

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

HOWARD L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

The Senate message was then taken up, and

Senate Bill No 221, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,' " approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws

Senate Bill No 291, entitled "An act to create a public holiday, to be known as 'Good Friday,' "

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Mr Alexander, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No 233, 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

Senate Bill No 221, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,' " approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Backus, Chairman of the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions, reported

Assembly Bill No 465, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Verona, in the county of Essex,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Morris, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No 57, entitled "An act to enable cities in this State to build subways or conduits for electric wires,"

Senate Bill No 79, entitled "An act to regulate theatrical billposting in municipalities of this State,"

Senate Bill No 127, 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 of offices in such cities and providing for the maintenance of such board,"

Senate Bill No 128, entitled "An act concerning the government of certain cities in this State and constituting a board of finance therein and defining the powers and duties of such boards and vesting in such boards certain powers of management and appointment,"

And

Senate Bill No 129, entitled "An act concerning the government of certain cities in this State and constituting a municipal board of public work and other officers therein, and defining the powers and duties of such boards and relating to the municipal affairs and departments of such cities placed under the control and management of such board, and providing for the maintenance of said board,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Hendrickson, Chairman of the Committee on Militia, reported

Assembly Bill No 443, entitled "An act to provide for the attendance of a part of the National Guard of New Jersey at the unveiling of a monument to the soldiers of the revolution, at Orange, in the county of Essex,"

Senate Bill No 150, entitled "An act to authorize the erection of a monument on the battlefield of Salem Church, in the State of Virginia, and a tablet on the battlefield of Spottsylvania, in the State of Virginia, to commemorate the services of the Fifteenth regiment, New Jersey volunteer infantry, in the battles of Salem Church and Spottsylvania and other engagements of the Civil War, and to appropriate money to pay for the erection and dedication of the same,"

And

Senate Bill No 154, entitled "An act to appropriate money for erecting a revolutionary monument at Orange,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Cattell, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 482, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Mr Hendrickson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 483, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and materials in erecting any building (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Labor and Industries

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 484, 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,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Labor and Industries

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 485, entitled "An act to repeal certain sections of 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,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Labor and Industries

Mr Alexander moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Senate Bill No 80, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Rumson, in the county of Monmouth,"

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Senate Bill No 80, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Rumson, in the county of Monmouth,"

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Manson,

Senate Bill No 80, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Rumson, in the county of Monmouth,"

Was taken up and read a second time, whereupon Mr Alexander offered the following amendments, both of which were lost

Amend section three of said bill so it will read as follows

3 This act shall not become operative until the provisions of this act shall be submitted to the voters of the territory comprehended by the aforementioned borough limits, and also of all other portions of the township of Shrewsbury, in the county of Monmouth, the municipality from which said proposed borough is to

be taken, at a special election, and approved by a majority of the voters voting at such election upon the question of the approval or disapproval of said act, and said act shall be submitted to the voters in accordance with the provisions of the general election law regulating the method of submitting legislative acts with other questions at special elections

Strike out, in lines two and three, in section three of said bill, the words "territory comprehended by the aforementioned borough limits," and insert in lieu thereof the words "said township of Shrewsbury, in the county of Monmouth"

On the second amendment Mr Alexander asked for the roll. This was done by the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Blohm, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris—15.

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Fake, Gibbs, Haines, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson—27.

On motion of Mr Manson,

Senate Bill No 80, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Rumson, in the county of Monmouth,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Senate Bill No 101, 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, and ordered to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Wright,

Senate Bill No 154, entitled "An act to appropriate money for erecting a revolutionary monument at Orange,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Chaplin,

Senate Bill No 201, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable any city in this State, other than cities of the first class, to construct, purchase or otherwise acquire water works for the purpose of supplying pure and wholesome water for public and private use in said city or in adjoining municipalities, and providing for the maintenance of the same,' " approved June eighth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Lewis,

Assembly Bill No 328, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the incorporated cities, towns, townships and boroughs of this State to fund their floated indebtedness and their matured and maturing bonds," approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,' " and which amendment was approved February eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and one,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson—39

In the negative were—

Messrs Firth, Morris—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

On motion of Mr Firth,

Assembly Bill No 313, entitled "A supplement to 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 provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession (Revision of 1903)," approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three, approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and four,'" which amendatory act was approved June nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six (Pamph L 1906, ch 317, p 699),

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson, Wright, Jr—39

In the negative were—

Messrs Daab, Gibbs, Jess—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

On motion of Mr Chaplin,

Assembly Bill No 322, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'Supplement to the act entitled "A general act relative to boroughs (Revision of 1897),"'" approved April nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Blohm, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson, Wright, Jr—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.

On motion of Mr Barber,

Assembly Bill No 375, entitled "An act explanatory of certain words contained in an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to remove the fire and police departments of the cities of this State from political control," approved May second, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five,' and to provide for the establishment, management and distribution of a police pension or retiring fund," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Haines,

Assembly Bill No 325, entitled "An act permitting certain boards of education to convey school houses and lands to the boroughs or other municipalities in which they are situated,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Assembly Bill No 431, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the examination of witnesses before legislative committees and providing for the punishment of witnesses refusing or neglecting to appear or give evidence before such committees,'" approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake,

Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson—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

On motion of Mr Perkins,

Assembly Bill No 341, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the better regulation and control of the taking, planting and cultivating of oysters on lands lying under the tidal waters of the Delaware bay and Maurice river cove, in the State of New Jersey," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,' which supplemental act was approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and five, and which supplement thereto was approved May twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and five, and extending the provisions of said supplemental act, and extending the provisions of said original act, to certain lands under the tidal waters in Raritan bay, in the State of New Jersey, to wit lands comprehended by the following lines Beginning at the watch-house at Canaskonk point, on the shore of Raritan bay, thence, in a straight line to the government buoy, known as East Point Buoy, thence, on a true course west southwest, to the point where said course intersects a line drawn on a course due north from Cliffwood point, thence, on a true course south, to Cliffwood point, thence along the shore line to the place of beginning,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Barber, Blohm, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn,

Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 376, entitled "An act to prohibit fishing through or under ice in any of the waters of this State,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Burk, Buxton, Chaplin, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Perkins—31

In the negative were—

Messrs Daab, Firth, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Morris, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley—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

On motion of Mr Morris,

Assembly Bill No 278, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled '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-third, one thousand nine hundred (Pamph. L 1900, p 324),

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Morris, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson, Wright, Jr—43

In the negative—

Mr Merz—1

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 147, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the preservation of crabs in the waters of the North and South Shrewsbury rivers and their tributaries,'" approved February sixth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Chaplin, Daab, Eppinger, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr, Mead, Merz, Perkins, Thompson, Wright, Jr—13

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Blohm, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Crowther, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Hahn, Haines, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Morris, Moxon, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor—33

On motion of Mr Eppinger,

Assembly Bill No 238, entitled "An act to remove police departments in the townships of this State from political control and to regulate the tenure and terms of office of the officers and men employed in such departments,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Grdel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Iiick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson, Wright, Jr —45

In the negative was—

Mr Drake—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 Crowther moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 358, entitled "An act relating to appropriations in certain municipalities and unexpended balances thereof,"

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Assembly Bill No 358, entitled "An act relating to appropriations in certain municipalities and unexpended balances thereof,"

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Klenert, the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 327, entitled "An act to provide for admission of attorneys-at-law, residents of this State, to practice as counsellors-at-law in the courts of this State,"

Was lost be reconsidered,

Which motion was carried by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Klenert, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson, Wright, Jr —38

In the negative were—

Messrs Blohm, Fake, Hendrickson, Jr, Irick, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore—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

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 124, 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, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Irick,

Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Perkins, Ridgway, Smalley, Thompson—41

In the negative were—

Messrs Elvins, Potter—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.

On motion of Mr Daab

Assembly Bill No 258, entitled "An act to prevent the purchase or sale of tickets of admission to theaters or other places of amusement for the purpose of resale,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Buck, Bunk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson—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

On motion of Mr Buxton,

Assembly Bill No 289, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the use of power vessels and boats navigating the waters within the jurisdiction of this State above tide water and to provide for the inspection and licensing of power vessels, their masters, pilots and engineers,'" approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Blohm, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson, Wright, Jr. —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 Governor, by the hands of Mr. Gray, his Secretary, and read as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
March 28th, 1907

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Assembly

I herewith transmit for your consideration the report of the commission appointed under Joint Resolution No 11, approved May twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and six, to "investigate and report to the Legislature upon the feasibility of a law providing for a division of the profits of public utility corporations between the corporations and the municipalities which may grant such corporations permission to do business therein"

Respectfully,

E C STOKES,

Governor.

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That five hundred copies of the report of the commission under Joint Resolution No 11, approved May twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and six, be printed

On motion of Mr Groel,

Assembly Bill No 327, entitled "An act to provide for admission of attorneys-at-law, residents of this State, to practice as counsellors-at-law in the courts of this State,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Thompson, Wright, Jr —35

In the negative were—

Messrs Blohm, Cattell, Fake, Firth, Hendrickson, Jr, Irick, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Smalley, Taylor —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 he same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Lethbridge (Speaker),

Senate Bill No 154, entitled "An act to appropriate money for erecting a revolutionary monument at Orange,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel,

Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson, Wright, Jr —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

On motion of Mr. Holzapfel,

Assembly Bill No 370, entitled "An act providing for the re-improvement of any street, avenue, road or highway, or the portion of such street, avenue, road or highway, in any city, which has been heretofore improved and for which improvement assessments for benefits have been heretofore levied and imposed, and for the issue of bonds to pay for said improvements,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Blohm, Cattell, Crowther, Daab, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Klenert, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Smalley, Taylor, Wright, Jr —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 he same, and requests its concurrence therein.

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Assembly Bill No 372, entitled "An act to provide for the protection of improved streets in cities of this State, to authorize cities to require water, sewer and gas-connections to be made be-

fore the improvement of any street and empowering such city to make water, sewer and gas connections and the cost thereof lien upon lands,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Blohm, Buik, Cattell, Devine, Ji , Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr , Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson, Wright, Jr —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

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Senate Bill No 236, entitled "An act to validate and confirm any elections and all other proceedings heretofore or hereafter held or taken in any boroughs for the issuance of bonds to pay for the cost of construction or purchase of a system of sewers and drains, and to validate and confirm all bonds or obligations issued in conformity with the proposition adopted at any such amount and as provided in any such proposition,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Barber, Blohm, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Crowther, Daab, Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Morris, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson, Wright, Jr —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

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Senate Bill No 101, 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, 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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Barber, Blohm, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson, Wright, Jr —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

Mr Buck, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 486, entitled "An act to amend an act passed March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, and entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act for the government and regulation of the State Prison,"'" passed April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Mr Baker, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 487, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish an excise department in cities of this State,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Senate Bill No 291, entitled "An act to create a public holiday, to be known as 'Good Friday' "

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Senate Bill No 291, entitled "An act to create a public holiday, to be known as 'Good Friday,' "

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, ordered to be printed and to have a third reading,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Senate Bill No 291, entitled "An act to create a public holiday, to be known as 'Good Friday,' "

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Crowther, Daab, Drake, Elvins, Fake, Firth, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson, Wright, Jr —38

In the negative was—

Mr Gibbs—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

Mr Hahn, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 488, entitled "An act concerning the retirement on pension from public office or position after thirty-five years' continuous service therein, in counties of the first class, of a person who has attained the age of sixty-five years,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws

Mr Auf der Heide, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships, reported

Assembly Bill No 434, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize incorporated towns and townships to construct sewers, drains and a sewer disposal plant or plants and to provide for the payment and costs thereof,'" approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Assembly Bill No 399, 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 418, entitled "An act concerning the enforcement of ordinances in incorporated towns,"

And

Assembly Bill No 419, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize incorporated towns to construct, operate and maintain a system of sewers and drains and to provide for the payment of the costs of the construction, operation and maintenance thereof,'" approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Daab, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No 62, entitled "An act concerning the liability of corporations and bodies politic, other than municipal corporations, to their employes,"

Assembly Bill No 242, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act for the preservation of sheep (Revision)," approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,'" which further supplement was approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,

Assembly Bill No 302, entitled "An act concerning rewards,"

Assembly Bill No 305, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1898),'" approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,

Assembly Bill No 318, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1896),'" approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,

Assembly Bill No 366, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to the poor of the townships of Ridgefield, Englewood and Palisades, in the county of Bergen,'" approved March sixth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three,

Assembly Bill No 390, entitled "An act to enable boards of chosen freeholders to accept roads or sections of roads in cities, towns, townships or boroughs, and to maintain the same as county roads,"

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 398, entitled "An act to regulate the salaries of policemen in cities of the first class,"

Assembly Bill No 427, entitled "An act to change the name of Samuel Smilovitz,"

Assembly Bill No 400, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 432, 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 441, entitled "An act respecting theatre and show licenses in municipalities of this State,"

Assembly Bill No 447, entitled "An act to regulate the construction and use of dams in the waters of Paulins Kill, in the counties of Warren and Sussex,"

And

Assembly Bill No 29, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase of sites for and the erection and equipment of armories in cities of the first and second class, and making appropriations therefor, and to provide for the taking of real estate for such sites by commission in case the same cannot be purchased by agreement,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

With Senate committee substitute,

As correctly printed

Mr Alexander, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, announces a hearing on Assembly Bill No 368, being the amendments to the Corporation act, at 3 P M, Monday, April 1st, also on Assembly Bill No 464, at 4 o'clock

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That when the House adjourn, it be to meet on Friday morning at 10 o'clock, and that when it then adjourn it be to meet on Monday evening at 8 o'clock

The House then adjourned

FRIDAY, March 29th, 1907.

At 10 o'clock A M. the House met

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names

Messrs Burk, Barber, Thompson

Mr Burk, Speaker *pro tem.*, in the chair

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem.* declared the House adjourned until Monday evening at 8 o'clock

MONDAY, April 1st, 1907

House met at 8 o'clock P M

Prayer was offered by Rev. Thos J Kerman, of Passaic City.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names·

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —49

Absent—

Messrs Buck, Burk, Drake, Gibbs, Haines, Manson, Mead, Morris, Pawelski, Stille, Tillman—11

On motion of Mr Klenert, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with

A communication from the Centennial Association of Grangers was read

Mr Groel, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported Committee Substitute to

Assembly Bill No 395, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, management and support thereof,'" approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

And

Senate Bill No. 173, entitled "An act to provide additional accommodations for The Manual Training and Industrial School

for Colored Youth,' located at Bordentown, in the county of Burlington,"

Senate Bill No 174, 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 219, entitled "An act providing for the establishment of evening schools for foreign-born residents in the State of New Jersey,"

And

Senate Bill No 74, entitled "An act to encourage the celebration of flag day in the public schools of this State,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Backus, Chairman of the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions, reported

Assembly Bill No 434, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize incorporated towns and townships to construct sewers, drains and a sewer disposal plant or plants and to provide for the payment and costs thereof,'" approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Hendrickson, Chairman of the Committee on Militia, reported

Assembly Bill No 391, entitled "An act to permit the retirement on pension from public office or position of certain honorably discharged soldiers, sailors and marines, who served in the Union army, war of the rebellion,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Daab, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No 284, entitled "An act concerning negligence of employer,"

Assembly Bill No 316, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public

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schools and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,'" approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 421, entitled "An act to establish a school and to provide facilities and accommodations in the State prison,"

Assembly Bill No 363, entitled "An act to authorize cities of this State through which any river, stream or creek runs, and into which the sewage of any city empties, to build and construct intercepting sewers, to receive all such sewage to be disposed of in such manner as shall be deemed proper, and to provide for the alteration of a general system of sewerage and drainage in cities, and to cleanse and otherwise improve such rivers, streams or creeks and to issue bonds to meet the expense of such work,"

And

Assembly Bill No 364, entitled "An act to enable cities to widen, deepen and improve the streams, creeks or rivers which are the outlets of the natural drainage of storm or surface water therein, and to erect retaining walls on the banks of the same, and to condemn lands along such streams, creeks or rivers necessary to carry into effect the provisions of this act, and to issue bonds for the cost of such improvement,"

Correctly printed

Mr Alexander offered the following Concurrent Resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That

Assembly Bill No 203, entitled "An act for the protection of the health of females employed in manufacturing or mercantile establishments,"

Be recalled from the Governor

On motion of Mr Wright, that the House of Assembly accept the invitation of the Centennial Association of the Oranges to attend the celebration of the society as guests on the fourteenth day of June, 1907,

Which motion was carried

Mr Elvins, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 489, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a weather service in New Jersey and to provide for the appointment of a board of directors and president thereof, and appropriating money to pay the actual expense of the same," approved June nineteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,' " which supplement was approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business

Mr Corish offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the common council of the city of Newark, N J

Mr Buxton, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 490, entitled "An act to amend the act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),' " approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions

Mr Merz, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 491, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessments and water rates or water rents in cities of this State, and imposing and levying a tax, assessment and lien in lieu and instead of such arrearages, and to enforce the payment thereof and to provide for the sale of lands subjected to further taxation and assessment,' " passed March thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Mr Klenert, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 492, entitled "An act to provide for the payment of rewards to the widows and minor children of persons killed in the assisting of the police in municipalities,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 493, entitled "An act to authorize cities to issue bonds to obtain money to rebuild sewers,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Mr Daab, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 494, entitled "An act concerning the abolition of grade crossings in cities of the second class,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations

Mr Jess, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 495, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas (Revision of 1900),'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred, which act was amended by an act approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and two, and further amended by an act approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 9, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to revise and amend an act for the taxation of railroad and canal property,'" approved April tenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, which act was approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 10, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and the following amendment, offered by Mr Hendrickson, was read and adopted

In section three, strike out paragraph eight, being lines fifty-nine, sixty, sixty-one, and insert in place thereof as follows

8 All offices and franchises the taxation of which is provided for by any other law of this State, and all personal property having no fixed situs, used for railroad or canal purposes

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 10, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Brady,

Assembly Bill No 451, entitled "An act to set off territory from the township of Verona, in the county of Essex, and annex the same to the town of Montclair, in said county,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

On motion of Mr Burk,

Assembly Bill No 444, entitled "An act fixing the salary of the State Librarian,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Burk,

Committee Substitute for

Assembly Bill No 86, entitled "An act to permit the retirement on pension from public office or position, after twenty years' service therein, of officers and employes in all State penal institutions and reformatories,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Groel,

Committee Substitute for

Assembly Bill No 113, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning District Courts (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Perkins,

Committee Substitute for

Assembly Bill No 192, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employes and operatives 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,'"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Perkins,

Assembly Bill No 193, 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, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Brady,

Assembly Bill No 233, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning District Courts (Revision of 1898),'" ap-

proved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Daab,

Assembly Bill No 257, entitled "An act to provide for the distribution by the State of certain publications to the free public libraries of this State,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Ridgway,

Committee Substitute for

Assembly Bill No 303, entitled "An act establishing the standard of measurement for the sale of milk, skimmed milk or cream and providing penalties for violations thereof,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Potter,

Assembly Bill No 344, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the erection of a monument on the battlefield of Monocacy, in the State of Maryland, to commemorate the services of the Fourteenth Regiment, New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, in the battle of Monocacy and thirty other engagements of the Civil War, and to appropriate money to pay the expense of erecting the same,'" approved April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 350, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to incorporate trustees of religious societies,'" approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Moxon,

Assembly Bill No 363, entitled "An act to authorize cities of this State through which any river, stream or creek runs, and into which the sewage of any city empties, to build and construct intercepting sewers, to receive all such sewage to be disposed of in such manner as shall be deemed proper, and to provide for the alteration of a general system of sewerage and drainage in cities, and to cleanse and otherwise improve such rivers, streams or creeks and to issue bonds to meet the expense of such work,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections and the following amendment, offered by Mr Moxon, was read and adopted

Section four, line seven, strike out "five" and insert the word "four"

On motion of Mr Moxon,

Assembly Bill No 363, entitled "An act to authorize cities of this State through which any river, stream or creek runs, and into which the sewage of any city empties, to build and construct intercepting sewers, to receive all such sewage to be disposed of in such manner as shall be deemed proper, and to provide for the alteration of a general system of sewerage and drainage in cities, and to cleanse and otherwise improve such rivers, streams or creeks and to issue bonds to meet the expense of such work,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Moxon,

Assembly Bill No 364, entitled "An act to enable cities to widen, deepen and improve the streams, creeks or rivers which are the outlets of the natural drainage of storm or surface water therein, and to erect retaining walls on the banks of the same, and to condemn lands along such streams, creeks or rivers necessary to carry into effect the provisions of this act, and to issue bonds for the cost of such improvement,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections and the following amendment, offered by Mr Moxon, was read and adopted

Section three, line five, strike out the word "five" and insert the word "four"

On motion of Mr Moxon,

Assembly Bill No 364, entitled "An act to enable cities to widen, deepen and improve the streams, creeks or rivers which are the outlets of the natural drainage of storm or surface water therein, and to erect retaining walls on the banks of the same, and to condemn lands along such streams, creeks or rivers necessary to carry into effect the provisions of this act, and to issue bonds for the cost of such improvement,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Tillman,

Assembly Bill No 374, entitled "An act to aid by an appropriation of State funds the erection and dedication of a monument to commemorate the services rendered by Abraham Clark, one of the New Jersey signers of the declaration of independence,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Assembly Bill No 386, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

Mr VanBlarcom moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 399, 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 advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Assembly Bill No 399, 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,

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Groel,

Assembly Bill No 401, 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, read a second time, considered by sections, and the following committee amendment, offered by Mr Groel, was read and adopted

Add new section, to be known as section three, to read as follows

3 The members of the boards of education now in office shall continue in office until the first Monday in April next succeeding the dates on which their terms would otherwise expire, and the term of office of the district clerks now in office shall continue until the first day of July next after the passage of this act

Make section three section four

On motion of Mr Groel,

Assembly Bill No 401, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,'" approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Buxton,

Assembly Bill No 417, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the use of power vessels and boats navigating the waters within the jurisdiction of this State above tide water and to provide for the inspection and licensing of power vessels, their masters, pilots and engineers,'" approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Buxton,

Assembly Bill No 418, entitled "An act concerning the enforcement of ordinances in incorporated towns,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Buxton,

Assembly Bill No 419, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize incorporated towns to construct, operate and maintain a system of sewers and drains and to provide for the payment of the costs of the construction, operation and maintenance thereof,'" approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Backus,

Assembly Bill No 465, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Verona, in the county of Essex,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 443, entitled "An act to provide for the attendance of a part of the National Guard of New Jersey at the unveiling of a monument to the soldiers of the revolution, at Orange, in the county of Essex,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Brady,

Assembly Bill No 450, entitled "An act concerning the appointment and term of police justices or police magistrates in certain cities of this State,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

Mr Holcombe offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. M L Miner, a former member of this House

On motion of Mr Buxton,

Senate Bill No 69, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to trustees,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Perkins,

Senate Bill No 83, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation of pathological and anatomical associations for the advancement of medical and surgical science,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Daab,

Assembly Bill No 93, entitled "An act to establish grade crossings on railroads in cities of the first and second class,"

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Potter,

Assembly Bill No 254, entitled "An act to grant to the people of counties, or of towns, townships, boroughs, villages, cities and other municipalities, or wards therein, the power by popular vote to allow or refuse to allow the sale of intoxicating liquors in counties, or in towns, townships, boroughs, villages, cities and other municipalities or wards therein,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and the following amendment, offered by Mr Potter, was read and adopted

Section one, line five, strike out the words "or ward therein"

On motion of Mr Potter,

Assembly Bill No 254, entitled "An act to grant to the people of counties, or of towns, townships, boroughs, villages, cities and other municipalities, or wards therein, the power by popular vote to allow or refuse to allow the sale of intoxicating liquors in counties, or in towns, townships, boroughs, villages, cities and other municipalities or wards therein,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Joint Resolution No 4, entitled "Joint Resolution providing for the appointment of a committee of the Legislature to investigate the State Fish and Game Commission,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Ridgway, Riordan, Stille, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —43

In the negative were—

Messrs Lillagore, Potter, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson—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 Brady moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 180, entitled "An act concerning the abolition of certain grade crossings in incorporated towns, and providing for the apportionment of the expense thereof,"

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Assembly Bill No 180, entitled "An act concerning the abolition of certain grade crossings in incorporated towns, and providing for the apportionment of the expense thereof,"

Be placed back on second reading,

Which motion was carried

Mr Brady then moved that

Assembly Bill No 180, entitled "An act concerning the abolition of certain grade crossings in incorporated towns, and providing for the apportionment of the expense thereof,"

Be recommitted to committee,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Crowther,

Assembly Bill No 200, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning District Courts (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Merz, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, VanBlarcom—40

In the negative was—

Mr Wright—1

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Crowther,

Assembly Bill No 286, entitled "An act to provide for the free distribution of diphtheria antitoxin to the inhabitants of this State,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Merz, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—50

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

On motion of Mr Auf der Heide,

Assembly Bill No 323, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to improve the conditions of tenement-houses of this State and to establish a State Board of Tenement-house Supervision,'" approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and four (P L, p 96),

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Haines, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Merz, Olwell, Riordan, Stille, VanBlarcom—22

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Baader, Barber, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Davison, Drake, Elvins, Fake, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Irick, Jones, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Perkins, Potter, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty—25

On motion of Mr Fake,

Assembly Bill No 206, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Holcombe, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lillagore, Merz, Olwell, Perkins, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Tumulty—30

In the negative were—

Messrs Baader, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Elvins, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Potter, Ridgway, Sullivan, VanBlaicom—18

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 222, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to the writ of certiorari (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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 Alexander, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn,

Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Merz, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, VanBlarcom—39

In the negative were—

Messrs Jess, Jones, Perkins—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.

On motion of Mr Baader,

Assembly Bill No 151, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting railroads and canals,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Buxton, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Merz, Perkins, Potter, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor—36

In the negative were—

Messrs Hendrickson, Jr, Jones, Lillagore, Ridgway, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 252, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the government and regulation of the State prison,'" passed April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were —

Messrs Backus, Baker, Brady, Corish, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Holcombe, Lethbridge (Speaker), Olwell, Riordan—11.

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Irick, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Perkins, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—33

Mr Crowther offered the following concurrent resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That

Assembly Bill No 205, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Be recalled from the Governor for further consideration

Mr Tumulty moved that the rules be suspended, and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 166, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating and brewed liquors," passed March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,'" approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Assembly Bill No 166, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating and brewed liquors," passed March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,'" approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 1st, 1907

Mr Speaker

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has concurred in the following resolution

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That Assembly Bill No 203 be recalled from the Governor

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That Assembly Bill No 205 be recalled from the Governor for further consideration

H L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That when the House adjourn, it be to meet to-morrow morning at 10 30

The House then adjourned

TUESDAY, April 2d, 1907

House met at 10 30 A M

Prayer was offered by Rev Edward J Wright, of Trenton, N J

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—52

Absent—

Messrs Buck, Cattell, Drake, Manson, Mead, Morris, Pawelski, Tillman—8

On motion of Mr Klenert, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 2d, 1907.

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 23, entitled "An act to establish a Civil Service Commission and to regulate the appointment of certain public officers in the State of New Jersey and in the cities and counties thereof,".

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 39, entitled "An act to annex to the city of Woodbury, in the county of Gloucester, a portion of the township of West Deptford, in said county,"

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 107, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a sanatorium for persons afflicted with tuberculous diseases and to provide for the selection of a site and the erection of buildings therefor and the government thereof,'" approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Senate Bill No 195, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the scientific investigation of oyster propagation,'" approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and one,

Senate Bill No 211, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of State directors of stock life insurance companies,"

Senate Bill No 216, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to life insurance companies doing business in the State of New Jersey and to the representatives of such companies,'" approved March nineteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Senate Bill No 217, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Senate Bill No 226, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Senate Bill No 239, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to create the office of Commissioner of Charities and Corrections and to define his powers and duties,'" approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Senate Bill No 250, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting any execution,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Bill No 253, 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 256, entitled "An act to secure to companies incorporated under 'An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1875),' and the supplements and amendments thereto, owning and operating a public sewerage plant in any municipality in this State, the right to continue to maintain and operate the same,"

Senate Bill No 257, entitled "An act validating and confirming ordinances heretofore granted by any municipality to any public sewerage corporation, vesting in such corporation the right to lay its pipes beneath the surface of the streets and highways of such municipality, and validating the acts and proceedings of such corporation thereunder,"

Senate Bill No 262, 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 264, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to courts having a criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Senate Bill No 267, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Senate Bill No 268, 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 269, entitled "An act to repeal 'An act entitled "An act regulating the granting of licenses for the sale of spiritu-

ous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors in municipalities in counties of the fourth class in this State,"'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Senate Bill No 287, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),'"

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested,

And

Assembly Bill No 190, entitled "An act to annex to the borough of Bradley Beach a portion of the borough of Neptune City, in the county of Monmouth"

H L TYLER,

Secretary of the Senate

The Senate message was then taken up, and

Senate Bill No 23, entitled "An act to establish a Civil Service Commission and to regulate the appointment of certain public officers in the State of New Jersey and in the cities and counties thereof,"

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 39, entitled "An act to annex to the city of Woodbury, in the county of Gloucester, a portion of the township of West Deptford, in said county,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Towns and Townships

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 107, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a sanatorium for persons afflicted with tuberculous diseases and to provide for the selection of a site and the erection of buildings therefor and the government thereof,'" 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 Public Health

Senate Bill No 195, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the scientific investigation of oyster propagation,'" approved March twenty-first, 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 Game and Fisheries

Senate Bill No 211, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of State directors of stock life insurance companies,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Banks and Insurance

Senate Bill No 216, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to life insurance companies doing business in the State of New Jersey and to the representatives of such companies,'" approved March nineteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committe on Banks and Insurance

Senate Bill No 217, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws

Senate Bill No 226, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Elections

Senate Bill No 239, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to create the office of Commissioner of Charities and Corrections and to define his powers and duties,'" approved March twenty-fifth, 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 Corporations

Senate Bill No 250, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting any execution,'" 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 253, 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 256, entitled "An act to secure to companies incorporated under 'An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1875),' and the supplements and amendments thereto, owning and operating a public sewerage plant in any municipality in this State, the right to continue to maintain and operate the same,"

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 262, 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 264, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to courts having a 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 Judiciary

Senate Bill No 267, 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,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws

Senate Bill No 257, entitled "An act validating and confirming ordinances heretofore granted by any municipality to any public sewerage corporation, vesting in such corporation the right to lay its pipes beneath the surface of the streets and highways of such municipality, and validating the acts and proceedings of such corporation thereunder,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations

Senate Bill 268, 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 269, entitled "An act to repeal 'An act entitled "An act regulating the granting of licenses for the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors in municipalities in counties of the fourth class in this State,"'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Senate Bill No 287, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),'"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions

Mr Corish offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to Master Francis Baader, son of our esteemed member of this House

A message was received from the Governor, by the hands of his Secretary, which was read

On motion of Mr Klenert, the Governor's message be received and spread in full upon the minutes of the Journal

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
TRENTON, March 28th, 1907

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Assembly

A National Arbitration Congress will be held in New York City from April fourteenth to seventeenth, nineteen hundred and seven It will convene at a critical moment in the world's history, when all the nations of America are on the point of sending delegations to a second Hague Conference

The State of New Jersey is requested to send a delegation to this Congress, and I urge upon the Legislature the necessity of taking appropriate action at this time

I would suggest as such appropriate action, first, the passage of a resolution in favor of international arbitration, and second, suitable provision for the representation of the New Jersey Legislature in the councils of the Congress Various other States have already acted in this matter, including Massachusetts and Georgia, and the Governor of New York on the nineteenth instant sent a special message to the Legislature of that State on this subject

I earnestly recommend that this Legislature, by concurrent resolution, appoint or provide for the appointment of a suitable delegation to represent New Jersey at this Congress

Respectfully,

E C STOKES,

Governor.

Mr Brady, Chairman of the Committee on Elections, reported

Assembly Bill No 466, entitled "Amendment to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Alexander, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Committee Substitute for

Assembly Bill No 368, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1896),' and the acts amendatory thereof and the supplements thereto,"

And

Senate Bill No 235, entitled "An act to repeal an act approved the twenty-second day of March, A D one thousand nine hundred and five, entitled 'An act to authorize cities which have heretofore adopted, or which shall hereafter adopt, the provisions of an act entitled "An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities," approved April third, A D one thousand nine hundred and two, to authorize the bridging of their streets under certain circumstances,' "

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Assembly Bill No 468, entitled "An act authorizing the conveyance of certain lands, now in the ownership of the State of New Jersey, to the city of Perth Amboy,"

Assembly Bill No 456, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting executions,' " approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No 480, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting executions,' " approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

And

Concurrent Resolution No 6, entitled "*Be it Resolved* (the Senate concurring), That the following amendment to the constitution of this State be and the same is hereby proposed, and when the same shall be agreed to by a majority of the members elected to the House of Assembly and to the Senate the said amendment shall be entered on their journals, with the yeas and nays taken thereon, and referred to the Senate next to be chosen, and published for three months previous to the first Tuesday after the

first Monday of November next, in at last one newspaper of each county, to be designated by the Speaker of the House of Assembly, the President of the Senate and the Secretary of State, payment for such publication to be made by the Treasurer on the warrant of the Comptroller,"

And

Senate Bill No 223, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the pensioning of school teachers in this State," approved March fifth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' " approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Riordan, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No 445, entitled "An act relating to the construction of filtration plants in connection with the public water-supply in certain cities of this State and providing means for the payment of the cost thereof,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Alexander moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 429, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' " which supplementary act was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Assembly Bill No 429, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' " which supplementary act was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

Mr Alexander moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 428, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1896)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' " which supplemental act was approved May sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Assembly Bill No 428, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1896)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' " which supplemental act was approved May sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

Mr Hendrickson asked that by unanimous consent

Assembly Bill No 76, 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,

Be withdrawn from the files of the House, which request was granted

Mr Klenert, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 496, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' " which supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Francis Scott, of Passaic county

Mr Hahn offered the following Concurrent Resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That Assembly Bill No 121 be recalled for further consideration

On motion of Mr Davison, the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 206, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was lost be reconsidered,

Which motion was carried by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Buck, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lillagore, Merz, Perkins, Ridgway, Riordan, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty—33

In the negative were—

Messrs Baader, Brady, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Gibbs, Hendrickson, Jr, Irick, Lewis, Moxon, Potter, Smalley, Sullivan, VanBlarcom—15

On motion of Mr Smalley,

Assembly Bill No 420, 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 second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Morris,

Assembly Bill No 434, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize incorporated towns and townships to construct sewers, drains and a sewer disposal plant or plants and to provide for the payment and costs thereof,'" approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Assembly Bill No 442, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning paid fire departments in certain municipalities of this State, and for the relief of members thereof, their widows, dependent parents and children,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and the following committee amendment, offered by Mr Klenert, was read and adopted

Insert after the second word on line two of section six the following words "except cities of the first class"

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Assembly Bill No 442, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning paid fire departments in certain municipalities of this State, and for the relief of members thereof, their widows, dependent parents and children,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 446, entitled "An act concerning the offices of register, surrogate and clerk of the Court of Common Pleas in the counties of this State,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Olwell,

Assembly Bill No 452, entitled "An act to amend 'An act fo the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'" approved Jun fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

On motion of Mr Olwell,

Assembly Bill No 453, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the planting and care of shade trees on the highways of the municipalities of this State,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 458, entitled "An act providing for the appointment of private secretaries by the mayors of second-class cities,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Jess,

Assembly Bill No 461, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning idiots and lunatics (Revision),"' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four," which supplement was approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Assembly Bill No 462, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning idiots and lunatics,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Brady,

Assembly Bill No 448, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections,'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Moxon,

Assembly Bill No 355, entitled "An act to authorize the city council or other governing body of any city in this State bordering on an arm of the sea or other navigable stream, or through which a navigable stream shall run, to purchase or condemn lands thereon, or to use and devote such lands already acquired on such arm of the sea or other navigable stream for the purpose of erecting, constructing and maintaining one or more public docks, wharves or piers, to be used in whole or in part for recreation purposes, to issue bonds for the purpose of securing money to pay for the lands purchased and for the construction of said docks, wharves or piers,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections and the following amendment was offered by Mr Moxon, which was read and adopted

Section three, line eight, strike out the word "five" and insert the word "four"

On motion of Mr Moxon,

Assembly Bill No 355, entitled "An act to authorize the city council or other governing body of any city in this State bordering on an arm of the sea or other navigable stream, or through which a navigable stream shall run, to purchase or condemn lands thereon, or to use and devote such lands already acquired on such arm of the sea or other navigable stream for the purpose of erecting, constructing and maintaining one or more public docks, wharves or piers, to be used in whole or in part for recreation purposes, to issue bonds for the purpose of securing money to pay for the lands purchased and for the construction of said docks, wharves or piers,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Groel,

Assembly Joint Resolution No 2, entitled,

"WHEREAS, The people of northern New Jersey are now smar ing under a burning sense of shame at the acts of discriminatio and other tyrannies practiced on the taxpayers of Essex county i the matter of coal at the Newark City Home at Verona in sai county, now, therefore, be it,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agree to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 167, entitled "An act to provide for the co struction and maintenance of speedways in counties of this State,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agree to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Tumulty, the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 167, entitled "An act to provide for the co struction and maintenance of speedways in counties of this State,

Was passed to third reading be reconsidered, and that it b placed back on second reading,

Which motion was carried

Mr Hendrickson asked that by unanimous consent

Assembly Bill No 245, entitled "An act providing for the r improvement of any street, avenue, road or highway, or the portio of such street, avenue, road or highway, lying in part only in on town, which has been heretofore improved and for which improv ment assessments for benefits have been heretofore levied and in posed, and for the issue of bonds to pay for said improvement,"

Be withdrawn from the files of the House, which request wa granted

Mr Lane asked that by unanimous consent

Assembly Bill No 305, entitled "A further supplement to a act entitled 'An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1898),' approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred an ninety-six,

Be withdrawn from the files of the House, which request was granted

On motion of Mr Crowther,

Assembly Bill No 310, entitled "An act to enable any municipality of this State to grant permission to any duly incorporated ferry company to use the foot of any public street or streets ending on the tidal waters of this State as a terminal for a public ferry,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Crowther,

Assembly Bill No 358, entitled "An act relating to appropriations in certain municipalities and unexpended balances thereof,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Devine,

Committee Substitute for

Assembly Bill No 324, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to facilitate the acquirement of land and the erection of buildings for county purposes,'" approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and one,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Elvins,

Senate Bill No 235, entitled "An act to repeal an act approved the twenty-second day of March, A D one thousand nine hundred and five, entitled 'An act to authorize cities which have heretofore adopted, or which shall hereafter adopt, the provisions of an act entitled "An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities," approved April third, A D one thousand nine hundred and two, to authorize the bridging of their streets under certain circumstances,'"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Crowther, the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 358, entitled "An act relating to appropriations in certain municipalities and unexpended balances thereof,"

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Assembly Bill No 358, entitled "An act relating to appropriations in certain municipalities and unexpended balances thereof,"

Be placed back on second reading, which motion was carried

Mr Daab, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No 9, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to revise and amend an act for the taxation of railroad and canal property,'" approved April tenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, which act was approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Assembly Bill No 10, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 268, entitled "An act relating to liability of persons doing business in this State to their employes,"

And

Assembly Bill No 355, entitled "An act to authorize the city council or other governing body of any city in this State bordering on an arm of the sea or other navigable stream, or through which a navigable stream shall run, to purchase or condemn lands thereon, or to use and devote such lands already acquired on such arm of the sea or other navigable stream for the purpose of erecting, constructing and maintaining one or more public docks, wharves or piers, to be used in whole or in part for recreation purposes, to issue bonds for the purpose of securing money to pay for the lands purchased and for the construction of said docks, wharves or piers,"

As correctly printed

Mr VanBlarcom, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture and Agricultural College, reported

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 58, entitled "An act concerning roads,"

On motion of Mr Lewis,

Senate Joint Resolution No 2, entitled "Joint Resolution providing for the appointment of commissioners to ascertain the reasons for the large increase in the cost of constructing stone roads in the State and to investigate and report upon the advisability of the purchase and operation by the State of stone quarries for the purpose of supplying stone at cost to the several counties of this State for the permanent improvement of public roads, and keeping the same in repair, and the probable cost of such quarries and of equipping and operating the same,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Elvins,

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 46, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities,'" approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two, and also to amend a supplement to said act, which supplement is entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities,'" approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Elvins,

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 47, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities,'" approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two, by providing further for the method in which ordinances shall be passed by city councils in said cities by amending section eleven of said act,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Taylor,

Senate Bill No 48, entitled "An act to authorize the erection of a monument in Huddy Park, in the township of Dover, county of Ocean, in this State, to commemorate the capture of Toms River block house and the burning of Toms River village by the British in the revolutionary war, to appoint a commission to erect said monument, and to appropriate money to pay for erecting said monument,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 57, entitled "An act to enable cities in this State to build subways or conduits for electric wires,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No. 62, entitled "An act to amend 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate fees,"'" approved April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six, which supplement was approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

On motion of Mr Lewis,

Senate Bill No 71, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for short courses in practical and scientific agriculture in the State agricultural college,'" approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Senate Bill No 73, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessments and water rents or water rates in cities of this State, and imposing and levying the taxes, assessments and

liens in lieu and instead of such arrearages, and to enforce the payment thereof, and to provide for the sale of lands subjected to future taxes and assessments,'" approved March thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No 76, entitled "An act concerning public parks in certain cities of this State,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Senate Bill No 79, entitled "An act to regulate theatrical bill-posting in municipalities of this State,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Crowther,

Senate Bill No 86, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate fences in cities of this State,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Elvins,

Senate Bill No 92, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to amend 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, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Firth,

Senate Bill No 150, entitled "An act to authorize the erection of a monument on the battlefield of Salem Church, in the State of Virginia, and a tablet on the battlefield of Spottsylvania, in the State of Virginia, to commemorate the services of the Fifteenth

Regiment, New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, in the battles of Salem Church and Spottsylvania and other engagements of the Civil War, and to appropriate money to pay for the erection and dedication of the same,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Stille,

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 100, entitled "An act to incorporate Sea Island City, in the county of Cape May, as a city and fixing the boundaries thereof,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Stille,

Senate Bill No 104, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Cape May Point, in the county of Cape May,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Stille,

Senate Bill No 112, entitled "An act to provide for the making of decrees of the Orphans' Court a lien on the lands and real estate of any person or persons liable on such decree by docketing the same in the Supreme Court of this State and issuing of execution thereon,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Buxton,

Senate Bill No 115, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the establishment of forest park reservations by and in the State of New Jersey, and for the appointment of a State Board of Forest Park Reservation Commissioners, and defining its powers and duties,'" approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Cattell,

Senate Bill No 120, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),'" approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

On motion of Mr Elvins,

Senate Bill No 140, entitled "An act for extending the time for completing certain railroads,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Barber,

Senate Bill No 144, entitled "An act to repeal parts of an act entitled 'An act to repeal sundry acts relating to associations not for pecuniary profit,'" approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Wright,

Senate Bill No 155, entitled "An act to amend the title of an act entitled 'An act to authorize two or more municipalities in this State to jointly construct and maintain outlet to trunk sewers,' approved March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, and to validate certain acts and proceedings of municipalities under said act and its supplements,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Lillagore,

Senate Bill No 166, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),'"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Elvins,

Senate Bill No 176, entitled "An act for the better protection of hotel, inn and boarding-house proprietors and limiting their liability."

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Crowther,

Senate Bill No 186, entitled "An act authorizing an instrument affecting lands, tenements and hereditaments within this State, heretofore duly recorded as a release, to be recorded as a deed of conveyance in the proper office by recording a certified copy of the record thereof,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Lillagore,

Senate Bill No 193, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the government and regulation of the State Prison,' " approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Lillagore,

Senate Bill No 199, entitled "An act to annex to the borough of Belmar a part of the township of Wall, in the county of Monmouth,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Elvins,

Senate Bill No 201, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable any city in this State, other than cities of the first class, to construct, purchase or otherwise acquire water works for the purpose of supplying pure and wholesome water for public and private use in said city or in adjoining municipalities, and providing for the maintenance of the same,' " approved June eighth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Barber,

Senate Bill No 245, entitled "An act concerning cities which have passed or shall hereafter pass from cities of the third class to cities of the second class,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Barber,

Senate Bill No 255, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize cities to construct sewers and drains and to provide for the payment of the cost thereof,'" approved March eighth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Elvins,

Senate Bill No 274, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize cities in this State, located on or near the ocean and embracing within their limits or jurisdiction any beach or ocean front, to lay out and open streets and drives, and construct public walks along and upon the beach or ocean front, to grade and otherwise improve the same, to provide the money necessary therefor, and to regulate the use thereof," approved April sixth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, and acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, and to validate bonds issued, or purporting to be issued, under said acts, or any of them,'" which said act was approved March sixth, one thousand nine hundred and one,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Elvins,

Senate Bill No 179, 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 printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Lillagore,

Senate Bill No 199, entitled "An act to annex to the borough of Belmar a part of the township of Wall, in the county of Monmouth,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Merz, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—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 Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That 1,500 copies of the proceedings of the New Jersey State Conference of Charities and Corrections, held in Paterson February 10th to 12th, 1907, be printed for distribution

On motion of Mr Klenert, that the House take a recess until 1.30 P M,

Which motion was carried

AFTERNOON SESSION

The House reconvened at 1 30 o'clock P M

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr , Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Fuith, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr , Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —50

Absent—

Messrs Buck, Cattell, Crowther, Haines, Manson, Mead, Morris, Pawalski, Thompson, Tillman—10

Mr Alexander, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Senate Bill No 217, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Senate Bill No 267, 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,

Favorably, without amendment,

And

Senate Bill No 180, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the prevention of cruelty to animals,'" approved March eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty,

With committee amendment

Mr Brady, Chairman of the Committee on Elections, reported

Senate Bill No 226, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Favorably, with amendment

Mr Breunig, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Senate Bill No 175, entitled "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act concerning contagious and infectious diseases among animals and to repeal certain acts relating thereto,'" approved May fourth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Hahn, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported

Senate Bill No 21, 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,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Groel, Chairman of the Committee on Education, announced a public hearing on

Senate Bill No 253, 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,

Monday, April 8th, at 5 o'clock P M

Mr Auf der Heide, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships, reported

Assembly Bill No 479, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning townships (Revision),'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Senate Bill No 39, entitled "An act to annex to the city of Woodbury, in the county of Gloucester, a portion of the township of West Deptford, in said county,"

Favorably, without amendment,

And

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 180, entitled "An act concerning the abolition of certain grade crossings in incorporated towns, and providing for the apportionment of the expense thereof"

Mr Holzapfel offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon H P P Garven, mayor of Bayonne

Mr Perkins offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Edward D Buckholz, a former member of this House

Mr Wright moved that the vote by which

Senate Bill No 131, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,'" which supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Senate Bill No 131, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,'" which supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

Mr Breunig moved that the rules be suspended, and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 316, 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 advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Assembly Bill No 316, 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,

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

Mr Sullivan, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 497, 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 was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Railroads and Canals

Mr VanBlarcom, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 498, entitled "An act authorizing the division of townships into water districts for the purpose of supplying water within such districts for fire purposes, and the election of water commissioners in said district,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Towns and Townships

Mr Lane, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 499, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Elections

On motion of Mr Jones,

Senate Bill No 97, entitled "An act to authorize the change of name of any newspaper published in this State,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Devine, Jr, Elvins, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—35.

In the negative was—

Mr Hendrickson—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

On motion of Mr Jones,

Senate Bill No 143, entitled "An act to provide aid for monument associations,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Daab, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Moxon, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Barber,

Senate Bill No 145 entitled "An act to provide for the attendance of a part of the National Guard of New Jersey at the dedication of the soldiers' and sailors' monument at Trenton, in the county of Mercer, and to appropriate money for the cost of their transportation and other expenses incident to said dedication,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Daab, Devine, Jr, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Moxon, Olwell, Potter, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—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.

On motion of Mr Moxon,

Senate Bill No 110, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to enable counties which have no county hospital to assist in maintaining hospitals located in such county," approved April twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,'" which said supplement was approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Daab, Devine, Jr, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jones, Lane, Leth-

bridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Olwell, Potter, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —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

On motion of Mr Fake,

Senate Bill No 172, entitled 'An act to make the proceedings of the Department of New Jersey of the Grand Army of the Republic a part of the public record of the State and to provide for the printing of same,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Moxon, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —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

On motion of Mr Brady,

Senate Bill No 45, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),"' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," which supplemental act was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Daab, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Moxon, Potter, Riordan, Smalley, Taylor, Tumulty, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Lillagore,

Senate Bill No 165, 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, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Daab, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Lillagore,

Senate Bill No 164, 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, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Elvins, Fake, Gibbs, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Jess, Jones, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Olwell, Potter, Riordan, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson, Wright, Jr—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

Mr Elvins moved that the rules be suspended, and that

Senate Bill No 235, entitled "An act to repeal an act approved the twenty-second day of March, anno domini one thousand nine hundred and five, entitled 'An act to authorize cities which have heretofore adopted, or which shall hereafter adopt, the provisions of an act entitled "An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities," approved April third, anno domini one thousand nine hundred and two, to authorize the bridging of their streets under certain circumstances,'"

Be read for the third time by its title,

Which motion was carried

Senate Bill No 235, entitled "An act to repeal an act approved the twenty-second day of March, anno domini one thousand nine hundred and five, entitled 'An act to authorize cities which have heretofore adopted, or which shall hereafter adopt, the provisions of an act entitled "An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities," approved April third, anno domini one thousand nine hundred and two, to authorize the bridging of their streets under certain circumstances,'"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Olwell, Potter, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson, Wright, Jr. —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.

On motion of Mr Groel,

Senate Committee Substitute for

Assembly Bill No 4, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish public parks in certain counties of this State and to regulate the same,'" approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Was put on third reading

On motion of Mr Groel,

Senate Committee Substitute for

Assembly Bill No 4, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish public parks in certain counties of this State and to regulate the same,'" approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jones, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Tumulty, Wright, Jr —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 Klenert moved that the House be placed under call,

Which motion was carried

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, Wright, Jr —48

Absent—

Messrs Crowther, Drake, Haines, Lane, Manson, Mead, Morris, Pawelski, Perkins, Riordan, Tillman, VanBlarcom—12

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 287, entitled "An act regulating the employment of children in mercantile establishments,"

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Elvins, Firth, Hahn, Holzapfel, Olwell, Tumulty, Wright, Jr —15

In the negative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Daab, Davison, Eppinger, Gibbs, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Merz, Moxon, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson—19

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 390, entitled "An act to enable boards of chosen freeholders to accept roads or sections of roads in cities, towns, townships or boroughs, and to maintain the same as county roads,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Davison, Elvins, Eppinger, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Jones, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Moxon, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Wright, Jr —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.

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 169, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable the boards of chosen freeholders of any of the several counties of this State to construct and reconstruct bridges over and across navigable rivers or streams therein, in certain cases, and providing for the regulation thereof,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections and the following amendment, offered by Mr Hendrickson, was read and adopted

In section two, line fifteen, strike out the words "and a half"

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 169, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable the boards of chosen freeholders of any of the several counties of this State to construct and reconstruct

bridges over and across navigable rivers or streams therein, in certain cases, and providing for the regulation thereof,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two,

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 169, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable the boards of chosen freeholders of any of the several counties of this State to construct and reconstruct bridges over and across navigable rivers or streams therein, in certain cases, and providing for the regulation thereof,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Merz, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Stulle, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Kleneit,

Assembly Bill No 302, entitled "An act concerning rewards,"

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 Auf der Heide, Backus, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Elvins, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Merz, Moxon, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Wright, Jr—36

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Baader, Baker, Eppinger, Hendrickson, Olwell, Sullivan, Tumulty—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.

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 30, entitled "An act to provide for the publishing of a verbatim report of the deliberations of the Legislature,"

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Baader, Blohm, Brady, Corish, Daab, Eppinger, Fake, Groel, Olwell, Tumulty, Wright, Jr—12

In the negative were—

Messrs Backus, Baker, Barber, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Firth, Gibbs, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Merz, Moxon, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson—34

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Assembly Bill No 31, entitled "An act to provide stenographers to the Legislature, to fix their salaries and to define their duties,"

Assembly Bill No. 32, entitled "An act to create the office of State printer of legislative proceedings, to prescribe the fees for said office and to define his duties,"

Assembly Bill No 33, entitled "An act concerning the comptroller of the State of New Jersey, and to confer the power on the said comptroller and to authorize the said comptroller to fix the rate of fees and pay the same to the State printer of legislative proceedings,"

Assembly Bill No 34, entitled "An act supplementary to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),' being chapter two hundred and thirty-five of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, and the several acts amendatory and supplementary thereto, and making it a high misdemeanor to falsely publish any official report of the proceedings of the Legislature,"

And

Assembly Bill No 35, entitled "An act to provide for the public distribution of the verbatim reports of the proceedings of the Legislature,"

Be laid on the table,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Fake,

Assembly Bill No 366, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to the poor of the townships of Ridgefield, Englewood and Palisades, in the county of Bergen,'" approved March sixth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three,

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 Alexander, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Crowther, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Lillagore, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson—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

On motion of Mr Buck,

Assembly Bill No 432, 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, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davision, Drake, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Gioel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Merz, Moxon, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Wright, Jr —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

On motion of Mr Pawelski,

Assembly Bill No 352, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning superintendents of indoor relief in cities of this State,'" approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

Mr Klenert moved that the rules be suspended, and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 177, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting any execution,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Assembly Bill No 177, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting any execution,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Jess,

Assembly Bill No 241, 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 March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Gioel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Wright, Jr—45

In the negative were—

Messrs Drake, Firth—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

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 2d, 1907.

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 (the Senate concurring), That both houses of the Legislature take a recess on April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and seven, until June eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seven, and that upon June eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seven, both houses of the Legislature reassemble for the sole purpose of acting upon bills vetoed by the Governor

H L TYLER,

Secretary of the Senate

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No. 357, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of courts of law (Revision of 1903),'"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Drake, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Haines, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty—40

In the negative were—

Messrs Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr—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.

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 329, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the appointment, term of office and salary of assessors in certain cities in this State, and prescribing their duties,'" approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and five,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Moxon, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr. Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 392, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning evidence (Revision of 1900),'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buxton, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Eppinger, Fake, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Irick, Jess, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Moxon, Olwell, Potter, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, Wright, Jr—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 Blohm, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 500, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish public parks in certain counties of this

State and to regulate the same,'" approved May sixth, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Agricultural College

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 501, 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 was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Education

Mr Tumulty, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 502, entitled "A supplement to the act entitled 'An act concerning evidence (Revision of 1900),'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business

Mr Barber, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 503, entitled "An act to aid by appropriation of State funds for the opening of and the removal of obstructions in the Delaware river at a point immediately below the Pennsylvania Railroad Company's bridge, where the same crosses the Delaware, and extending from thence to a point opposite Lalor street, in the city of Trenton, and the preventing of ice gorging and flooding of portions of the city of Trenton,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Navigation

Mr Auf der Heide, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships, reported

Assembly Bill No 133, entitled "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 134, entitled "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 Daab, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Committee Substitute for

Assembly Bill No 303, entitled "An act establishing the standard of measurement for the sale of milk, skimmed milk or cream and providing penalties for violations thereof,"

And

Assembly Bill No 344, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the erection of a monument on the battlefield of Monocacy, in the State of Maryland, to commemorate the services of the Fourteenth Regiment, New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, in the battle of Monocacy and thirty other engagements of the Civil War, and to appropriate money to pay the expense of erecting the same,'" approved April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Assembly Bill No 450, entitled "An act concerning the appointment and term of police justices or police magistrates in certain cities of this State,"

Assembly Bill No 451, entitled "An act to set off territory from the township of Verona, in the county of Essex, and annex the same to the town of Montclair, in said county,"

As correctly printed

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Committee Substitute for

Assembly Bill No 496, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes," approved April eighth, one thousand nine

hundred and three,' " which supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Olwell moved that the rules be suspended, and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 452, entitled "An act to amend 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),' " approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Assembly Bill No 452, entitled "An act to amend 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),' " approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

Mr Olwell offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted

Section 2 All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act be and the same are hereby repealed

On motion of Mr Olwell,

Assembly Bill No 452, entitled "An act to amend 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),' " approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No 58, entitled "An act concerning roads,"

Be recommitted to committee

On motion of Mr Alexander, the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 323, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to improve the conditions of tenement-houses of this State and to establish a State board of tenement-house supervision,' " approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and four (P L, p 96),

Was lost be reconsidered, which motion was carried by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buxton, Chaplin, Daab, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Wright, Jr—32

Mr Alexander offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That no more bills shall be introduced in this House, except by a majority vote of the House, but this resolution shall not apply to appropriation bills or bills providing for supplementary or incidental expenses

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That when the House adjourns it be to meet to-morrow morning, at 10 30 o'clock

The House then adjourned

WEDNESDAY, April 3d, 1907

House met at 10 30 A M

Prayer was offered by Rev Thomas F Monaghan, of Irvington, N J.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Alexander, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buik, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn,

Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, Wright, Jr—53

Absent—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Buck, Manson, Mead, Perkins, Tillman, VanBlarcom—7

On motion of Mr Klenert the reading of the Journal was dispensed with

A petition was received from the South End Gun Club, of Camden, N J, protesting against the passage of Senate Bill No 152 Petition was read, and, on motion of Mr Jess, it was referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries

A petition from the Vailsburg Improvement Association, of Essex county, urging the passage of

Assembly Bill No 271, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of speedways in the counties of this State,'" approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and two

Mr Klenert moved that the House be placed under call,

Which motion was carried

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Alexander, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, Wright, Jr.—50

Absent—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Buck, Lane, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Perkins, Riordan, Tillman, Van Blarcom—10.

Mr Alexander offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the Speaker be directed to issue warrants, directed to the Sergeant-at-Arms, commanding him to produce absent members at the bar of the House

Mr Groel, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Senate Bill No 262, 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 268, 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,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Backus, Chairman of the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions, reported

Assembly Bill No 406, entitled "An act to annex to the borough of Wood Ridge, in the county of Bergen, a part or portion of the township of Lodi, in said county,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Alexander, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No 459, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting sewers and sewer connections in cities of this State,'" approved March twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,

And

Assembly Bill No 460, entitled "An act amendatory of and supplementary to the act entitled 'An act relating to paving, flagging, maintaining, repairing and otherwise improving sidewalks

in municipalities in this State,' approved May fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six, and to amend the title of such act,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Daab, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 86, entitled "An act to permit the retirement on pension from public office or position, after twenty years' service therein, of officers and employes in all State penal institutions and reformatories,"

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 113, 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 257, entitled "An act to provide for the distribution by the State of certain publications to the free public libraries of this State,"

Assembly Bill No 386, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 350, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to incorporate trustees of religious societies,'" approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Assembly Bill No 417, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the use of power vessels and boats navigating the waters within the jurisdiction of this State above tide water and to provide for the inspection and licensing of power vessels, their masters, pilots and engineers,'" approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Assembly Bill No 419, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize incorporated towns to construct, operate and maintain a system of sewers and drains and to provide for the payment of the costs of the construction, operation and maintenance thereof,'" approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Assembly Bill No 443, entitled "An act to provide for the attendance of a part of the National Guard of New Jersey at the unveiling of a monument to the soldiers of the revolution, at Orange, in the county of Essex,"

Assembly Bill No 233, 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 444, entitled "An act fixing the salary of the State Librarian,"

Assembly Bill No 374, entitled "An act to aid by an appropriation of State funds the erection and dedication of a monument to commemorate the services rendered by Abraham Clark, one of the New Jersey signers of the declaration of independence,"

Assembly Bill No 452, entitled "An act to amend 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No 453, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the planting and care of shade trees on the highways of the municipalities of this State,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three,

Assembly Bill No 458, entitled "An act providing for the appointment of private secretaries by the mayors of second-class cities,"

And

Assembly Joint Resolution No 2, entitled

"WHEREAS, The people of northern New Jersey are now smarting under a burning sense of shame at the acts of discrimination and other tyrannies practiced on the taxpayers of Essex county in the matter of coal at the Newark City Home at Verona in said county, now, therefore, be it"

As correctly printed

Mr Hendrickson moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 395, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, management and support thereof,'" approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Assembly Bill No 395, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, management and support thereof,'" approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

Mr Groel asked leave to introduce a bill, and no objection being offered, the Speaker permitted Mr Groel to offer Assembly Bill No 504

Mr Groel, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 504, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to electric light, heat and power companies,'" approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 3d, 1907

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 10, entitled "An act relating to telephone, electric light, heat and power companies,"

Senate Bill No 90, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the formation of governments of villages,'" approved February twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one,

Senate Bill No 91, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas (Revision of 1901),'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Senate Bill No 102, entitled "An act providing uniform laws to regulate the catching and taking of fish in the Delaware river and bay between the State of Delaware and the State of New Jersey,"

Senate Bill No 182, entitled "An act extending the time for the completion of certain water works, pipes, mains and conduits,"

Senate Bill No 194, entitled "An act to repeal 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,'" approved May eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Senate Bill No 209, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the infliction of the penalty of death,'" approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Senate Bill No 212, entitled "An act to limit the capital stock, dividends and distribution of assets of stock life insurance companies,"

Senate Bill No 213, entitled "An act to require an annual accounting apportionment of surplus of life insurance companies,"

Senate Bill No 214, 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 215, 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, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Senate Bill No 227, entitled "An act to incorporate universities comprising departments or colleges of medicine and surgery, dental and oral surgery, veterinary medicine and surgery, law, pharmacy and other professional and educational departments,"

Senate Bill No 232, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for drainage and sewerage in the cities of this State,' " approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

Senate Bill No 248, entitled "An act providing for the pensioning of police officers in townships of this State, and regulating the method by which the same may be accepted and become operative therein,"

Senate Bill No 286, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide means for protection against fires in townships,' " approved March tenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine,

And

Senate Bill No 298, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide for the permanent improvement of public roads in this State (Revision of 1905)," ' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and five," which supplement was approved May second, one thousand nine hundred and six,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

H L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 3d, 1907.

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 18, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of South Bound Brook,"

H L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

The Senate message was then taken up, and

Senate Bill No 10, entitled "An act relating to telephone, electric light, heat and power companies,"

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 90, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the formation of governments of villages,'" approved February twenty-third, 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 Municipal Corporations

Senate Bill No 91, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas (Revision of 1901),'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Senate Bill No 102, entitled "An act providing uniform laws to regulate the catching and taking of fish in the Delaware river and bay between the State of Delaware and 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 Game and Fisheries

Senate Bill No 182, entitled "An act extending the time for the completion of certain water works, pipes, mains and conduits,"

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 194, entitled "An act to repeal 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,' " approved May eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Education

Senate Bill No 209, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the infliction of the penalty of death,' " approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Senate Bill No 212, entitled "An act to limit the capital stock, dividends and distribution of assets of stock life insurance companies,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Banks and Insurance

Senate Bill No 213, entitled "An act to require an annual accounting apportionment of surplus of life insurance companies,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Banks and Insurance

Senate Bill No 214, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' " approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Banks and Insurance

Senate Bill No 215, 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 read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Banks and Insurance

Senate Bill No 227, entitled "An act to incorporate universities comprising departments or colleges of medicine and surgery, dental

and oral surgery, veterinary medicine and surgery, law, pharmacy and other professional and educational departments,"

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 232, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for drainage and sewerage in the cities of this State,'" approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations

Senate Bill No 248, entitled "An act providing for the pensioning of police officers in townships of this State, and regulating the method by which the same may be accepted and become operative therein,"

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 286, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide means for protection against fires in townships,'" approved March tenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine,

Was 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 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide for the permanent improvement of public roads in this State (Revision of 1905),"' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and five," which supplement was approved May second, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Mr Brady moved that the vote by which

Senate Bill No 45, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),"' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," which supplemental act was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was passed be reconsidered,

Which motion was carried by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, Wright, Jr—49

In the negative—None

Mr Brady moved that the vote by which

Senate Bill No 45, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),"' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," which supplemental act was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that said bill be placed back on second reading,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Brady,

Senate Bill No 45, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),"' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," which supplemental act was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Be recommitted to the committee,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr. Perkins,

Assembly Bill No 433, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Kenilworth, in the county of Union,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Assembly Bill No 466, entitled "Amendment to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 456, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting executions,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Merz,

Assembly Bill No 480, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting executions,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Perkins,

Assembly Bill No 445, entitled "An act relating to the construction of filtration plants in connection with the public water-supply in certain cities of this State and providing means for the payment of the cost thereof,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Crowther,

Assembly Bill No 479, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning townships (Revision),'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Pawelski,

Assembly Bill No 173, entitled "An act relative to boards of tax commissioners or similar finance bodies in cities of this State,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Pawelski,

Assembly Bill No 134, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning townships (Revision of 1899),'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 297, entitled "A bill giving to the voters a power of direct legislation in municipal government,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 299, entitled "A bill giving to the voters a veto power over the acts of their representatives in municipal governments,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 300, entitled "A bill for the establishment of an optional referendum system whereby the electors of the State may register their opinion upon the acts of their legislative agents,"

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following committee amendment was read and adopted

Change title of act to read as follows

An act for the establishment of an optional referendum system, whereby the electors of the State may register their opinion upon the acts of their representatives

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 300, entitled "A bill for the establishment of an optional referendum system whereby the electors of the State may register their opinion upon the acts of their legislative agents,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 411, entitled "An act to amend '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 supplement was approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Baker,

Assembly Bill No 196, entitled "An act concerning the paving and repaving of streets, avenues and public highways in cities of this State, and permitting the use of wood block pavement on such streets and highways,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Barber,

Senate Bill No 223, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the pensioning of school teachers in this State," approved March fifth, one thousand nine hundred and three,'" approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Chaplin,

Senate Bill No 217, 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 printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Smalley,

Senate Bill No 267, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Perkins,

Senate Bill No 226, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following committee amendments were read and adopted

Section one, line ten, strike out the words "the municipal" and insert in place thereof the words "to said," in line eleven, strike out the words "of the respective cities, townships and municipalities," in line twelve, strike out the word "ten" and insert instead thereof the word "thereof"

On motion of Mr Perkins,

Senate Bill No 226, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Cattell,

Senate Bill No 175, entitled "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act concerning contagious and infectious diseases among animals and to repeal certain acts relating thereto,'" approved May fourth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Lewis,

Senate Bill No 21, 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,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Cattell,

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 39, entitled "An act to annex to the city of Woodbury, in the county of Gloucester, a portion of the township of West Deptford, in said county,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Cattell,

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 37, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide for a digest of the law and chancery reports of this State,'" approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Fake,

Senate Bill No 219, entitled "An act providing for the establishment of evening schools for foreign born residents in the State of New Jersey,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

Mr Barber moved that the vote by which

Senate Bill No 255, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize cities to construct sewers and drains and to provide for the payment of the cost thereof,'" approved March eighth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Senate Bill No 255, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize cities to construct sewers and drains and to

provide for the payment of the cost thereof,'" approved March eighth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

Be placed back on second reading,

Which motion was carried

Mr Barber moved that

Senate Bill No 255, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize cities to construct sewers and drains and to provide for the payment of the cost thereof,'" approved March eighth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

Be recommitted to committee,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Smalley,

Senate Bill No 141, entitled "An act to provide for a suitable detail from the National Guard of New Jersey to participate at the dedication and unveiling of a monument erected at Washington, D C, to the honor and memory of the late Major-General George B McClellan,"

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 Alexander, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Kleneit, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty—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

On motion of Mr Elvins,

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 46, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities,'" approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two, and also to amend a supplement to said act, which supplement is entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities,'" approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,

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 Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Metz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty—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

On motion of Mr Chaplin,

Senate Bill No 221, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Eppinger, Fuith, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lethbridge (Speaker), Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson—39

In the negative were—

Messrs Klenert, Merz, Pawelski—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

On motion of Mr Elvins,

Senate Bill No 47, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities,'" approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two, by providing further for the method in which ordinances shall be passed by city councils in said cities by amending section eleven of said act,

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 Alexander, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Eppinger, Firth, Gibbs, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lewis, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor—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

On motion of Mr Taylor,

Senate Bill No 48, entitled "An act to authorize the erection of a monument in Huddy Park, in the township of Dover, county of Ocean, in this State, to commemorate the capture of Toms River block house and the burning of Toms River village by the British in the Revolutionary War, to appoint a commission to erect said monument, and to appropriate money to pay for erecting said monument,"

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 Baader, Backus, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lewis, Merz, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Tillman—32

In the negative was—

Mr Wright—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

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No 62, entitled "An act to amend 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate fees,"'" approved April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six, which supplement was approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

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 Alexander, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Klenert, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor—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

On motion of Mr Smalley,

Senate Bill No 69, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to trustees,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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 Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Fake, Firth, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor—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

On motion of Mr Lewis,

Senate Bill No 71, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for short courses in practical and scientific agriculture in the State agricultural college,'" approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

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 Backus, Baker, Barber, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Fake, Gibbs, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lewis, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson—34

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Baader, Blohm, Breunig, Eppinger, Holzapfel, Lethbridge (Speaker), Olwell, Riordan, Tumulty —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

On motion of Mr Klenert, the House then adjourned until 2 30 o'clock P M

AFTERNOON SESSION

The House reconvened at 2 30 o'clock P M

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Drake, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —50

Absent—

Messrs Baker, Buck, Earle, Devine, Jr, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Pawelski, Perkins, Tillman—10

Mr Hendrickson moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Senate Bill No 57, entitled "An act to enable cities in this State to build subways or conduits for electric wires,"

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Senate Bill No 57, entitled "An act to enable cities in this State to build subways or conduits for electric wires,"

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment;

Which motion was carried

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 3d, 1907

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 36, entitled "An act respecting railroads,"

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 116, entitled "An act to establish a State Water-Supply Commission and to define its powers and duties and the conditions under which waters of this State may be diverted,"

Senate Bill No 266, entitled "An act to consolidate with and annex to the city of Camden, in the county of Camden, the territory embraced within the borough of Wood Lynne, in the county of Camden, provided a majority of the votes cast in said borough upon the question of such annexation and consolidation shall be in favor thereof, and the mayor and common council of said city shall consent thereto,"

Senate Bill No 285, entitled "An act providing for a survey or surveys to show the amount of dredging necessary to deepen the channels of the inland waterways extending from Cape May to Bay Head along the Atlantic coast and for estimates of the cost of deepening the same and appropriating five thousand dollars to defray the expenses of such surveys and estimates,"

Senate Bill No 297, entitled "An act to authorize the Bushkill-Delaware Bridge Company to build a bridge across the Delaware river near the village of Flatbrookville, in the county of Sussex,"

And

Senate Concurrent Resolution No 2, entitled "Whereas, It appears from investigation recently made by the Senate of the United States, and otherwise, that polygamy still exists in certain places of the United States, notwithstanding prohibitory statutes enacted by the several States thereof, and,"

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

HOWARD L TYLER,

Secretary of the Senate.

Senate Bill No 36, entitled "An act respecting railroads,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Railroads and Canals

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 116, entitled "An act to establish a State Water-Supply Commission and to define its powers and duties and the conditions under which waters of this State may be diverted,"

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 266, entitled "An act to consolidate with and annex to the city of Camden, in the county of Camden, the territory embraced within the borough of Wood Lynne, in the county of Camden, provided a majority of the votes cast in said borough upon the question of such annexation and consolidation shall be in favor thereof, and the mayor and common council of said city shall consent thereto,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws

Senate Bill No 285, entitled "An act providing for a survey or surveys to show the amount of dredging necessary to deepen the channels of the inland waterways extending from Cape May to Bay Head along the Atlantic coast and for estimates of the cost of deepening the same and appropriating five thousand dollars to defray the expenses of such surveys and estimates,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Navigation

Senate Bill No 297, entitled "An act to authorize the Bushkill-Delaware Bridge Company to build a bridge across the Delaware river near the village of Flatbrookville, in the county of Sussex,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations

And

Senate Concurrent Resolution No 2, entitled "Whereas, It appears from investigation recently made by the Senate of the United States, and otherwise, that polygamy still exists in certain places

of the United States, notwithstanding prohibitory statutes enacted by the several States thereof, and"

Mr Klenert moved the adoption of

Senate Concurrent Resolution No 2, entitled "Whereas, It appears from investigation recently made by the Senate of the United States, and otherwise, that polygamy still exists in certain places of the United States, notwithstanding prohibitory statutes enacted by the several States thereof, and,"

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Assembly committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 103, 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,'"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Colish, Daab, Davison, Drake, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —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

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 3d, 1907.

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 83, entitled "An act relative to writs of certiorari and proceedings thereunder,"

Assembly Bill No 232, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the formation, establishment and government of towns,'" approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Assembly Bill No 259, entitled "An act making an appropriation for plans and estimates of cost for the improvement of Manasquan Inlet,"

H L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

Mr Daab, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Committee Substitute for

Assembly Bill No 324, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to facilitate the acquirement of land and the erection of buildings for county purposes,'" approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and one,

Assembly Bill No 401, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,'" approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 418, entitled "An act concerning the enforcement of ordinances in incorporated towns,"

Assembly Bill No 420, 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 465, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Verona, in the county of Essex,"

As correctly printed

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Assembly Bill No 402, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of a commission to revise the laws relating to fees and costs,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —49

In the negative was—

Mr Firth—1

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Burk,

Assembly Bill No 404, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled "An act respecting conveyances (Revision of 1898),' " approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty—47

In the negative was—

Mr VanBlarcom—1

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Groel,

Assembly Bill No 465, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Verona, in the county of Essex,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —54

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Brady,

Assembly Bill No 451, entitled "An act to set off territory from the township of Verona, in the county of Essex, and annex the same to the town of Montclair, in said county,"

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Tumulty—35

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Barber, Blohm, Daab, Eppinger, Gibbs, Hendrickson, Jr, Jones, Morris, Pawelski, Sullivan, Thompson, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Morris,

Assembly Bill No 280, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to enable incorporated towns to construct water works for the extinguishment of fires and supply the inhabitants thereof with pure and wholesome water,'" approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four (Gen Stat, p 3559),

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Davison, Devine, Jr, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—47

In the negative were—

Messrs Daab, Earle—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

A message was received from the Governor, by the hands of Mr Gray, his Secretary

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
TRENTON, April 3d, 1907

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Assembly

There is pending before the Legislature Senate Bill No 211, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of State directors of stock life insurance companies" This bill is designed to give to the policyholders of these companies representation on the board of directors The State has no interest in these companies of a financial character Its only interest is to see that the trust imposed in the management of these companies is properly administered

The bill in question, while right in principle, seems to me could be improved in the method of application I doubt the wisdom of vesting these appointments in the Governor who is more or less, according to the occupant of the office, a political official The most unfortunate thing that could happen to the policyholders of these great insurance companies would be in the mingling of their rights with political interests or political changes

In view of the fact that the object of the bill is to provide directors to act in a fiduciary capacity, I would suggest that the Chancellor of the State, who is by virtue of his office the guardian of trusts, be made the appointing power in this matter

I suggest that the bill be amended accordingly Inasmuch as the policyholders are the ones whose protection is the object of this measure, it might safeguard their interests to provide that the appointments should be made from among the policyholders themselves

Respectfully,

E C STOKES,
Governor

The Governor's message was then taken up and referred to the Committee on Banks and Insurance

Mr Barber moved that the Governor's message be spread in full upon the minutes of the House,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Assembly Bill No 6, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlaricom, Wright, Jr—32

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Chaplin, Crowther, Drake, Elvins, Haines, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Moxon, Potter, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson—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, and requests its concurrence therein

Mr Merz offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Wood McKee, a former Senator of Passaic county

Mr Klenert moved the rules be suspended, and that

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 410, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating and brewed liquors," passed March seventh,

one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,' " approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,

Be placed on third reading,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Assembly Bill No 410, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating and brewed liquors," passed March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,' " approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Gioel, Hahn, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Stille, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—28

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Cattell, Devine, Jr, Elvins, Fake, Gibbs, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Morris, Moxon, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson—18

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 3d, 1907

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 220, entitled "An act relative to the power to impose and collect taxes in incorporated towns of this State,"

Senate Bill No 275, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties in this State,'" approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Senate Bill No 309, 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 Concurrent Resolution No 6, entitled

"*Be it Resolved* (the House of Assembly concurring), That the following amendments to the constitution of this State be and the same are hereby proposed, and when the same shall be agreed to by a majority of the members elected to the Senate and House of Assembly, the said amendments shall be entered on their journals, with the yeas and nays thereon, and referred to the Legislature next to be chosen, and published for three months prior to the first Tuesday after the first Monday of November next, in at least one newspaper of each county, to be designated by the President of the Senate, the Speaker of the House of Assembly and the Secretary of State,"

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

HOWARD L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 3d, 1907

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 383, entitled "An act concerning the publication of legal and official notices and advertisements"

HOWARD L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 9, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to revise and amend an act for the taxation of railroad and canal property,'" approved April tenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, which act was approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —27

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Barber, Cattell, Crowther, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Fake, Fith, Gibbs, Holcombe, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Morris, Moxon, Rioidan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson—23

Mr Wright asked that by unanimous consent

Assembly Bill No 404, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Be withdrawn from the files of the House, which request was granted

On motion of Mr Brady,

Assembly Bill No 291, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—31

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Cattell, Crowther, Devine, Jr, Drake, Fake, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson—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.

The Senate message was then taken up, and

Senate Bill No 220, entitled "An act relative to the power to impose and collect taxes in incorporated towns of this State,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Towns and Townships.

Senate Bill No 275, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties in this State,'" approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Senate Bill No 309, 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 Concurrent Resolution No 6, entitled

"*Be it Resolved* (the House of Assembly concurring), That the following amendments to the constitution of this State be and the same are hereby proposed, and when the same shall be agreed to by a majority of the members elected to the Senate and House of Assembly, the said amendments shall be entered on their journals, with the yeas and nays thereon, and referred to the Legislature next to be chosen, and published for three months prior to the first Tuesday after the first Monday of November next, in at least one newspaper of each county, to be designated by the President of the Senate, the Speaker of the House of Assembly and the Secretary of State,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Mr Alexander moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 409, entitled "An act relative to the time of election and appointment and term of office of officers elected or appointed in cities, towns, townships, boroughs and other municipalities in this State,"

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Assembly Bill No 409, entitled "An act relative to the time of election and appointment and term of office of officers elected or appointed in cities, towns, townships, boroughs and other municipalities in this State,"

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

Mr Baader offered the following amendment to

Assembly Bill No 409, entitled "An act relative to the time of election and appointment and term of office of officers elected or appointed in cities, towns, townships, boroughs and other municipalities in this State,"

Strike out the words "except justices of the peace and freeholders," in line three, section one, and in lines one and two, section two, page one, and the same words from line one, section four, page two.

Mr Baader moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No 409, entitled "An act relative to the time of election and appointment and term of office of officers elected or appointed in cities, towns, townships, boroughs and other municipalities in this State,"

Be placed on third reading, which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Baader,

Assembly Bill No 409, entitled "An act relative to the time of election and appointment and term of office of officers elected or appointed in cities, towns, townships, boroughs and other municipalities in this State,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—32

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Cattell, Drake, Fake, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson—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 Alexander moved that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 9, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to revise and amend an act for the taxation of railroad and canal property,'" approved April tenth, one thou-

sand eight hundred and eighty-four, which act was approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Was lost be reconsidered,

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Gloel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—31.

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Cattell, Devine, Jr, Drake, Fake, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson—12

The Speaker thereupon declared the motion carried

Mr Alexander moved that

Assembly Bill No 9, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to revise and amend an act for the taxation of railroad and canal property,'" approved April tenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, which act was approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Be placed back on second reading,

Which motion was carried

Mr Sullivan offered the following Concurrent Resolution, which was read and adopted

WHEREAS, There are various amendments proposed to the present State Constitution with the view to modernizing it in the interest of present-day wants, and

WHEREAS, It is generally believed that our present requirements as a people have outgrown our constitution, which should be superseded by a more up-to-date document, therefore, be it

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That a committee of three members from each house be appointed by the presiding officer of each house to sit during the present session and report before adjournment of the Legislature a bill for the holding of a constitutional convention at an early date

On motion of Mr Olwell,

Assembly Bill No 63, entitled "An act concerning railroads, and providing for presumptive proof of negligence in any action brought hereafter in any court having jurisdiction over such action, and relative to certain effects of the violation of or failure to comply with, according to law, of any order of any board of commissioners now in existence or hereafter to be established in this State, concerning the safety of the premises on or through which any railroad in this State operates of or may hereafter operate, and which said premises are the property of or are under the control of any such railroad, or concerning the safety of any tools, equipment, apparatus or other mechanical appliances or contrivances which are the property of, under the control or in use by any railroad in this State,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—32

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Cattell, Crowther, Devine, Jr, Drake, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson—13

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 106, entitled "An act relating to street railways and conferring the additional power to regulate them on the State Board of Commissioners of Railroads and Public Utilities," supplementary to an act entitled "An act to regulate railroads and other common carriers in this State, creating a State Board of Commissioners to regulate and police railroads and other common carriers in this State, said board so created to be known as the 'State Board of Commissioners of Railroads and Public Utilities,' giving to them an official seal, to fix their salaries, define their powers (including among said powers the power to issue compulsory processes and use contempt proceedings), prescribe their term of office, and the mode of the procedure and the rules of evidence to govern said board in the conduct of their hearings, and in certain other of their proceedings, to prescribe penalties for the disobeying or contempt of the processes and orders of the said Board of Railroad Commissioners, and providing further for any other matters to make efficient such a board established to police and regulate railroads,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—31

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barber, Cattell, Crowther, Drake, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson—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.

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 108, entitled "An act concerning railroads and other carriers and requiring them to make reasonable connections with each other,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Cattell, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, Wright, Jr.—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 Brady, Chairman of the Committee on Elections, reported

Senate Bill No 45, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),"' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," which supplemental act was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Alexander, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Committee Substitute for

Assembly Bill No 332, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 221, entitled "An act to regulate the registry of voters in this State,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Rioidan, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—32

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Cattell, Crowther, Devine, Jr, Fake, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Ridgway, Stille, Taylor, Thompson—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 Tumulty moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No 319, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to informations in the nature of a quo warranto (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Be placed on third reading,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 319, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to informations in the nature of a quo warranto (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker),

Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —32

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Cattell, Crowther, Drake, Fake, Jess, Jones, Taylor, Thompson—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.

On motion of Mr Holcombe,

Assembly Bill No 342, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of goods, wares and merchandise in the several municipalities of this State,' " approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six (P L 1906, p 201),

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following committee amendments were read and adopted

"An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating and brewed liquors,' passed March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight," approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,' " which said supplement was approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six (Session Laws 1906, p 199)

On motion of Mr Holcombe,

Assembly Bill No 342, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of goods, wares and merchandise in the several municipalities of this State,' " approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six (P L 1906, p 201),

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Holcombe,

Assembly Bill No 343, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of goods, wares and merchandise

in the several municipalities of this State,'" approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six (P L 1906, p 199),

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amendments, proposed by Mr Alexander, were read and adopted

Strike out the words "the offense of keeping a disorderly house" and insert thereof the words "a misdemeanor," in line twenty-six, page two, strike out from line twenty-nine the words "and a resident of," and lines thirty, thirty-one, thirty-two, thirty-three, thirty-four and thirty-five and insert a period after the words "United States"

On motion of Mr Holcombe,

Assembly Bill No 343, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of goods, wares and merchandise in the several municipalities of this State,'" approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six (P L 1906, p 199),

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Brady,

Assembly Bill No 262, entitled "An act relating to the abolishment and elimination of all grade crossings of streets and highways over all the railroads in the State,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —32

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Cattell, Crowther, Jess, Jones, Taylor, Thompson—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

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 422, entitled "An act confirming the title to certain real estate of which James R Smith, late of county of Essex, in this State, died seized,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Cattell, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —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

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 12, entitled "An act to authorize cities of the first class to contract to supply water to certain other municipalities in this State,"

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amendments, proposed by Mr Hendrickson, were read and adopted

In paragraph four, line ten, after word "cities," insert "or other municipalities," and also, in line sixteen, after "plying," insert "to himself or itself," and also, in line seventeen, strike out word "if"

and in place thereof insert "or other municipalities unless," and in line eighteen, after word "city," insert "or other municipalities," and strike out word "object" and insert in place thereof "first consent," and strike out word "objection" and insert in place thereof "consent"

Mr Hendrickson moved the rules be suspended, and

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 12, entitled "An act to authorize cities of the first class to contract to supply water to certain other municipalities in this State,"

As amended,

Be placed on third reading,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 12, entitled "An act to authorize cities of the first class to contract to supply water to certain other municipalities in this State,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —32

In the negative was—

Mr 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

On motion of Mr Daab,

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 93, entitled "An act to establish grade crossings of railroads in cities of the first and second class,"

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amendments, proposed by Mr Daab, were read and adopted

Amend title of bill by striking out the words "cities of the first and second class" and insert the following, "municipalities of this State"

Section one, line one, strike out "any incorporated city of the first or second class or in any incorporated township," and insert the following "All municipalities"

Section two, line eight, strike out the word "or" and insert "of"

Section two, line eleven, strike out the word "thereof" and insert the following "Of such street or highway"

Mr Daab moved that the rules be suspended, and that

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 93, entitled "An act to establish grade crossings of railroads in cities of the first and second class,"

As amended,

Be placed on third reading,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Daab,

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 93, entitled "An act to establish grade crossings of railroads in cities of the first and second class,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Dr, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —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 Alexander, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No 426, 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,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Groel, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Second Committee Substitute for

Assembly Bill No 395, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled An act to establish a thorough system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, management and support thereof,'" approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Mr VanBlarcom, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture and Agricultural College, reported

Assembly Bill No 338, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to prevent the adulteration of food or drugs,'" approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one (P L 1881, p. 283),

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Backus, Chairman of the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions, reported

Assembly Bill No 478, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of East Wood Ridge, in the county of Bergen,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That when the House adjourn, it be to meet on Friday morning at 10 o'clock, and that when it then adjourn, it be to meet on Monday evening at 8 o clock

The House then adjourned

FRIDAY, April 5th, 1907

At 10 o'clock A M the House met

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names

Messrs Barber, Burk, Thompson—3

Mr Burk, Speaker *pro tem*, in the chair

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem* declared the House adjourned until Monday evening at 8 o'clock

MONDAY, April 8th, 1907

House met at 8 o'clock P M

Prayer was offered by Rev Clarence W Rouse, of Newton, N J

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —58

Absent—

Messrs Lane, Tillman—2

Mr Klenert moved the reading of the Journal be dispensed with

The following petitions were read by the Clerk from the citizens of Salem county Protesting against the passage of Senate Bill No 275, members of the Teachers' Retirement Fund urging the passage of Senate Bill No 253, Newark Annual Conference of the Methodist Church, urging the passage of the Buck Local Option Bill

Mr Alexander, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 464, entitled "An act to amend chapter one hundred and thirteen of the session laws of one thousand nine hundred and six, 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, defining the amount of license and registration fees,

describing and regulating process and the service thereof, and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations,' "

Assembly Bill No 495, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas (Revision of 1900),' " approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred, which act was amended by an act approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and two, and further amended by an act approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and six,

And

Senate Bill No 126, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the infliction of the penalty of death,' " approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr VanBlaicom, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture and Agricultural College, reported

Assembly Bill No 500, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish public parks in certain counties of this State and to regulate the same,' " approved May sixth, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Baader, Chairman of the Committee on Commerce and Navigation, reported

Senate Bill No 285, entitled "An act providing for a survey or surveys to show the amount of dredging necessary to deepen the channels of the inland waterways extending from Cape May to Bay Head along the Atlantic coast and for estimates of the cost of deepening the same and appropriating five thousand dollars to defray the expenses of such surveys and estimates,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Hahn, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries reported

Senate Bill No 152, 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,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Brennig, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Senate Bill No 107, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a sanatorium for persons afflicted with tuberculous diseases and to provide for the selection of a site and the erection of buildings therefor and the government thereof,'" approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Groel, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Senate Bill No 253, 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 194, entitled "An act to repeal 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,'" approved May eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on the Judiciary, reported

Assembly Bill No 435, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessments and water rents or water rates in cities in this State, and imposing and levying a tax, assessment, and lien in lieu and instead of such arrearages, and to enforce the payment thereof, and to provide for the sale of lands subjected to future taxation and assessment,'" passed March thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

And

Assembly Bill No 493, entitled "An act to authorize cities to issue bonds to obtain money to rebuild sewers,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Daab, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 192, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employes and operatives 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,' "

Assembly Bill No 196, entitled "An act concerning the paving and repaving of streets, avenues and public highways in cities of this State, and permitting the use of wood block pavement on such streets and highways,"

Assembly Bill No 254, entitled "An act to grant to the people of counties, or of towns, townships, boroughs, villages, cities and other municipalities, or wards therein, the power by popular vote to allow or refuse to allow the sale of intoxicating liquors in counties, or in towns, townships, boroughs, villages, cities and other municipalities or wards therein,"

Assembly Bill No 295, entitled "An act to set off territory from the borough of Mountainside, in the county of Union, and annex the same to the town of Westfield, in said county,"

Assembly Bill No 297, entitled "A bill, giving to the voters a power of direct legislation in municipal government,"

Assembly Bill No 299, entitled "A bill, giving to the voters a veto power over the acts of their representatives in municipal governments,"

Assembly Bill No 300, entitled "A bill for the establishment of an optional referendum system whereby the electors of the State may register their opinion upon the acts of their legislative agents,"

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 310, entitled "An act to enable any munici-

pality of this State to grant permission to any duly incorporated ferry company to use the foot of any public street or streets ending on the tidal waters of this State as a terminal for a public ferry,"

Assembly Bill No 342, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of goods, wares and merchandise in the several municipalities of this State,'" approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six (P L 1906, p 201),

Assembly Bill No 343, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of goods, wares and merchandise in the several municipalities of this State,'" approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six (P L 1906, p 199),

Assembly Bill No 411, entitled "An act to amend '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 supplement was approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Assembly Bill No 433, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Kenilworth, in the county of Union,"

Assembly Bill No 434, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize incorporated towns and townships to construct sewers, drains and a sewer disposal plant or plants and to provide for the payment and costs thereof,'" approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Assembly Bill No 442, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning paid fire departments in certain municipalities of this State, and for the relief of members thereof, their widows, dependent parents and children,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Assembly Bill No 445, entitled "An act relating to the construction of filtration plants in connection with the public water-supply in certain cities of this State and providing means for the payment of the cost thereof,"

Assembly Bill No 448, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections,'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No 456, entitled "A further supplement to an act

entitled 'An act respecting executions,' " approved March twenty seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No 461, entitled "An act to amend an act en titled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning idiot and lunatics (Revision)," ' approved March twenty-seventh, on thousand eight hundred and seventy-four," which supplement wa approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred an ninety-nine,

Assembly Bill No 462, entitled "A supplement to an act enti tled 'An act concerning idiots and lunatics,' " approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No 466, entitled "Amendment to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),' "

Assembly Bill No 479, entitled "A supplement to an act enti tled 'An act concerning townships (Revision),'-" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Assembly Bill No 480, entitled "A further supplement to an ac entitled 'An act respecting executions,' " approved March twenty seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

And

Senate Bill No 226, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),' " approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

With committee amendment,

As correctly printed

Mr. VanBlarcom, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture and Agricultural College, reported

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 58, entitled "An act concerning roads "

Mr Olwell offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Dennis Reardon, a former member of this House, of Hudson county

Mr Baader offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon William Pennington, a former member of this House, of Essex County

Mr Wright offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. William M Parkins, of East Orange

Mr Groel offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon George T Seibe, a former member of this House, of Essex county

Mr Corish offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon M Dalrymple, a former member of this House, of Essex county

Mr Buck, offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Thos E Mitchell, a former member of this House, of Cumberland County

Mr Mead offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon William Griffin, Jr, Mayor of Wanamassa, N J

Mr Wright announced a meeting of the Committee on Incidental Expenses at 10 o'clock to-morrow morning

Mr Morris moved that

Senate Bill No 253, 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,

Be placed on second reading,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Morris,

Senate Bill No 253, entitled "An act to amend an act entitle 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free publ schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and manag ment thereof,'" approved October nineteenth, one thousand nin hundred and three,

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read third time by its title, and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Ba ber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Ca tell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holz apfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Kleneit, Lethbridge (Speaker) Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—58

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerl carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House o Assembly has passed the same

A message was received from the Governor, by the hands of Mr Gray, his Secretary

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

TRENTON, April 6th, 1907

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Assembly

There are pending before the Legislature a number of bills pro viding for the expense attending the dedication of monuments and for the erection of monuments themselves However patriotic the motives that inspire these measures, they are becoming too epi demic to receive wholesale approval They involve drafts upon

e Treasury in excess of what I think is warranted in this regard oreover, some of them clearly violate the provisions of article I, ctions 19 and 20 of the constitution The other numerous meas- es providing appropriations for the dedication and erection of onuments within the scope of the constitution cannot intelli- ntly be passed on unless they are passed on as a whole Piece- eal consideration is not satisfactory

I suggest, therefore, that they be either adversely considered, or, favorably considered, they all be retained by the Committee on assed Bills until they can all be sent to me at one time If I find iere is an unreasonable amount of them, I shall veto them all ither than discriminate in favor of one as against another In- eed, I do not think that more than one of such measures should e passed in any one year Patriotism consists quite as much in educing the burdens of taxation for the living as in improvidently roviding pageantries and monuments for the dead

Respectfully,

E C STOKES,

Governor

On motion of Mr Klenert, the Governor's message be spread in ull upon the minutes,

Which motion was carried

Mr Hahn asked that consent be granted to introduce a bill,

Which consent was granted

Mr Hahn, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 505, entitled "An act to consolidate with and nnex to the city of Newark, in the county of Essex, a part of the erritory now embraced within the township of Belleville, in the ounty of Essex, *provided,* a majority of the votes cast in said ownship upon the question of such annexation and consolidation hall be in favor thereof, and the mayor and common council of aid city shall consent thereto,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a econd reading, and referred to the Committee on Towns and Townships

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 457, entitled "A further supplement to tl act entitled 'An act to establish public parks in certain counties this State and to regulate the same,'" approved March fifth, o thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agre to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 459, entitled "An act to amend an act ent tled 'An act respecting sewers and sewer connections in cities this State,'" approved March twenty-sixth, one thousand eig hundred and ninety-six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agre to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 460, entitled "An act amendatory of an supplementary to the act entitled 'An act relating to paving, fla ging, maintaining, repairing and otherwise improving sidewall in municipalities in this State,' approved May fifteenth, one tho sand nine hundred and six, and to amend the title of such act,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agree to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Breunig,

Assembly Bill No 413, entitled "An act to provide for the e tablishment of public playgrounds in cities of this State and fo the maintenance, control and management thereof,"

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amend ment, offered by Mr Alexander, was read and adopted

Line two, section one, insert after the word "city" the word "who shall be confirmed by the common council or other governin body of such city"

On motion of Mr Breunig,

Assembly Bill No 413, entitled "An act to provide for th establishment of public playgrounds in cities of this State and fo the maintenance, control and management thereof,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 9, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to revise and amend an act for the taxation of railroad and canal property,'" approved April tenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, which act was approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amendment, offered by Mr Hendrickson, was read and adopted

After word "district," in line ten, add *"provided, however,* that one-third of the taxes raised from the taxation of such property referred to in said subdivision one of section three shall be paid over by the respective taxing districts to the State Treasurer for the benefit of the State school fund as and when collected"

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 9, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to revise and amend an act for the taxation of railroad and canal property,'" approved April tenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, which act was approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

Mr Alexander moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 10, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Assembly Bill No 10, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled

'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,' " approved Apri eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendmen

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 10, entitled "An act to amend an act entitle 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,' " approved Apri eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amendment offered by Mr Hendrickson, was read and adopted

In paragraph one, line nine, after "erty," insert one-third o the taxes raised from the taxation of property known as main sten railroad property shall be paid over by the respective taxing dis tricts to the State Treasurer for the benefit of the State school fun as and when collected"

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 10, entitled "An act to amend an act entitle 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,' " approved Apri eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 171, entitled "An act to provide for the for feiture and annulment of charters of corporations transacting busi ness in restraint of State or inter-State trade and commerce,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 298, entitled "A bill, giving to the electors an advisory vote in proposing legislation,"

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following committee amendment was read and adopted

Change title of act to read as follows "An act giving to the lectors an advisory vote in proposing legislation"

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 298, entitled "A bill, giving to the electors an dvisory vote in proposing legislation,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed), ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Lane,

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 332, entitled "A further supplement to an act ntitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" aproved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed), ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Morris,

Assembly Bill No 334, entitled "A supplement to the act entitled 'An act to authorize towns and townships to construct sewers, rains and sewerage disposal plant or plants, and to provide for he cost, maintenance and operation thereof,' the original act, beore amendment, constituted chapter seventy-seven of the session aws of one thousand nine hundred and five, and was entitled 'An ct to authorize towns and townships to construct sewers, drains nd sewerage disposal plant or plants and to provide for the cost hereof,'"

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following committee mendments were read and adopted

Section one, line one, strike out the word "mayors" and insert n place thereof the words "common council or other governing ody"

Section one, line one, after the word "thereof," strike out the vord "respectively"

Section one, line two, before the word "within," insert the word 'shall"

Section one, line two, after the word "act," strike out the word "shall"

Section two, line two, strike out the word "mayor" and insert in place thereof the words "common council or other governing body"

Section three, line one, after the word "be," insert the words "not less than"

Section three, line one, after the word "of," insert the word "three"

Strike out the whole of section five and insert in place thereof the following

5 The commissioner of buildings in each such city shall appoint a chief inspector of buildings, whose salary shall not be less than two thousand dollars, an assistant chief inspector of buildings whose salary shall not be less than fifteen hundred dollars, and six inspectors, whose salary shall not be less than twelve hundred dollars each, but the number of inspectors may be from time to time increased by the common council or other governing body of each such city, by ordinance, upon recommendation of the commissioner of buildings, but when authorized, such additional inspectors shall be appointed by the commissioner of buildings The common council or other governing body of the city shall fix the salaries of the commissioner of buildings, the chief inspector of buildings, assistant chief inspector of buildings, and inspectors from time to time by ordinance, but at not less than sums above named, respectively and until such ordinance is passed such officers shall receive the salaries now provided in the respective cities for similar officers The chief inspector of buildings, assistant chief inspector of buildings and inspectors may be removed by the commissioner of buildings at any time for cause, but only after written charges preferred against them and an opportunity to be heard upon a day to be fixed A copy of the charges shall be served at least five days before the day fixed for the hearing

Section nine, line five, after the word "council," insert the words "or other governing body"

Strike out the whole of section eleven and insert in place thereof the following

11 The commissioner of buildings shall, on or before the first ay of August in each year, estimate in detail the sum necessary or the payment of salaries and for the maintenance of his depart- ent, and shall transmit such estimate to the board or body having ontrol of the finances of such city, which board or body shall, in very annual tax levy, include a sum sufficient for the payment of ich salaries and the maintenance of such department

Add the following

12 All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby pealed, and this act shall take effect immediately

On motion of Mr Morris,

Assembly Bill No 334, entitled "A supplement to the act en tled 'An act to authorize towns and townships to construct sewers, rains and sewerage disposal plant or plants, and to provide for ie cost, maintenance and operation thereof,' the original act, be- ore amendment, constituted chapter seventy-seven of the session aws of one thousand nine hundred and five, and was entitled 'An ct to authorize towns and townships to construct sewers, drains nd sewerage disposal plant or plants and to provide for the cost ereof,'"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed , ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Pawelski,

Assembly Bill No 338, entitled "An act to amend an act en- tled 'An act to prevent the adulteration of food or drugs,'" ap- roved March twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty- ne (P L 1881, p 283),

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed , ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Breunig,

Assembly Bill No 346, entitled "An act to provide for a commis- oner of buildings in each of the cities of the first class in this tate, defining his duties and powers, and relating to the municipal ffairs of such cities placed under the management of such com- issioner,"

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amendment, offered by Mr Breunig, was read and adopted

On motion of Mr Breunig,

Assembly Bill No 346, entitled "An act to provide for a commissioner of buildings in each of the cities of the first class in this State, defining his duties and powers, and relating to the municipal affairs of such cities placed under the management of such commissioner,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 391, entitled "An act to permit the retirement on pension from public office or position of certain honorably discharged soldiers, sailors and marines, who served in the Union army, war of the rebellion,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

Second committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 395, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, management and support thereof,'" approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr VanBlarcom,

Assembly Bill No 399, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning townships (Revision of 1899),'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Was taken up, read a second time

On motion of Mr VanBlarcom,

Assembly Bill No 399, 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,

Be recommitted to committee for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

Mr Fake asked that by unanimous consent

Assembly Bill No 406, entitled "An act to annex to the borough f Wood Ridge, in the county of Bergen, a part or portion of the ownship of Lodi, in said county,"

Be withdrawn from the files of the House, which request was ranted

On motion of Mr VanBlarcom,

Assembly Bill No 426, entitled "A supplement to an act enti- ed 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'" pproved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety- ght,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed , ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Brady,

Assembly Bill No 449, entitled "An act to consolidate with and nex to the town of Montclair, in the county of Essex, the terri- ry embraced within the township of Verona, in the county of ssex, provided a majority of the votes cast in said town and in id township upon said annexation and consolidation shall be favor thereof, and to provide for the submission of the said estion to the voters of said town and said township,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed , ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Crowther,

Assembly Bill No 468, entitled "An act authorizing the convey- ce of certain lands, now in the ownership of the State of New rsey, to the city of Perth Amboy,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed , 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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 8th, 1907

Mr Speaker

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following resolution

Resolved (the House concurring), That Senate Bill No 154 be recalled from the Governor

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

H L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

On motion of Mr Devine,

Assembly Bill No 478, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of East Wood Ridge, in the county of Bergen,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Jess,

Assembly Bill No 495, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas (Revision of 1900),'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred, which act was amended by an act approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and two, and further amended by an act approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Perkins,

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 87, entitled "A supplement to an act concerning roads (Revision)," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 166, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating and brewed liquors," passed March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,'" approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 167, entitled "An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of speedways in 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

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 177, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting any execution,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amendments, offered by Mr Klenert, were read and adopted

Strike out the word "one," on fifth line, and insert the word "two"

On line five, add the word "yearly" after the word "dollars"

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 177, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting any execution,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 180, entitled "An act concerning the abolition of certain grade crossings in incorporated towns, and providing for the apportionment of the expense thereof,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Pawelski,

Assembly Bill No 352, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning superintendents of indoor relief in cities of this State,'" approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amendments, offered by Mr Pawelski, were read and adopted

Amend title after the word "relief" and insert "or overseers of the poor"

Line two, after the word "relief," insert "or overseers of the poor," and after word "relief" insert "or overseers of the poor"

Amend section two, line one, after the word "relief" insert "or overseers of the poor, salary to fixed by common council, board of aldermen or other governing body"

On motion of Mr Pawelski,

Assembly Bill No 352, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning superintendents of indoor relief in cities of this State,'" approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Crowther,

Assembly Bill No 358, entitled "An act relating to appropriations in certain municipalities and unexpended balances thereof,"

Was taken up, read a second time, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and have a third reading

Mr Morris moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 303, entitled "An act establishing the standard of measurement for the sale of milk, skimmed milk or cream and providing penalties for violations thereof,"

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Morris,

Assembly Bill, No 303, entitled "An act establishing the standard of measurement for the sale of milk, skimmed milk or cream and providing penalties for violations thereof,"

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amendment, offered by Mr Morris, was read and adopted

Insert the words "in quarts" after the word "naming," and before the word "the" in section two, line two, page one

On motion of Mr Morris,

Assembly Bill No 303, entitled "An act establishing the standard of measurement for the sale of milk, skimmed milk or cream and providing penalties for violations thereof,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Morris,

Assembly Bill No 303, entitled "An act establishing the standard of measurement for the sale of milk, skimmed milk or cream and providing penalties for violations 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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—51.

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

Mr Wright offered the following resolution, which was read and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Whereas, Charges of waste and extravagance in the expenditure of the appropriations for the various State departments, and for the State Capitol, have been freely made in the public prints, and

Whereas, The public interest requires that economy and integrity should govern in the disbursement of the public funds, therefore, be it

Resolved, That a committee of five members of this House be appointed by the Speaker to investigate the subject of State expenditures, that said committee shall have power to sit during the recess, to summon witnesses, to compel the production of books and papers, and shall be instructed to report to this House when it reconvenes on June 18th next

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Assembly Bill No 486, entitled "An act to amend an act passed March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, and entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act for the government and regulation of the State Prison,"'" passed April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Assembly Bill No 487, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish an excise department in cities of this State,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Assembly Bill No 491, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessments and water rates or water rents in cities of this State, and imposing and levying a tax, assessment and lien in lieu and instead of such arrearages, and to enforce the payment thereof and to provide for the sale of lands sub-

jected to further taxation and assessment,'" passed March thir-ıeth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

And

Senate Bill No. 269, entitled "An act to repeal 'An act entitled 'An act regulating the granting of licenses for the sale of spiritu-ous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors in municipalities in coun-ties of the fourth class in this State,"'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Favorably, without amendment

Also,

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No. 476, entitled "An act concerning the pay or salary of certain officers and other employes of paid fire depart-ments in cities of the first class in this State"

Mr. Breunig moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 316, 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 manage-ment thereof,'" approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr. Buck,

Assembly Bill No. 254, entitled "An act to grant to the people of counties, or of towns, townships, boroughs, villages, cities and other municipalities, or wards therein, the power by popular vote to allow or refuse to allow the sale of intoxicating liquors in coun-ties, or in towns, townships, boroughs, villages, cities and other municipalities or wards therein,"

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Buck, Cattell, Drake, Jess, Jones, Lillagore, Manson, Po ter, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor—11

In the negative were—

Messrs. Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Ba ber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Chaplı Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jı , Earl Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Ho combe, Holzapfel, Irick, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridg (Speaker), Lewis, Mead, Meiz, Morris, Moxon, Olwel Pawelski, Perkins, Riordan, Stille, Sullivan, Thompsor VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —45

Mr Klenert moved that the rules be suspended and that the vot by which

Senate Bill No 62, entitled "An act to amend 'A further supple ment to an act entitled "An act to regulate fees,"'" approve April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six, whic supplement was approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nin hundred and four,

Was passed be reconsidered, and be placed back on second read ing for the purpose of amendment,

On which motion the yeas and nays were called for with the fol lowing result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Bar ber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chap lin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr , Earle Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Holz apfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridg (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Meiz, Mor ris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom Wright, Jr —51

In the negative—None

Mr Alexander moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 358, entitled "An act relating to appropria tions in certain municipalities and unexpended balances thereof,"

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and be placed ack on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Assembly Bill No 358, entitled "An act relating to appropria- tions in certain municipalities and unexpended balances thereof,"

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amend- ment, offered by Mr Alexander, was read and adopted

Section two, line ten, strike out the words "or other fund which, n the opinion of said governing body, shall need such additional mount"

Assembly Bill No 358, entitled "An act relating to appropria- tions in certain municipalities and unexpended balances thereof,"

As amended,

Was later reconsidered, and the following amendment, offered y Mr Alexander, was inserted in lieu thereof on the previous mendment, which was read and adopted, as follows

Section two, line five, strike out the whole of section two after he word "year" in line five

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Assembly Bill No 358, entitled "An act relating to appropria- tions in certain municipalities and unexpended balances thereof,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed o, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Brennig,

Assembly Bill No 316, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public chools and to provide for the maintenance, support and manage- ment thereof,'" approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine undred and three,

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amer ments, offered by Mr Breunig, were read and adopted

Section one, line twelve, after the word "days," strike out t words "and hours"

Section one, line twelve, after the words "shall be," insert "for least five hours each day"

On motion of Mr Breunig,

Assembly Bill No 316, entitled "An act to amend an act entitl 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free pub schools and to provide for the maintenance, support and manag ment thereof,'" approved October nineteenth, one thousand ni hundred and three,

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agre to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

Mr Kleneit offered the following resolution, which was read a adopted

Resolved, That when the House adjourn, it be to meet to-morro morning at 10 30 o'clock

Mr Tumulty, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneo Business, reported

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 469, entitled "An act to regulate the practi of osteopathy in the State of New Jersey and to provide for a Sta Board of Osteopathic Examiners, and to license osteopathic ph sicians to practice in this State, and punish persons violating th provisions of this act,"

And

Assembly Bill No 502, entitled "A supplement to the act ent tled 'An act concerning evidence (Revision of 1900),'" approve March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Favorably, without amendment

The Clerk read the following announcement

There will be a hearing given to-morrow immediately after the orning session on all bills in possession of the Committee on Cor rations

On motion of Mr Klenert, the House then adjourned

TUESDAY, April 9th, 1907

House met at 10 30 A M

Prayer was offered by the Rev William H Lynch, of Lambert- lle, N J

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared nd answered to their names

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr , Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr , Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —56

Absent—

Messrs Hahn, Haines, Jones, Tillman—4

On motion of Mr Klenert, the reading of the Journal was dis- pensed with

Mr Daab, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, re- ported

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 332, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" ap- proved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 9, entitled "A further supplement to an ac entitled 'An act to revise and amend an act for the taxation o railroad and canal property,'" approved April tenth, one thou sand eight hundred and eighty-four, which act was approved Marc twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Assembly Bill No 457, entitled "A further supplement to th act entitled 'An act to establish public parks in certain counties in this State and to regulate the same,'" approved March fifth, on thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Assembly Bill No 459, entitled "An act to amend an act enti tled 'An act respecting sewers and sewer connections in cities o this State,'" approved March twenty-sixth, one thousand eigh hundred and ninety-six,

Assembly Bill No 460, entitled "An act amendatory of and supplementary to the act entitled 'An act relating to paving, flag ging, maintaining, repairing and otherwise improving sidewalks in municipalities in this State,' approved May fifteenth, one thou sand nine hundred and six, and to amend the title of such act,"

As correctly printed

Mr Riordan, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, re ported

Assembly Bill No 481, entitled "An act to establish a depart ment for the supervision and inspection of electrical and gas equip ment in cities of the first class in this State, to provide for the inspection of electrical and gas machines, meters and appliances, and for the appointment and duties of officers and inspectors therein, and for their compensation and terms of office,"

Assembly Bill No 494, entitled "An act concerning the aboli tion of grade crossings in cities of the second class,"

Senate Bill No 85, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Senate Bill No 182, entitled "An act extending the time for the completion of certain water works, pipes, mains and conduits,"

Senate Bill No 256, entitled "An act to secure to companies incorporated under 'An act concerning corporations (Revision of

375),' and the supplements and amendments thereto, owning and erating a public sewerage plant in any municipality in this State, e right to continue to maintain and operate the same,"

Senate Bill No 257, entitled "An act validating and confirming dinances heretofore granted by any municipality to any public werage corporation, vesting in such corporation the right to lay s pipes beneath the surface of the streets and highways of such unicipality, and validating the acts and proceedings of such corration thereunder,"

And

Senate Bill No 297, entitled "An act to authorize the Bushkill-elaware Bridge Company to build a bridge across the Delaware ver near the village of Flatbrookville, in the county of Sussex,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Lane asked that consent be granted to introduce a bill,

Which consent was granted

Mr Lane, on leave, introduced,

Assembly Bill No 506, entitled "An act to incorporate as a borugh by the name of the borough of Fairfield, a portion of the ownship of Caldwell, in the county of Essex, *provided,* a ajority of all votes cast by the qualified voters within said porion of the township of Caldwell, upon the question of such incorporation, shall be in favor thereof, and to provide for the subnission of said question to the qualified voters of said portion of ie township of Caldwell,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a econd reading, and referred to the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions

On motion of Mr Groel,

Assembly Bill No 271, entitled "A further supplement to an act ntitled 'An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of peedways in the counties of this State,'" approved March nineeenth, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed o, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 435, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessments and water rents or water rates in cities in this State, and imposing and levying a tax, assessment and lien in lieu and instead of such arrearages, and to enforce the payment thereof, and to provide for the sale of lands subjected to future taxation and assessment,'" passed March thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No 127, 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 of offices in such cities and providing for the maintenance of such board,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No 128, entitled "An act concerning the government of certain cities in this State and constituting a board of finance therein and defining the powers and duties of such boards and vesting in such boards certain powers of management and appointment,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No 129, entitled "An act concerning the government of certain cities in this State and constituting a municipal board of public work and other officers therein, and defining the powers and duties of such boards and relating to the municipal affairs and departments of such cities placed under the control and man-

agement of such board, and providing for the maintenance of said board,"

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following committee amendment was read and adopted

Amend section two, line seven, by striking out after the word "maintenance" in said line, all the remaining words, and also all of lines eight (8), nine (9), ten (10), eleven (11) and twelve (12), in said section, and insert in lieu thereof the following "of lamps, well, pumps, water works and of the water-supply of such city, and of the distribution, sale and use of water therein, and also shall have the charge, control and management of the public buildings of such city, and the grounds contiguous thereto, except school buildings and buildings used in connection with the fire department, the police department and the department of charities and correction, the board of health, and the library and park buildings"

On motion of Mr Morris,

Senate Bill No 129, entitled "An act concerning the government of certain cities in this State and constituting a municipal board of public work and other officers therein, and defining the powers and duties of such boards and relating to the municipal affairs and departments of such cities placed under the control and management of such board, and providing for the maintenance of said board,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Senate Bill No 74, entitled "An act to encourage the celebration of flag day in the public schools 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

On motion of Mr Taylor,

Senate Bill No 136, entitled "An act to extend the territorial boundaries of the borough of Seaside Park, in the county of Ocean,

by the annexation of a portion of the township of Berkeley, in said county,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Taylor,

Senate Bill No 137, entitled "An act to extend the territorial boundaries of the borough of Seaside Park, in the county of Ocean, by the annexation of a portion of the territory of the State of New Jersey,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Lewis,

Senate Bill No 173, entitled "An act to provide additional accommodations for 'The Manual Training and Industrial School for Colored Youth,' located at Bordentown, in the county of Burlington,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Lewis,

Senate Bill No 174, 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, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Chaplin,

Senate Bill No 180, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the prevention of cruelty to animals,'" approved March eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty,

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following Assembly committee amendment was read and adopted:

Assembly committee amendment to Senate Bill No 180

Amend section one so as to read as follows

1 All actions to recover a penalty arising under the act entitled "An act for the prevention of cruelty to animals," approved March eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, and the various supplements thereto, be and they are hereby made cognizable only before District Courts or police magistrates, where the offense is committed within the jurisdiction of District Courts or police magistrates If the offense charged is not committed within the jurisdiction of District Courts or police magistrates, then in such case said actions are made cognizable before other magistrates,

On motion of Mr Chaplin,

Senate Bill No 180, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the prevention of cruelty to animals,'" approved March eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty,

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Smalley,

Senate Bill No 262, 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, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

Mr Klenert moved that

Senate Bill No 62, entitled "An act to amend 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate fees,"'" approved April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six, which supplement was approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

Be recommitted to committee for purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

Mr Tumulty moved that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 167, entitled "An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of speedways in counties of this State,"

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered,

Which motion was carried,

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 62, entitled "An act to amend 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate fees,"' " approved April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six, which supplement was approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and four

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Senate Bill No 166, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),' "

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amendment, offered by Mr Tumulty, was read and adopted

In line four, section one, after word "year," insert "but not less than four months consecutively"

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Senate Bill No 166, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),' "

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 Mead moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 398, entitled "An act to regulate the salaries of policemen in cities of the first class,"

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Perkins,

Assembly Bill No 433, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Kenilworth, in the county of Union,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Buck, Buxton, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fith, Hendrickson, Jr, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom—37

In the negative were—

Messis Cattell, Gibbs—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

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 443, entitled "An act to provide for the attendance of a part of the National Guard of New Jersey at the unveiling of a monument to the soldiers of the revolution, at Orange, in the county of Essex,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Merz, Morris, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 350, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to incorporate trustees of religious societies,'" approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab Elvins, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Irick, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Pawelski, Potter, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Brady,

Assembly Bill No 450, entitled "An act concerning the appointment and term of police justices or police magistrates in certain cities of this State,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Holcombe, Irick, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 458, entitled "An act providing for the appointment of private secretaries by the mayors of second-class cities,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Cornish, Crowther, Daab, Drake, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Metz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Ridgway, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—33

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Davison, Earle, Elvins, Fake, Gibbs, Jess, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson—21

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Groel,

Assembly Bill No 113, 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, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Cornish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson,

Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson—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

On motion of Mr Merz,

Assembly Bill No 115, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the formation of railroad corporations and regulate the same,'"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Daab, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Firth, Gibbs, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Taylor—35

In the negative were—

Messrs Hendrickson, Jr, Sullivan—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

On motion of Mr Baker,

Assembly Bill No 424, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the fire departments in cities of the first class,'" approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Buxton, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Manson, Mead, Morris, Pawelski, Riordan, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—31

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Davison, Drake, Gibbs, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lewis, Meiz, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Thompson, VanBlarcom—19

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 11, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),'" approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Was taken up, 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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—35

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Chaplin, Drake, Gibbs, Irick, Lewis, Moxon, Ridgway, Smalley—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

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 172, 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, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Chaplin, Crowther, Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarom—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

On motion of Mr Fake,

Assembly Bill No 206, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Frith, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Perkins, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—39

In the negative were—

Messrs Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Elvins, Gibbs, Irick, Lewis, Potter—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 Potter asked that by unanimous consent

Assembly Bill No 207, entitled "An act to authorize the unveiling of a monument, now in course of erection at Monocacy, Maryland, to commemorate the services of the Fourteenth Regiment, New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, in the battle of Monocacy and thirty other engagements of the Civil War, and to appropriate money to pay the expense of the proper unveiling of said monument,"

Be withdrawn from the files of the House, which request was granted

On motion of Mr Elvins,

Assembly Bill No 385, entitled "An act to authorize the erection of a tablet or monument on the battle ground of Chestnut Neck, in the State of New Jersey, and to provide money to pay the cost of the erection and dedication of the same,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Daab, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Morris, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—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

Mr Thompson offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon W Wilbur, of Mercer county, a former member of this House

Mr Morris, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No 148, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' " which supplement was approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Senate Bill No 57, entitled "An act to enable cities in this State to build subways or conduits for electric wires,"

Senate Bill No 90, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the formation of governments of villages,' " approved February twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one,

And

Senate Bill No 232, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for drainage and sewerage in the cities of this State,' " approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Holcombe asked that consent be granted to introduce a bill

Which consent was granted

Mr Holcombe, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 507, entitled "An act relative to the publication of the laws of this State in the newspapers,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Mr Groel, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Assembly Bill No 501, 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 440, entitled "An act providing for the establishment of evening schools for foreign residents in the State of New Jersey,"

And

Senate Bill No 75, entitled "An act concerning free public libraries in certain cities of this State,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Tumulty, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, reported

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 167, entitled "An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of speedways in counties of this State"

Mr Daab, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No 177, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting any execution,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No 352, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning superintendents of indoor relief in cities of this State,'" approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Assembly Bill No 358, entitled "An act relating to appropriations in certain municipalities and unexpended balances thereof,"

Assembly Bill No 391, entitled "An act to permit the retirement on pension from public office or position of certain honorably discharged soldiers, sailors and marines, who served in the Union army, war of the rebellion,"

Assembly Bill No 449, entitled "An act to consolidate with and annex to the town of Montclair, in the county of Essex, the territory embraced within the township of Verona, in the county of Essex, provided a majority of the votes cast in said town and in said township upon said annexation and consolidation shall be

in favor thereof, and to provide for the submission of the said question to the voters of said town and said township,"

Assembly Bill No 468, entitled "An act authorizing the conveyance of certain lands, now in the ownership of the State of New Jersey, to the city of Perth Amboy,"

Assembly Bill No 495, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas (Revision of 1900),'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred, which act was amended by an act approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and two, and further amended by an act approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 180, entitled "An act concerning the abolition of certain grade crossings in incorporated towns, and providing for the apportionment of the expense thereof,"

And

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 395, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, management and support thereof,'" approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

As correctly printed

Mr Auf der Heide, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships, reported

Assembly Bill No 498, entitled "An act authorizing the division of townships into water districts for the purpose of supplying water within such districts for fire purposes, and the election of water commissioners in said district,"

And

Assembly Bill No 505, entitled "An act to consolidate with and annex to the city of Newark, in the county of Essex, a part of the territory now embraced within the township of Belleville, in the county of Essex, *provided,* a majority of the votes cast in said

ownship upon the question of such annexation and consolidation shall be in favor thereof, and the mayor and common council of said city shall consent thereto,"

Favorably, without amendment

On motion of Mr Potter,

Assembly Bill No 344, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the erection of a monument on the battlefield of Monocacy, in the State of Maryland, to commemorate the services of the Fourteenth Regiment, New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, in the battle of Monocacy and thirty other engagements of the Civil War, and to appropriate money to pay the expense of erecting the same,' " approved April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Buck, Buxton, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Irick, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—39

In the negative was—

Mr Sullivan—1

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 8th, 1907.

Mr Speaker

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following concurrent resolution

Resolved (the House of Assembly concurring), That the Governor be requested to return to the Senate Senate Bill No 164,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

HOWARD L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

The Senate message was then taken up and concurred in by the House

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 332, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,'

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Drake, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Frith, Gibbs, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 148, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,'" which supplement was approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 218, entitled "An act to amend 'An act to provide for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following committee amendment was read and adopted

Line nine, after the word "act," insert "and the fees and expenses incurred by the purchaser in ascertaining the owner or owners, mortgagee or mortgagees, occupant or other person having an interest in the land sold for taxes"

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 218, entitled "An act to amend 'An act to provide for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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 Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Assembly Bill No 415, entitled "An act extending the jurisdiction of the Circuit Courts of the State of New Jersey,"

Favorably, without amendment

Also,

Assembly Bill No 218, entitled "An act to amend 'An act to provide for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

With committee amendment

Also,

Senate Bill No 298, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide for the permanent improvement of public roads in this State (Revision of 1905),"' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and five," which supplement was approved May second, one thousand nine hundred and six,

And

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 23, entitled "An act to establish a Civil Service Commission and to regulate the appointment of certain public officers in the State of New Jersey and in the cities and counties thereof"

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 476, entitled "An act concerning the pay or salary of certain officers and other employes of paid fire departments in cities of the first class in this State,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to reprinted, and to have a third reading.

A message was received from the Governor, by the hands of his Secretary, as follows

I herewith transmit to you the report of the New Jersey Inter-State Bridge Commission, appointed by me under and pursuant to Joint Resolution No 3, session of 1906

Very respectfully,

E C STOKES

To the Honorable the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey

The commissioners appointed by the Governor under and pursuant to Joint Resolution No 3, session of 1906 (P L, 1906, p 707), do respectfully report

That a copy of said joint resolution is hereunto appended and marked "Exhibit A," that the commission met and organized on the fourteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and six, by the election of George T Werts as chairman and Henry W Runyon as secretary and clerk.

That a similar commission, consisting of three persons, to act and confer with this commission, was duly appointed by the Governor of the State of New York, under and pursuant to chapter 260, laws of 1906, of that State, said commission being composed of McDougall Hawkes, Emanuel W Bloomingdale and Alexander W Shamberg, and duly organized May thirty-first, one

thousand nine hundred and six, by the election of Mr Hawkes as chairman and Mr Shamberg as secretary

That on June fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six, the commissioners appointed on behalf of the States of New York and New Jersey, met in joint session in the city of New York Mr Hawkes and Mr Shamberg were respectively elected chairman and secretary of the joint commission Subsequent joint meetings were held as occasion required, and hearings were granted to commercial and civic organizations and individuals interested in the objects of the commission

The investigations of the joint commission were directed to a preliminary study of the plans, rights and work accomplished by two companies to which the Congress of the United States has granted charters to bridge the Hudson river at the city of New York These companies are known as "The New York and New Jersey Bridge Company" and the "North River Bridge Company" The plans of the first company call for a bridge over the Hudson river at or about Fifty-ninth street, and for the second a bridge at or about Twenty-third street in New York City

The New York and New Jersey Bridge Company received a charter from the State of New Jersey by an act approved April seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight (chapter 520 of the laws of New Jersey, amended March 22d, 1895, chap. 265) The State of New York granted a charter to the New York and New Jersey Bridge Company under date of April thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety (chapter 223, laws of New York, 1890)

The Congress of the United States authorized the New York and New Jersey Bridge Company to construct and maintain a bridge across the Hudson river between New York City and the State of New Jersey on June seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four (28 U S Stat at Large, p 89)

Your commission is advised that the New York and New Jersey Bridge Company has complied with the terms of the act of congress referred to with the exception, possibly, of the time limit prescribed in said act, but their claim is that their said congressional charter is still existing with all the rights thereby conferred unimpared

The bridge of the New York and New Jersey Bridge Company is proposed to be located at Fifty-ninth street, in the city of New York, to a point opposite in Hudson county, New Jersey It is a suspension bridge, approximately about 3,100 feet between pier-head lines and not less than 150 feet high at the center above high water of spring tides Connections with this bridge on the New Jersey shore were contemplated to be made on the Hackensack flats, a cut under the Bergen boulevard being provided for that purpose The plans of this bridge also contemplate the building of a union terminal station at Broadway and Forty-ninth street, in the city of New York, with proper approaches thereto

It appears to your commission that generally all the conditions and requirements of all legislative acts referring to the New York and New Jersey Bridge Company have been complied with unless it be in the matter of time limit above referred to, which is claimed to be immaterial The commission is further advised that a considerable amount of land was purchased for the construction of the New York and New Jersey bridge and its approaches and ground was formally broken in December, 1891, and construction commenced

The North River Bridge Company received its charter from the United States Congress by act approved July 11th, 1890, and it is contended that under the terms of that act no legislation is necessary from either of the States of New York and New Jersey for the construction of a bridge across the Hudson river The plans for this last-mentioned bridge and its location, as approved by the Secretary of War in accordance with the act of Congress, called for a bridge across the Hudson river with its terminal at Twenty-third street, in New York City, and its anchorage on the New Jersey side at the foot of Twelfth street, Hoboken This bridge was also to be of the suspension type approximately with a span of 3,100 feet between pier-head lines

The cost of either of these bridges was estimated to be anywhere in the neighborhood of $80,000,000, including the approaches and right of way The rise in the price of lands and the increased cost of labor would probably increase the estimated cost of these bridges considerably beyond the original estimates

These two bridges were primarily intended for railroad trans-

portation, although each provided also for trolley, vehicular and pedestrian traffic

Upwards of seventeen years have now elapsed since the Congress of the United States granted its first charter for the construction of a bridge across the Hudson river, yet little has been accomplished toward actual construction of either bridge except as above stated

It is, apparently, the best judgment of transportation experts that the six tubes or tunnels now projected under the Hudson river will furnish only temporary relief, and that solely in the way of passenger transportation

It is assumed that the tunnels will, undoubtedly, largely increase the population of the State of New Jersey, which will make a bridge or bridges over the Hudson river more imperatively needed

At present the New Jersey railroads bring passengers to the North river on about thirty tracks, and new tracks are being constantly added

Tunnels afford no relief for freight or vehicular traffic and will accomplish nothing towards decreasing the congested water traffic on the Hudson river

The passenger traffic across the Hudson river is constantly growing, and the dangers in crossing the river on account of the congested water traffic, fogs, ice, &c, are a menace to life and of great loss in time The figures of passenger traffic across the Brooklyn bridge are interesting in this connection In 1884, one year after the opening of that bridge, the passenger traffic thereupon was 8,528,840 In 1895 this increased to 44,564,329 Conservative estimates place this traffic at the present time to be not less than 80,000,000 per year The construction of the Williamsburgh bridge has afforded no apparent relief, and the third bridge now projected across the East river will probably be taxed beyond its capacity

The two bridge companies for the construction of bridges over the North river compiled careful and correct data referring to the time their projects were first placed before the public The number of ferry passengers over the North river in 1886 was 58,894,-

300 In 1890 it had increased to 72,259,400, and in 1896 it was 94,547,000 It is safe to say that the number of ferry passengers crossing the North river to-day is at least 125,000,000 annually

Over 1,000 trains a day enter and depart from the railroad terminals in Jersey City and Hoboken, and more than half of this traffic is purely local between New Jersey and New York City. With the exception of the roads entering the New York Central station, all the great trunk lines of the United States now have their terminals, or terminal connections, on the New Jersey shore opposite to the city of New York

A large part of northern New Jersey, including all or a portion of Middlesex, Union, Essex, Hudson, Passaic and Bergen counties, are properly comprised within the metropolitan district, that is, within a radius of nineteen miles from the City Hall, Manhattan This area contained a population in 1900 of 4,612,153, of 5,404,638 in 1905, and it is estimated that at the present rate of growth the population in 1920 will exceed 8,000,000 To what extent this growth of the metropolitan district of New York will be absorbed by the State of New Jersey will depend in a large measure upon the intelligent consideration which the people of New Jersey give to the all-important question of meeting the opportunities open to them

Your commission believes that nothing will contribute more to the commercial and residential development of New Jersey than the approval and adoption of some plan for bridging the Hudson river at New York City The question is not a local one, but affects directly or indirectly every inhabitant of our State. The commercial, farm and dairy products of New Jersey which ultimately reach New York City have assumed enormous proportions and are constantly increasing The increased facility and safety and the reduction in cost of transportation resulting from a bridge over the Hudson river are so apparent as to need no discussing

Your commission is required to report to the present Legislature and present such form of proposed legislation that may be necessary and desirable for the purpose (*a*) of securing the necessary lands and water rights for one or more bridges over the Hudson river to the city of New York at the joint expense of the two States, and (*b*) securing the necessary federal consent

With the limited funds placed at the disposal of your commission ($500), of which a considerable part thereof has been expended, it has not been possible to obtain the technical data involved in the question of securing the necessary lands and water rights and the character and location of the proposed bridge, or to suggest at this time the necessary specific legislation

Your commission is of opinion, however, that a bridge across the Hudson river, at the city of New York, could be built within the territory included in that city between, say Fourteenth and Seventy-second streets, and that said bridge would cost not less than $25,000,000, exclusive of approaches and right of way, which we are not at this time prepared to submit estimates upon

In view of the action of Congress on granting charters to two private corporations to bridge the Hudson river, your commission feel justified in saying that there would be no difficulty in securing the consent of Congress for the building of additional bridge or bridges over the Hudson river at the joint expense of the States of New Jersey and New York should such request therefor be made by the proper State authorities, but it must be borne in mind that legal and constitutional objections would arise in the making of such request by the State of New Jersey

Application has been made to the Joint Inter-State Bridge Commission to recommend a bridge from State Island across the Kill von Kull to Bergen Point and from Holland Hook to Elizabethport across the Arthur Kills, but the commissioners on behalf of New Jersey have felt that the clear intent of the joint resolution under which they are acting was to consider only the question of bridging the Hudson river to the borough of Manhattan Moreover, your commission is strongly of the opinion that it is very debatable whether additional bridges should be permitted over the approaches to Newark bay that may become obstructive to navigation

The time and the appropriation at the command of the commission have been too limited to enable us to make a complete and detailed investigation of the cost and extent of this work, and for that purpose we recommend that the time of the commission to finally report be extended until the next legislative session, and that the sum of five thousand dollars ($5,000) be appropriated in

this year's appropriation bill for the use of the commission to enable it to at once proceed to engage experts and incur such other expense as may be deemed necessary to fully and satisfactorily complete the work required of it as a preliminary to the practical inception of this great and necessary undertaking

A substantially similar request has been made by the New York commissioners to the Legislature of that State, which request, your commission is informed, will be granted

All of which is respectfully submitted

(Signed) GEO T WERTS,
V L MASON,
JAMES MINTURN,
Commissioners

[EXHIBIT A]

JOINT RESOLUTION NO 3

WHEREAS, The necessities of interstate commerce and the convenience and safety of the people residing in the neighborhood of the Hudson river demand a more modern, rapid and economical system of transit to the city of New York than by the slow, antiquated and dangerous system of ferry boats, therefore,

Resolved by the Senate of the State of New Jersey (the House of Assembly concurring)

1 That the Governor appoint a commission of three to confer with the Governor of the State of New York and with the Legislature of the State of New York, during its present session, for the purpose of securing the passage of an act by the Legislature of that State to provide for the appointment of a joint commission, under proper legislation in both States, for the purpose of purchasing the necessary land and water rights, and of securing the necessary federal consent to the construction of one or more bridges over the Hudson river to the city of New York at the joint expense of the two States

2 That said commission shall report to the next session of the

Legislature, and shall present such form of proposed legislation as may be desirable and necessary for the purpose

3 The commissioners shall receive the sum of one hundred dollars each for their disbursements and expenses, for clerk hire, which latter expense shall not exceed one hundred dollars And the sum of five hundred dollars is hereby appropriated for the purpose, to be paid out by the State Treasurer upon warrant of the State Comptroller, upon itemized vouchers, certified to by the chairman of said commission, approved by the Governor

Approved March 27th, 1906

The Governor's message was then taken up and read in full by the Clerk of the House

On motion of Mr Klenert, the House then took a recess until 2 o'clock P M

AFTERNOON SESSION

The House reconvened at 2 o'clock P M

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—57

Absent—

Messrs Haines, Olwell, Tillman—3

On motion of Mr Crowther,

Senate Bill No 92, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to amend 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, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Fake, Gibbs, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Moxon, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Merz,

Assembly Bill No 441, entitled "An act respecting theatre and show licenses in municipalities of this State,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Blohm, Brady, Buxton, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Fake, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—31

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Hendrickson, Jr, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Olwell, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson—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

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No 127, 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 of offices in such cities and providing for the maintenance of such board,"

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 Alexander, Blohm, Brady, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Fake, Firth, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom —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

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No 128, entitled "An act concerning the government of certain cities in this State and constituting a board of finance therein and defining the powers and duties of such boards and vesting in such boards certain powers of management and appointment,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Daab, Drake, Earle, Elvins,

Fake, Firth, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holz apfel, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Pawelski, Perkins Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Taylor, Tumulty VanBlaicom, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No 129, entitled "An act concerning the government of certain cities in this State and constituting a municipal board of public work and other officers therein, and defining the powers and duties of such boards and relating to the municipal affairs and departments of such cities placed under the control and management of such board, and providing for the maintenance of said board,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Barber, Blohm Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Daab, Davison Earle, Elvins, Fake, Firth, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr Holcombe, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Pawelski, Potter Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty VanBlaicom—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

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Senate Bill No 140, entitled "An act for extending the time for completing certain railroads,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor—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

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 242, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act for the preservation of sheep (Revision)," approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,'" which further supplement was approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Barber, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Daab, Elvins, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Jess, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—31

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Blohm, Buxton, Chaplin, Ilick, Perkins—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

On motion of Mr Manson,

Senate Bill No 80, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Rumson, in the county of Monmouth,"

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Barber, Brady, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Holcombe, Jess, Lane, Lillagore, Manson, Morris, Moxon, Perkins, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom—34

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Blohm, Davison, Hendrickson, Jr, Irick, Klenert, Lewis, Potter, Sullivan, Tumulty, Wright, Jr — 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

On motion of Mr Thompson,

Senate Bill No 219, entitled "An act providing for the establishment of evening schools for foreign-born residents in the State of New Jersey,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Perkins, Potter, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Lewis,

Senate Bill No 21, 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,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Barber. Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Irick, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Potter, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, VanBlarcom —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

On motion of Mr Groel,

Assembly Bill No 272, entitled "An act to further amend section one of chapter one hundred and twenty-five of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, entitled 'An act to authorize towns to renew matured bonds,'" approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, as the same was amended by chapter two of the laws of one thousand nine hundred,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buxton, Crowther, Daab, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Holcombe, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Perkins, Potter, Riordan, Smalley, Stille Taylor, VanBlarcom—33

In the negative were—

Messrs Firth, Sullivan—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.

On motion of Mr Devine,

Assembly Bill No 324, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to facilitate the acquirement of land and the erection of buildings for county purposes,'" approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and one,

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 Auf der Heide, Backus, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buik, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Hahn, Jones, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Stille, Taylor—32

In the negative was—

Mr Hendrickson, Jr—1

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Moxon,

Assembly Bill No 355, entitled "An act to authorize the city council or other governing body of any city in this State bordering on an arm of the sea or other navigable stream, or through which a navigable stream shall run, to purchase or condemn lands thereon, or to use and devote such lands already acquired on such arm of the sea or other navigable stream for the purpose of erecting, constructing and maintaining one or more public docks, wharves or piers, to be used in whole or in part for recreation purposes, to issue bonds for the purpose of securing money to pay for the lands purchased and for the construction of said docks, wharves or piers,"

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. Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Daab, Davison, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr., Holcombe, Irick, Jones, Klenert, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr. Moxon,

Assembly Bill No. 363, entitled "An act to authorize cities of this State through which any river, stream or creek runs, and into which the sewage of any city empties, to build and construct intercepting sewers, to receive all such sewage to be disposed of in such manner as shall be deemed proper, and to provide for the alteration of a general system of sewerage and drainage in cities, and to cleanse and otherwise improve such rivers, streams or creeks and to issue bonds to meet the expense of such work,"

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. Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Drake, Elvins, Eppinger, Fiith, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr., Holcombe, Jones, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—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.

On motion of Mr Moxon,

Assembly Bill No 364, entitled "An act to enable cities to widen, deepen, and improve the streams, creeks or rivers which are the outlets of the natural drainage of storm or surface water therein, and to erect retaining walls on the banks of the same, and to condemn lands along such streams, creeks or rivers necessary to carry into effect the provisions of this act, and to issue bonds for the cost of such improvement,"

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 Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Irick, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Merz, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—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 Mead moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 398, entitled "An act to regulate the salaries of policemen in cities of the first class,"

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Mead,

Assembly Bill No 398, entitled "An act to regulate the salaries of policemen in cities of the first class,"

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amendment, offered by Mr Mead, was read and adopted

Add to section two the following *Provided, however,* that none of the foregoing provisions shall take effect in any city until the acceptance or rejection of this act shall have been submitted to a popular vote, in the manner provided by the general laws of this State for the submission of a question or proposition to the people of the State or any political division thereof, such submission shall be made and the vote thereon taken at the next general election held in such city, and it shall be the duty of the city clerk of the city wherein such election is held, at least ten days before any such election, to give public notice thereof by publication in two or more newspapers published and circulating in such city, that such submission will be made at the ensuing election, stating briefly the question to be submitted as herein provided, and there shall be printed upon each official ballot to be used at such election, beneath the list of candidates thereon, the following words "Act of one thousand nine hundred and six, increasing the compensation of policemen," with the word "for" and the word "against" above and immediately preceding such proposition And the legal voters of such city shall at such election so decide upon the acceptance or rejection of this act by the use of such ballots If the said word "for" be marked off or defaced upon the ballot it shall be counted as a vote against the same, if the word "against" be marked off or defaced upon the ballot it shall be counted as a vote in favor thereof, and in case neither the word "for" nor the word "against" be marked off or defaced upon the ballot it shall not be counted as a vote either for or against such proposition

3 The acceptance or rejection of this act shall be determined by the result of such election, and if it shall be found on a canvass of all the votes cast, to be made as herein provided, that a majority of ballots have been cast in favor of this act, then this act, but not otherwise, shall take effect immediately in such city, the return of the election officers and the certificate of the result of the vote cast in every election district or voting precinct in such city for or against the acceptance of this act, shall be filed forthwith after the close of the election by the election officers conducting the same, with the clerk of the city wherein such election is held, and it shall

be the duty of the said clerk to tabulate the said returns and canvass the votes so cast in all the election districts of said city, and certify upon such tabulated statement the number of votes cast for the aceptance of this act and the number of votes cast against the acceptance of this act, and he shall file such tabulated statement with his certificate thereon in his office

On motion of Mr Mead,

Assembly Bill No 398, entitled "An act to regulate the salaries of policemen in cities of the first class,"

As amended,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Buxton, Chaplin, Corish, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Irick, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Metz, Morris, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom—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 Brady moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 233, 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 advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and

Assembly Bill No 233, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning District Courts (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Brady,

Assembly Bill No 233, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning District Courts (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety eight,

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amendment, offered by Mr Brady, was read and adopted

In section three, line three, strike out the word "one" and insert the word "three"

On motion of Mr Brady,

Assembly Bill No 233, 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, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Brady, Chaplin, Crowther, Drake, Elvins, Firth, Hahn, Mead, Morris, Smalley—10

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Daab, Davison, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr, Jones, Kleneit, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Merz, Perkins, Potter, Riordan, Sullivan, VanBlarcom—29

The Speaker declared the bill lost

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 9th, 1907

Mr Speaker

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following resolution

Resolved (the House of Assembly concurring), That Senate Bill No 165 be recalled from the Governor for further consideration,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

HOWARD L TYLER,

Secretary of the Senate

The Senate message was taken up and concurred in by the House

Mr Lane, Chairman of the Committee on Banks and Insurance, reported

Senate Bill No 211, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of State directors of stock life insurance companies,"

With committee amendment

Mr Lane, Chairman of the Committee on Banks and Insurance, reported

Senate Bill No 212, entitled "An act to limit the capital stock, dividends and distribution of assets of stock life insurance companies,"

Senate Bill No 213, entitled "An act to require an annual accounting apportionment of surplus of life insurance companies,"

Senate Bill No 214, 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 215, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies, and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,'" approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,

And

Senate Bill No 216, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to life insurance companies doing business in the State of New Jersey and to the representatives of such companies,'" approved March nineteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Riordan, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No 239, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to create the office of Commissioner of Charities and Corrections and to define his powers and duties,'" approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Holcombe, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads and Canals, reported

Assembly Bill No 497, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Favorably, without amendment,

And

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 36, entitled "An act respecting railroads"

Mr Alexander, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Senate Bill No 149, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to enable boards of chosen freeholders to acquire, improve and maintain public roads,'" approved March nineteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Daab, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No 171, entitled "An act to provide for the forfeiture and annulment of charters of corporations transacting business in restraint of State or inter-State trade and commerce,"

Assembly Bill No 426, 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 428, entitled "An act to amend an act enti-

tled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1896)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' " which supplemental act was approved May sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

As correctly printed

Mr Klenert moved the House be placed under call,

Which motion was carried

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—58

Absent—

Messrs Haines, Tillman—2

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Assembly Bill No 442, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning paid fire departments in certain municipalities of this State, and for the relief of members thereof, their widows, dependent parents and children,' " approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Backus, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Cattell, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Firth, Gibbs, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Ridgway, Riordan, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Perkins,

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 192, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employes and operatives 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,' "

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. Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Buxton, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Fake, Firth, Hendrickson, Jr, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lillagore, Mead, Morris, Moxon, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, VanBlarcom—39

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Burk, Davison, Gibbs, Groel, Lewis, Sullivan—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

On motion of Mr Chaplin,

Senate Bill No 217, 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, 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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Breunig, Buck, Buik, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Stille,

Senate Bill No 100, entitled "An act to incorporate Sea Island City, in the county of Cape May, as a city and fixing the boundaries 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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Buik, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr; Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Stille,

Senate Bill No 104, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Cape May Point, in the county of Cape May,"

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Morris, Moxon, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Morris,

Senate Bill No 150, entitled "An act to authorize the erection of a monument on the battlefield of Salem Church, in the State of Virginia, and a tablet on the battlefield of Spottsylvania, in the State of Virginia, to commemorate the services of the Fifteenth Regiment, New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, in the battles of Salem Church and Spottsylvania and other engagements of the Civil War, and to appropriate money to pay for the erection and dedication of the same,"

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 Auf der Heide, Backus, Barber, Buck, Bulk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Morris, Moxon, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—42

In the negative was—

Mr Sullivan—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

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 457, entitled "A further supplement to the 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, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Drake, Earle, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Metz, Morris, Pawelski, Potter, Riordan, Smalley, Taylor, VanBlaricom—37

In the negative were—

Messrs Davison, Gibbs—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

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 459, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting sewers and sewer connections in cities of this State,'" approved March twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lewis, Lillagore,

Manson, Mead, Merz, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr — 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

On motion of Mr Lane

Assembly Bill No 460, entitled "An act amendatory of and supplementary to the act entitled 'An act relating to paving, flagging, maintaining, repairing and otherwise improving sidewalks in municipalities in this State,' approved May fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six, and to amend the title of such act,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Drake, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, VanBlarcom—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.

On motion of Mr Jess,

Senate Bill No 37, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide for a digest of the law and chancery reports of this State,'" approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and two,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Senate Bill No 79, entitled "An act to regulate theatrical bill-posting in municipalities of this State,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor—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

On motion of Mr Jess,

Assembly Bill No 495, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas (Revision of 1900),'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred, which act was amended by an act approved March thirty-

first, one thousand nine hundred and two, and further amended by an act approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Olwell,

Assembly Bill No 452, entitled "An act to amend 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—48

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Senate Bill No 79, entitled "An act to regulate theatrical bill-posting in municipalities of this State,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor—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.

On motion of Mr Jess,

Assembly Bill No 495, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas (Revision of 1900),'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred, which act was amended by an act approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and two, and further amended by an act approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom—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.

On motion of Mr. Olwell,

Assembly Bill No 452, entitled "An act to amend 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—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.

The Clerk read the following announcement

Mr Riordan, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, announces that a meeting of said committee will be held to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock.

On motion of Mr Burk,

Assembly Bill No. 86, entitled "An act to permit the retirement on pension from public office or position, after twenty years' service therein, of officers and employes in all State penal institutions and reformatories,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Earle, Fake, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Lane, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor, VanBlarcom—32.

In the negative was—

Mr Sullivan—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 253, entitled "An act to provide for the compensation of attorneys and counselors-at-law and to provide a lien for such compensation and the method of fixing and enforcing the same,"

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Breunig, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Morris, Olwell, Perkins, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—36

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Chaplin, Devine, Jr, Drake, Gibbs, Potter, Ridgway, Thompson—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.

Mr Daab, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No 148, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' " which supplement was approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Assembly Bill No 218, entitled "An act to amend 'An act to provide for the assessment and collection of taxes,' " approved April eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 271, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of speedways in the counties of this State,' " approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Assembly Bill No 435, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessments and water rents or water rates in cities in this State, and imposing and levying a tax, assessment and lien in lieu and instead of such arrearages, and to enforce the payment thereof, and to provide for the sale of lands subjected to future taxation and assessment,' " passed March thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

Assembly Bill No 476, entitled "An act concerning the pay or

carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

The Clerk read the following announcement.

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On motion of Mr Burk,

Assembly Bill No 86, entitled "An act to permit the retirement on pension from public office or position, after twenty years' service therein, of officers and employes in all State penal institutions and reformatories,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Earle, Fake, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Lane, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor, VanBlarcom—32.

In the negative was—

Mr Sullivan—1

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 253, entitled "An act to provide for the compensation of attorneys and counselors-at-law and to provide a lien for such compensation and the method of fixing and enforcing the same,"

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Breunig, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Morris, Olwell, Perkins, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—36

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Chaplin, Devine, Jr, Drake, Gibbs, Potter, Ridgway, Thompson—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.

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In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Tillman, Tumulty, Van-Blaricom—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

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Senate Bill No. 79, entitled "An act to regulate theatrical bill-posting in municipalities of this State,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor—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

On motion of Mr Jess,

Assembly Bill No 495, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas (Revision of 1900),'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred, which act was amended by an act approved March thirty-

first, one thousand nine hundred and two, and further amended by an act approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barbeı, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Olwell,

Assembly Bill No 452, entitled "An act to amend 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—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

The Clerk read the following announcement

Mr Riordan, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, announces that a meeting of said committee will be held to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock

On motion of Mr Burk,

Assembly Bill No 86, entitled "An act to permit the retirement on pension from public office or position, after twenty years' service therein, of officers and employes in all State penal institutions and reformatories,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Earle, Fake, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Lane, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor, VanBlarcom—32

In the negative was—

Mr Sullivan—1

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 253, entitled "An act to provide for the compensation of attorneys and counselors-at-law and to provide a lien for such compensation and the method of fixing and enforcing the same,"

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Breunig, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr., Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Morris, Olwell, Perkins, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr.—36

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Chaplin, Devine, Jr., Drake, Gibbs, Potter, Ridgway, Thompson—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

Mr. Daab, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 148, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,'" which supplement was approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Assembly Bill No. 218, entitled "An act to amend 'An act to provide for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No. 271, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of speedways in the counties of this State,'" approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Assembly Bill No. 435, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessments and water rents or water rates in cities in this State, and imposing and levying a tax, assessment and lien in lieu and instead of such arrearages, and to enforce the payment thereof, and to provide for the sale of lands subjected to future taxation and assessment,'" passed March thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 476, entitled "An act concerning the pay or

salary of certain officers and other employes of paid fire departments in cities of the first class in this State,"

And

Senate Bill No 180, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the prevention of cruelty to animals,' " approved March eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty,

With House amendments,

As correctly printed

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 148, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' " which supplement was approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Blohm, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Groel, Hahn, Holcombe, Lane, Mead, Olwell, Riordan, Tumulty, Wright, Jr —15

In the negative were—

Messrs Baader, Barber, Buck, Buik, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Davison, Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Merz, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom— 31

The Speaker declared the bill lost

Mr Lane offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Wm Caldwell, Mayor of East Orange, and that the honorable members of the Board of Aldermen of said city of East Orange be also extended the same privilege

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 218, entitled "An act to amend 'An act to provide for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Lane, Lewis, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Riordan, Sullivan, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —31

In the negative were—

Messrs Fake, Perkins, Potter—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

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 476, entitled "An act concerning the pay or salary of certain officers and other employes of paid fire departments in cities of the first class in this State,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —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 Auf der Heide offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to Mr. Eugene Knox, ex-Tax Collector of Union Hill

A message was received from the Governor, by the hands of his Secretary, as follows

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

TRENTON, April 9th, 1907

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Assembly

I beg leave to call your attention to the necessity of prompt action on the part of the Legislature upon a certain class of bills in order to enable me to show proper courtesy to the introducers thereof The class of bills to which I refer are those that come to my hands in an irregular form, or that need correction in some of their provisions in order to harmonize with existing laws, or that embrace a class of legislation which necessitates consideration as a whole rather than by piecemeal

It has been my custom, wherever possible, to ask introducers to call back to the Committee on Passed Bills such measures for correction or for custody until the presentation of these bills enables me to act intelligently thereon This is the policy I prefer to pursue, as it enables me to avoid the unpleasant necessity of vetoing the members' bills In order, however, to pursue this policy, I must have the concurrence of the Legislature and willing promptness on their part to withdraw the bills from my hands. Otherwise, the bills remain in executive custody for five days and become, in an irregular form, laws by default In order to avoid this result I am compelled to veto such measures I trust the Legislature will not put me to that necessity when my purpose is merely to show the members thereof the utmost courtesy and to enable them to make the necessary corrections in their bills

I am under the necessity of calling your attention to this fact, because it is with the utmost difficulty that the force in my office

secures the passage of the necessary resolutions to call back this class of bills, even after I have sent an open message to the Legislature setting forth the reasons and necessity for such a request

Respectfully,

E C STOKES,

Governor

On motion of Mr Klenert, the message be spread in full upon the minutes

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 9th, 1907

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 94, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Senate Bill No 95, entitled "An act repealing an act entitled 'An act for the sale in fee of land purchased by any taxing district for taxes, assessments or water rents,'" approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

Senate Bill No 96, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes," which amendatory act was approved May third, one thousand nine hundred and six,'" and which act so amended was approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Senate Bill No 105, entitled "An act concerning the sale of goods and to make uniform the law relating thereto,"

Senate Bill No 106, entitled "An act concerning warehouse receipts and to make uniform the law relating thereto,"

Senate Bill No 204, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled

'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to prevent the pollution of the waters of this State by the establishment of a State Sewerage Commission and authorizing the creation of sewerage districts and district sewerage boards, and prescribing, defining and regulating the powers and duties of such commission and such boards," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,' " approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred,

Senate Bill No 222, 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,"

Senate Bill No 228, entitled "A supplement to 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,

Senate Bill No 242, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),' "

Senate Bill No 249, entitled "An act concerning the clerk to the department for the assessment of benefits for local improvements in cities of the first class,"

Senate Bill No 251, entitled "An act for the relief of Frank O. Briggs, former State Treasurer,"

Senate Bill No 263, entitled "An act in relation to schools for industrial education in cities of the second class in this State,"

Senate Bill No 272, entitled "An act concerning the government of cities of the first class,"

Senate Bill No 276, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances (Revision of 1898),' " approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Senate Bill No 308, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a parole agent for the State prison,' " approved May eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and five,

And

Senate Concurrent Resolution No 3, entitled "Whereas, Many of the monopolies and combinations in restraint of trade that are doing business in the United States are credited by the general public to the State of New Jersey as the product of its corporation laws, therefore,"

Senate Bill No 270, entitled "An act to provide for the laying out, opening, widening and altering of streets in cities of the second class;"

Senate Bill No 273, entitled "An act to authorize cities owning their own water mains to lay or extend new or additional water mains, and to issue bonds in payment therefor,"

Senate Bill No 300, entitled "An act to annex to the borough of Cliffside Park, in the county of Bergen, a part or portion of the borough of Fairview, in the county of Bergen,"

Senate Bill No 307, entitled "An act to provide for the construction of storage reservoirs, the control of flood waters, and the maintenance and regulation of water-supply districts, when established by law,"

Senate Bill No 312, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the permanent improvement of public roads in this State (Revision of 1905),'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Senate Bill No 319, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the Orphans' Court and relating to the duties of the ordinary, and the Orphans' Court and surrogates (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Senate Bill No 321, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the improvement of streets and highways in cities of this State and to provide for the payment of the expense of the same,'" approved June thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Senate Bill No 323, entitled "An act relating to the granting of licenses for the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors in municipalities in counties of the fourth class of this State,"

Assembly Bill No 255, entitled "An act to empower municipalities to establish and maintain plants for the treatment, disposal or rendering of sewage,"

With Senate amendment,

And

Assembly Bill No 73, entitled "An act to amend the negotiable instrument law relative to the payment of forged checks,"

With Senate amendment,

Assembly Bill No 179, entitled "An act to authorize the erection of town halls in towns of this State, and the purchase of lands whereon to erect said buildings,"

With Senate amendment,

Assembly Bill No 195, 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,

With Senate amendment,

Assembly Bill No 236, entitled "An act for the better publication of the annual financial statement of towns, boroughs and townships,"

With Senate amendment,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

HOWARD L TYLER,

Secretary of the Senate

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 9th, 1907

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 101, entitled "An act prohibiting the transaction of business in this State by foreign banking, savings, trusts or safe deposit corporations,"

Assembly Bill No 182, entitled "An act in relation to the expenditure of public moneys,"

Assembly Bill No 211, entitled "An act to authorize the board of education of any township in this State to transfer any unused school building to the township in which said board of education is located, and to empower the township committee to use said building for municipal purposes,"

Assembly Bill No 226, entitled "An act relative to the payment of deposits made with any bank or trust company in the name of two persons,"

Assembly Bill No 229, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act in relation to county expenditures,'" approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

Assembly Bill No 249, entitled "An act to change the name of Sarah Ann Backus,"

Assembly Bill No 250, entitled "An act to change the name of Burtiss Davison Backus,"

Assembly Bill No 267, entitled "An act to provide meeting places, necessary supplies and to defray the expenses of the boards of taxation in counties of this State,"

Assembly Bill No 290, entitled "An act concerning the admittance of children under the age of fourteen to dance houses, concert saloons, museums, skating rinks, places wherein theatrical performances are being presented by paid performers, or places of entertainment that may be injurious to their health or morals,"

Assembly Bill No 308, entitled "A further supplement to 'An act to regulate fees,'" approved April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Assembly Bill No 336, 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 362, entitled "An act authorizing the acqui-

sition 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,"

Assembly Bill No 405, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to an information in the nature of a quo warranto (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 307, entitled "An act concerning the overseer of the poor and assistant to the overseer of the poor in cities of the first class,"

Assembly Bill No 451, entitled "An act to set off territory from the township of Verona, in the county of Essex, and annex the same to the town of Montclair, in said county,"

And

Assembly Joint Resolution No 1, entitled "Joint resolution providing for the purchase of portraits of former governors of this State,"

With Senate amendment

H L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

Mr Breunig, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 323, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to improve the conditions of tenement-houses of this State and to establish a State board of tenement-house supervision,'" approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and four (P L, p 96),

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That when the House adjourn, it be to meet to-morrow morning at 10 30 o'clock

On motion of Mr Klenert, the House then adjourned

WEDNESDAY, April 10th, 1907

House met at 10 30 o'clock A M

Prayer was offered by the Rev Charles A Fisher, of Manalapan N J

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buik, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Gioel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Iiick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wiight, Jr —55

Absent—

Messrs Backus, Buck, Drake, Haines, Tillman—5

On motion of Mi Klenert, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with

Mr Klenert moved that the House be placed under call,

Which motion was carried

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Gioel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Ji, Holzapfel, Iiick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wiight, Ji —51

Absent—

Messrs Alexander, Backus, Buck, Drake, Eppinger, Haines, Holcombe, Sullivan, Tillman—9

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

Assembly Bill No 49, entitled "An act abolishing the office of collector of arrears of taxes in towns, incorporated as such, in this State,"

Assembly Bill No 105, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale or prescription of cocaine, or any patent or proprietary remedy containing cocaine, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof,'"

Assembly Bill No 139, entitled "An act amending an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas (Revision of 1900),'"

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 192, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employes and operatives 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,'"

Assembly Bill No 266, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to enable cities to purchase land, erect buildings thereon and equip the same for fire department purposes,'" approved April seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Assembly Bill No 337, entitled "An act providing for the reimprovement of any street, avenue, road or highway, or the portion of such street, avenue, road or highway, lying in part only in one town, township or borough, which has heretofore been improved and for which improvement assessments for benefits have been heretofore levied and imposed, and for the issue of bonds to pay for said reimprovement,"

Assembly Bill No 340, entitled "An act concerning the making and collecting of assessments for benefits conferred by the construction of sewers,"

Assembly Bill No 375, entitled "An act explanatory of certain words contained in an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to remove the fire and police departments of the cities of this State from political control," approved May second, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five,' and to provide for the establishment, management and distribution of a police pension or retiring fund," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,

And

Assembly Bill No 396, 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,

H L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 10th, 1907

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 295, entitled "An act to amend the title of an act entitled 'An act to ascertain the rights of the State and of the riparian owners in the lands lying under the waters of the bay of New York and elsewhere in this State,'" approved April eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four,

And

Assembly Bill No 80, 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,

With Senate amendments,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

HOWARD L TYLER,

Secretary of the Senate

Mr Holzapfel offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

WHEREAS, The city of Bayonne, incorporated in one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine, is not shown on the map of the Geological Survey of this State, although having over forty-five thousand inhabitants, contains nine public schools, one high school, three parochial schools, about thirty churches, three banking institutions, four prosperous building and loan associations, a number of social clubs of large membership, with expensive and comfortable club-houses, fourteen miles of paved streets, over twenty-eight miles of sewers, thirty-two miles of water pipe, distributing to the city, its inhabitants and industries the best water in the State of New Jersey, with a paid fire department, a police force of about fifty men, with public buildings worth $958,000, has five railroad stations, ferry, trolley service, its streets lighted with gas and electricity, and, as a manufacturing and residental center, second to no city in our State, having large industrial plants, giving employment to thousands of workingmen, with resources, water frontage and transportation which render it most desirable for manufacturing purposes, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Geological Survey, or such other proper officer or department, be and they are hereby instructed to place the name of said city in its proper position upon the official maps of our State

Mr Corish offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to Master Samuel Crowther, son of the honorable member of this House from Middlesex

Mr Tumulty, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, reported

Assembly Bill No 489, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a weather service in New Jersey and to provide for the appointment of a board of directors and president thereof, and appropriating money to pay the actual expense of the same," approved June nineteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,'" which supplement was approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two,

Assembly Bill No 492, entitled "An act to provide for the payment of rewards to the widows and minor children of persons killed in the assisting of the police in municipalities,"

Favorably, without amendment,

And

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 255, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize cities to construct sewers and drains and to provide for the payment of the cost thereof,'" approved March eighth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Assembly Bill No 482, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No 393, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning disorderly persons (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Favorably, without amendment,

Also,

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 394, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating and brewed liquors,' passed March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,"'" approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,

And

Assembly Bill No 243, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Senate Bill No 91, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas (Revision of 1901),'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Senate Bill No 209, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the infliction of the penalty of death,'" approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Senate Bill No 248, entitled "An act providing for the pensioning of police officers in townships of this State, and regulating the method by which the same may be accepted and become operative therein,"

And

Senate Bill No 286, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide means for protection against fires in townships,'" approved March tenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine

Mr Auf der Heide, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships, reported

Senate Bill No 220, entitled "An act relative to the power to impose and collect taxes in incorporated towns of this State,"

Favorably, without amendment

The Senate message was then taken up,

And

Senate Bill No 270, entitled "An act to provide for the laying out, opening, widening and altering of streets in cities of the second class,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations

Senate Bill No 273, entitled "An act to authorize cities owning their own water mains to lay or extend new or additional water mains, and to issue bonds in payment therefor,"

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 300, entitled "An act to annex to the borough of Cliffside Park, in the county of Bergen, a part or portion of the borough of Fairview, in the county of Bergen,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions

Senate Bill No 307, entitled "An act to provide for the construction of storage reservoirs, the control of flood waters, and the maintenance and regulation of water-supply districts, when established by law,"

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 312, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the permanent improvement of public roads in this State (Revision of 1905),' " approved March twenty-seventh, 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 319, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the Orphans' Court and relating to the duties of the ordinary, and the Orphans' Court and surrogates (Revision of 1898),' " approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Senate Bill No 321, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the improvement of streets and highways in cities of this State and to provide for the payment of the expense of the same,' " approved June thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Senate Bill No 323, entitled "An act relating to the granting of licenses for the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors in municipalities in counties of the fourth class of this State,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Senate Bill No 251, entitled "An act for the relief of Frank O Briggs, former State Treasurer,"

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 "An act concerning the clerk to the department for the assessment of benefits for local improvements in cities of the first class,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations

Senate Bill No 242, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),'"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions

Senate Bill No 222, 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,"

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 228, entitled "A supplement to 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,

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 204, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to prevent the pollution of the waters of this State by the establishment of a State Sewerage Commission and authorizing the creation of sewerage districts and district sewerage boards, and prescribing, defining and regulating the powers and duties of such commission and such boards," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,' " approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Senate Bill No 106, entitled "An act concerning warehouse receipts and to make uniform the law relating 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 105, entitled "An act concerning the sale of goods and to make uniform the law relating 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 96, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes," which amendatory act was approved May third, one thousand nine hundred and six,' " and which act so amended was 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

Senate Bill No 95, entitled "An act repealing an act entitled 'An act for the sale in fee of land purchased by any taxing district for taxes, assessments or water rents,' " approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Senate Bill No 94, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,' " approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Senate Concurrent Resolution No 3, entitled "Whereas, Many of the monopolies and combinations in restraint of trade that are doing business in the United States are credited by the general public to the State of New Jersey as the product of its corporation laws, therefore,"

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 308, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a parole agent for the State prison,'" approved May eleventh, 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 Revision of Laws

Senate Bill No 276, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws

Senate Bill No 272, entitled "An act concerning the government of cities of the first class,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws

Senate Bill No 263, entitled "An act in relation to schools for industrial education in cities of the second class in this State,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Education

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No 73, entitled "An act to amend the negotiable instrument law relative to the payment of forged checks,"

Assembly Bill No 179, entitled "An act to authorize the erection of town halls in towns of this State, and the purchase of lands whereon to erect said buildings,"

Assembly Bill No 195, 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 199, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 236, entitled "An act for the better publication of the annual financial statement of towns, boroughs and townships,"

And

Assembly Bill No 255, entitled "An act to empower municipalities to establish and maintain plants for the treatment, disposal or rendering of sewage,"

Were taken up on second reading, and the Speaker put the question, "Shall the Senate amendments have a third reading?" which was agreed to

Mr Daab, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No 10, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 166, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating and brewed liquors," passed March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,'" approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,

Assembly Bill No 298, entitled "A bill, giving to the electors an advisory vote in proposing legislation,"

Assembly Bill No 233, 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 316, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled

'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' " approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 334, entitled "A supplement to the act entitled 'An act to authorize towns and townships to construct sewers, drains and sewerage disposal plant or plants, and to provide for the cost, maintenance and operation thereof,' the original act, before amendment, constituted chapter seventy-seven of the session laws of one thousand nine hundred and five and was entitled 'An act to authorize towns and townships to construct sewers, drains and sewerage disposal plant or plants and to provide for the cost thereof,' "

Assembly Bill No 346, entitled "An act to provide for a commissioner of buildings in each of the cities of the first class in this State, defining his duties and powers, and relating to the municipal affairs of such cities placed under the management of such commissioner,"

And

Assembly Bill No 413, entitled "An act to provide for the establishment of public playgrounds in cities of this State and for the maintenance, control and management thereof,"

As correctly printed

Mr Hahn, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported

Assembly Bill No 470, entitled "An act for the better protection of menhaden in the waters of the State, including the waters of the Atlantic ocean within the jurisdiction of the State, and to prevent the taking of them with nets,"

And

Assembly Bill No 471, entitled "An act for the better protection of food fish and to prevent the capture of them with nets from the waters of the State and of the Atlantic ocean within the jurisdiction of this State,"

Favorably, without amendment

On motion of Mr Blohm,

Assembly Bill No 361, entitled "An act to provide for the recovery of damages in cases where the death of a person is caused by wrongful act, neglect or default (Revision of 1907),"

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amendments, proposed by Mr Blohm, were read and adopted

On line four, strike out word "legal" and substitute in place thereof the word "personal"

On line six, after the word "loss," strike out the following "if any suffered," and substitute in place thereof the words "occasioned the widow, the widower, the children and next of kin (as the case may be) of such deceased person"

On line eleven strike out the word "so"

In paragraph two, line two, strike out the word "their" and substitute in place thereof the word "its"

Insert at the end of section two "The absence of malice or of wrongful intent shall not in any instance be deemed or held to bar a recovery of punitive or exemplary damages in any action or actions brought under this act"

In paragraph five, line three, strike out the words "any negligence," and substitute therefor and in place thereof the words "the negligent act"

In paragraph six, line two, strike out the word "the" and substitute therefor and in place thereof the word "any"

In paragraph eight, line two, strike out words "for the purposes of this act"

On motion of Mr Blohm,

Assembly Bill No 361, entitled "An act to provide for the recovery of damages in cases where the death of a person is caused by wrongful act, neglect or default (Revision of 1907),"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 505, entitled "An act to consolidate with and annex to the city of Newark, in the county of Essex, a part of the territory now embraced within the township of Belleville, in the county of Essex, *provided,* a majority of the votes cast in said township upon the question of such annexation and consolidation shall be in favor thereof, and the mayor and common council of said city shall consent thereto,"

Was recommitted to committee for amendment

On motion of Mr Morris,

Assembly Bill No 440, entitled "An act providing for the establishment of evening schools for foreign residents in the State of New Jersey,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Daab,

Assembly Bill No 464, entitled "An act to amend chapter one hundred and thirteen of the session laws of one thousand nine hundred and six, 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, defining the amount of license and registration fees, describing and regulating process and the service thereof, and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations,' "

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Lane,

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 469, entitled "An act to regulate the practice of osteopathy in the State of New Jersey and to provide for a State Board of Osteopathic Examiners, and to license osteopathic physicians to practice in this State, and punish persons violating the provisions of this act,"

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amendments, proposed by Mr Hendrickson, were read and adopted

In paragraph four, line two, strike out the words "with the," and in line three strike out the word "knife," and insert in line two, after the word surgery "or sign birth or death certificates"

Mr Crowther offered the following amendment, which was read by the Clerk, and declared lost

On line one, in word "sections," strike out last letter "s," and also words "two and," and in section four, line two, after word "practice," insert word "major"

On motion of Mr Fake, the vote by which amendment, offered by Mr Hendrickson, was adopted be reconsidered,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 469, entitled "An act to regulate the practice of osteopathy in the State of New Jersey and to provide for a State Board of Osteopathic Examiners, and to license osteopathic physicians to practice in this State, and punish persons violating the provisions of this act,"

Was again taken up, and the same amendments, proposed by Mr Hendrickson, were read, and the Speaker then declared both amendments lost

On motion of Mr Lane,

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 469, entitled "An act to regulate the practice of osteopathy in the State of New Jersey and to provide for a State Board of Osteopathic Examiners, and to license osteopathic physicians to practice in this State, and punish persons violating the provisions of this act,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Riordan,

Assembly Bill No 481, entitled "An act to establish a department for the supervision and inspection of electrical and gas equipment in cities of the first class in this State, to provide for the inspection of electrical and gas machines, meters and appliances, and for the appointment and duties of officers and inspectors therein, and for their compensation and terms of office,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Buck,

Assembly Bill No 486, entitled "An act to amend an act passed March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, and entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act for the government and regulation of the State Prison,"'" passed April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Barber,

Assembly Bill No 487, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish an excise department in cities of this State,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Merz,

Assembly Bill No 491, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessments and water rates or water rents in cities of this State, and imposing and levying a tax, assessment and lien in lieu and instead of such arrearages, and to enforce the payment thereof and to provide for the sale of lands subjected to further taxation and assessment,'" passed March thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Assembly Bill No 493, entitled "An act to authorize cities to issue bonds to obtain money to rebuild sewers,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Daab,

Assembly Bill No 494, entitled "An act concerning the abolition of grade crossings in cities of the second class,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Assembly Bill No 497, 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, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr VanBlarcom,

Assembly Bill No 498, entitled "An act authorizing the division of townships into water districts for the purpose of supplying water within such districts for fire purposes, and the election of water commissioners in said district,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Blohm,

Assembly Bill No 500, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish public parks in certain counties of this State and to regulate the same,'" approved May sixth, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Blohm,

Assembly Bill No 501, 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 second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 502, entitled "A supplement to the act entitled 'An act concerning evidence (Revision of 1900),'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No 75, entitled "An act concerning free public libraries in certain cities 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

On motion of Mr Crowther,

Senate Bill No 85, 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, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Devine,

Senate Bill No 90, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the formation of governments of villages,'" approved February twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Smalley,

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 107, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a sanatorium for persons afflicted with tuberculous diseases and to provide for the selection of a site and the erection of buildings therefor and the government thereof,'" approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Fake,

Senate Bill No 126, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the infliction of the penalty of death,' approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Chaplin,

Senate Bill No 149, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to enable boards of chosen freeholders to acquire, improve and maintain public roads,'" approved March nineteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Chaplin,

Senate Bill No 182, entitled "An act extending the time for the completion of certain water works, pipes, mains and conduits,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Lillagore,

Senate Bill No 194, entitled "An act to repeal 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,'" approved May eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Smalley,

Senate Bill No 232, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for drainage and sewerage in the cities of this State,'" approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Barber,

Senate Bill No 239, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to create the office of Commissioner of Charities and Corrections and to define his powers and duties,'" approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Senate Bill No 285, entitled "An act providing for a survey or surveys to show the amount of dredging necessary to deepen the channels of the inland waterways extending from Cape May to Bay Head along the Atlantic coast and for estimates of the cost of deepening the same and appropriating five thousand dollars to defray the expenses of such surveys and estimates,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Morris,

Senate Bill No 297, entitled "An act to authorize the Bushkill-Delaware Bridge Company to build a bridge across the Delaware river near the village of Flatbrookville, in the county of Sussex,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Fake,

Senate Bill No 298, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide for the permanent improvement of public roads in this State (Revision of 1905),"' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and five," which supplement was approved May second, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

The Senate message was then taken up

Senate Bill No 295, entitled "An act to amend the title of an act entitled 'An act to ascertain the rights of the State and of the riparian owners in the lands lying under the waters of the bay of New York and elsewhere in this State,'" approved April eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Navigation

Senate amendment to

Assembly Bill No 80, 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 on second reading, and the Speaker put the question, "Shall the Senate amendments have a third reading?"

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 435, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessments and water rents or water rates in cities in this State, and imposing and levying a tax, assessment, and lien in lieu and instead of such arrearages, and to enforce the payment thereof, and to provide for the sale of lands, subjected to future taxation and assessment,'" passed March thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

Was taken up, 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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 144, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to empower boards of aldermen, councilmen or other governing bodies of cities, towns or boroughs of this State to give notice of intention to pass ordinances for any public improvement,'" approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buxton, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Merz, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Daab,

Assembly Bill No 257, entitled "An act to provide for the distribution by the State of certain publications to the free public libraries of this State,"

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Morris, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—39

In the negative was—

Mr Buxton—1

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Assembly Bill No 268, entitled "An act relating to liability of persons doing business in this State to their employes,"

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel Hahn, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Mead, Merz, Pawelski, Van-Blarcom, Wright, Jr—21

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Davison, Drake, Elvins, Fake, Gibbs, Hendrickson, Jr, Irick, Jess, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Morris. Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty—29

On motion of Mr Wright,

Senate Bill No 131, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' " which supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amendment, offered by Mr Wright, was read and adopted

Section one, after the colon, in line two, insert in capitals "Democratic Primary Ticket"

On motion of Mr Wright,

Senate Bill No 131, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' " which supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Klenert,

The House then took a recess until 2 30 o'clock

AFTERNOON SESSION

The House reconvened at 2 30 o'clock P M

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —54

Absent—

Messrs. Alexander, Crowther, Haines, Moxon, Perkins, Tillman —6

Mr Morris, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No 222, 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,"

Senate Bill No 249, entitled "An act concerning the clerk to the department for the assessment of benefits for local improvements in cities of the first class,"

Senate Bill No 270, entitled "An act to provide for the laying out, opening, widening and altering of streets in cities of the second class,"

Senate Bill No 273, entitled "An act to authorize cities owning their own water mains to lay or extend new or additional water mains, and to issue bonds in payment therefor,"

And

Assembly Bill No 348, entitled "An act to permit real estate belonging to any city of the first class, a portion or all of which is not required for the purposes for which it was required, to be used for a hospital for persons suffering from tuberculosis, and to provide for the maintenance and supervision of said hospital,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Groel, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Assembly Bill No 378, 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,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Backus, Chairman of the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions, reported

Assembly Bill No 351, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Port Norris, in the county of Cumberland,"

And

Senate Bill No 287, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),'"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Tumulty, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, reported

Senate Bill No 105, entitled "An act concerning the sale of goods and to make uniform the law relating thereto,"

Senate Bill No 106, entitled "An act concerning warehouse receipts and to make uniform the law relating thereto,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Senate Concurrent Resolution on Hudson river bridge,

Favorably

Mr Baader, Chairman of the Committee on Commerce and Navigation, reported

Senate Bill No 295, entitled "An act to amend the title of an act entitled 'An act to ascertain the rights of the State and of the riparian owners in the lands lying under the waters of the bay of New York and elsewhere in this State,' " approved April eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four,

Favorably, without amendment

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 10th, 1907

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 332, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the use of power vessels and boats navigating the waters within the jurisdiction of this State above tidewater, and to provide for the inspection and licensing of power vessels, their masters, pilots and engineers,' " approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

HOWARD L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

The Senate message was then taken up, and

Senate Bill No 332, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the use of power vessels and boats navigating the waters within the jurisdiction of this State above tidewater, and to provide for the inspection and licensing of power vessels, their masters, pilots and engineers,'" approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Navigation

The Clerk read the following announcements

Mr Tumulty wishes to give twenty-four (24) hours' notice, pursuant to rules of this House, that he will move to relieve the Committee on Corporations from further consideration of Senate Bill No 24, being the promoters' liability act repealer

I hereby give twenty-four hours' notice, pursuant to the rules of this House, that I will move to relieve the Committee on Corporations from further consideration of Assembly Bill No 430

MARK A SULLIVAN

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 438, entitled "An act to fix the annual salary of the mayors of certain cities in this State,"

On motion of Mr Smalley,

Assembly Bill No 365, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898),"' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,'" which act was approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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 Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlaricom, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Assembly Bill No 386, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Fake, Firth, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—44

In the negative were—

Messrs Breunig, Buxton, Chaplin, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Mead, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Mead,

Assembly Bill No 397, entitled "An act for the licensing of firemen for the protection of life and property against loss or damage from the operation of stationary steam boilers by incompetent persons,"

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Eppinger, Firth, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Lane, Mead, Moxon, Olwell, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty—21

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Davison, Drake, Fake, Gibbs, Hendrickson, Jr, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert Lewis, Manson, Merz, Morris, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—26

The Speaker declared the bill lost

On motion of Mr Buxton,

Assembly Bill No 417, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the use of power vessels and boats navigating the waters within the jurisdiction of this State above tidewater and to provide for the inspection and licensing of power vessels, their masters, pilots and engineers,'" approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Chaplin, Corish, Davison, Drake, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Irick, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Merz, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Thompson, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Buxton,

Assembly Bill No 418, entitled "An act concerning the enforcement of ordinances in incorporated towns,"

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Burk, Buxton, Chaplin, Daab, Davison, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom—40

In the negative were—

Messrs Firth, Lane—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

On motion of Mr Smalley,

Assembly Bill No 420, 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, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Baker, Blohm, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corrish, Daab, Davison, Drake, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Groel, Hahn, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Groel,

Assembly Bill No 421, entitled "An act to establish a school and to provide facilities and accommodations in the State prison,"

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buxton, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Eppinger, Fake, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Wright, Jr—37

In the negative were—

Messrs Burk, Cattell, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Gibbs, Klenert, Potter, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—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

Senate Joint Resolution No 1, entitled "Whereas, The people of this State are confronted with an unreasonable increase in the price of coal in winter, and of ice in summer, brought about, it is popularly believed, by monopolies created under the corporation laws of this State; therefore,"

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert,

Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Meiz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Riordan, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—47

In the negative were—

Messrs Ridgway, Smalley—2

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

On motion of Mr Lewis,

Senate Bill No 173, entitled "An act to provide additional accommodations for 'The Manual Training and Industrial School for Colored Youth,' located at Bordentown, in the county of Burlington,"

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Elvins, Eppinger, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jones, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson—37

In the negative were—

Messrs Earle, Klenert, Merz—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

On motion of Mr Lewis,

Senate Bill No 174, 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, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Davison, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Hahn, Holcombe, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Morris, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Wright, Jr—36

In the negative were—

Messrs Blohm, Daab, Earle, Klenert, Merz, Olwell, Sullivan, Tumulty—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

On motion of Mr Lewis,

Senate Joint Resolution No 2, entitled "Joint Resolution providing for the appointment of commissioners to ascertain the reasons for the large increase in the cost of constructing stone roads in the State and to investigate and report upon the advisability of the purchase and operation by the State of stone quarries for the purpose of supplying stone at cost to the several counties of this State for the permanent improvement of public roads, and keeping the same in repair, and the probable cost of such quarries and of equipping and operating the same,"

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Daab, Davison, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Hahn, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor—39

In the negative was—

Mr Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Groel,

Assembly Bill No 271, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of speedways in the counties of this State,'" approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Baader, Barber, Breunig, Burk, Cattell, Davison, Devine, Jr , Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr , Irick, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Lillagore, Morris, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty—20

In the negative were—

Messrs Backus, Baker, Brady, Buxton, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Elvins, Firth, Kleneit, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Wright, Jr —20

On motion of Mr Devine,

Senate Bill No 287, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),'"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Chaplin,

Senate Bill No 348, entitled "An act prohibiting the sale by any city of this State of its municipal water, light, heat, power or other public utility plant or plants, except by assent of a majority of the legal voters of said city voting at a special election to be held therein,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Brady,

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 180, entitled "An act concerning the abolition of certain grade crossings in incorporated towns, and providing for the apportionment of the expense 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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Fake, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Jess, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty—34

In the negative was—

Mr Lewis—1

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Chaplin,

Senate Bill No 115, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the establishment of forest park reservations by and in the State of New Jersey, and for the appointment of a State Board of Forest Park Reservation Commissioners, and defining its powers and duties,'" approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and five,

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Earle, Elvins, Gibbs, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Morris, Moxon, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor—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

On motion of Mr Barber,

Senate Bill No 144, entitled "An act to repeal parts of an act entitled 'An act to repeal sundry acts relating to associations not for pecuniary profit,'" approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Drake, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Jess, Jones, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Wright,

Senate Bill No 155, entitled "An act to amend the title of an act entitled 'An act to authorize two or more municipalities in this State to jointly construct and maintain outlet to trunk sewers,' approved March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, and to validate certain acts and proceedings of municipalities under said act and its supplements,"

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Daab, Drake, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holz-

apfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —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

On motion of Mr Lillagore,

Senate Bill No 166, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),'"

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Morris, Moxon, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —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

Mr Riordan, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No 108, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the formation of canal companies and to regulate the same,'" approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven,

Senate Bill No 147, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the formation of canal companies and to regulate the same,'" approved March ninth, eighteen hundred and seventy-seven,

Favorably, without amendment,

Also,

Senate Bill No 10, entitled "An act relating to telephone, electric light, heat and power companies,"

With committee substitute

Mr Tumulty, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, reported

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 469, entitled "An act to regulate the practice of osteopathy in the State of New Jersey and to provide for a State Board of Osteopathic Examiners, and to license osteopathic physicians to practice in this State, and to punish persons violating the provisions of this act,"

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Senate Bill No 116, entitled "An act to establish a State Water-Supply Commission and to define its powers and duties and the conditions under which waters of this State may be diverted,"

With committee amendments

On motion of Mr Elvins,

Senate Bill No 171, entitled "An act to amend section six of an act entitled 'An act to provide for the marking and designating of the channels of the bays, thoroughfares and sounds flowed by tidewaters in the counties of Ocean, Atlantic and Cape May,'" approved June twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Drake, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson—41

In the negative was—

Mr Wright, Jr—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 Riordan moved the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 233, 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 lost be reconsidered

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Brady, Breunig, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Elvins, Eppinger, Frith, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Pawelski, Riordan, Smalley, Taylor, Tumulty—30

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Blohm, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Davison, Drake, Hendrickson, Jr, Lilck, Klenert, Potter, Ridgway, Stille, Sullivan, VanBlarcom—15

The Speaker declared the motion to reconsider lost

On motion of Mr Fake,

Senate Bill No 88, 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, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Davison, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Frith, Groel, Holzapfel, Lilck, Jones, Klenert, Lane,

Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Morris, Moxon, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—35

In the negative were—

Messrs Hendrickson, Jr, Sullivan, Tumulty—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

On motion of Mr Cattell,

Senate Bill No 175, entitled "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act concerning contagious and infectious diseases among animals and to repeal certain acts relating thereto,'" approved May fourth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Fake, Gibbs, Hahn, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Morris, Moxon, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor—34

In the negative were—

Messrs Hendrickson, Jr, Klenert, Pawelski, Sullivan, VanBlarcom—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

A message was received from the Governor, by the hands of Mr Gray, his Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
April 10th, 1907

I herewith return without approval, for further consideration, Assembly Bill No 362 Waiving the fact that the State Treasury is not in condition to warrant so heavy a draft upon it, especially

in view of pending litigation that may result in a greatly reduced revenue; my reasons for disapproving the bill are because of its unconstitutionality as set forth by the Attorney-General, as follows

"1 I doubt if the object of this bill has a sufficiently public purpose to justify an appropriation of State funds under the constitution

"2 Assuming, however, this to be wrong, the title confines the operation of the act to joint action between the States of New Jersey and Pennsylvania, whereas the body of the act in the first and fifth sections also involves the State of New York

"3 Line ten of section one provides that the State of New Jersey is 'to pay one-half of said bridge properties together with one-half cost of said properties' What this means I am at a loss to discover

"4 Section two sets up a peculiar method of condemnation (rather than the general condemnatory act) "

Respectfully submitted,

E C STOKES

Mr Klenert moved the Governor's message be spread in full upon the Journal,

Which motion was carried

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 205, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,' " approved February twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones,

Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Stille, Sullivan, VanBlarcom—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

Mr Wright asked the consent of the House to introduce a bill,

Which consent was granted

Mr Wright, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 508, entitled "An act to defray the incidental expenses of the Legislature of New Jersey for the session of one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Incidental Expenses

On motion of Mr Elvins,

Senate Bill No 201, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable any city in this State, other than cities of the first class, to construct, purchase or otherwise acquire water works for the purpose of supplying pure and wholesome water for public and private use in said city or in adjoining municipalities, and providing for the maintenance of the same,'" approved June eighth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Hahn, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor, VanBlarcom—36

In the negative were—

Messrs Hendrickson, Jr, Klenert, Sullivan—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

On motion of Mr Elvins,

Senate Bill No 274, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize cities in this State, located on or near the ocean and embracing within their limits or jurisdiction any beach or ocean front, to lay out and open streets and drives, and construct public walks along and upon the beach or ocean front, to grade and otherwise improve the same, to provide the money necessary therefor, and to regulate the use thereof," approved April sixth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, and acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, and to validate bonds issued, or purporting to be issued, under said acts, or any of them,'" which said act was approved March sixth, one thousand nine hundred and one,"

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Fake, Hahn, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 456, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting executions,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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 Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Jess,

Assembly Bill No 461, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning idiots and lunatics (Revision),"' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four," which supplement was approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Ridgway, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—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.

On motion of Mr Devine,

Assembly Bill No 478, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of East Wood Ridge, in the county of Bergen,"

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Ridgway, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Drake,

Senate Bill No 112, entitled "An act to provide for the making of decrees of the Orphans' Court a lien on the lands and real estate of any person or persons liable on such decree by docketing the same in the Supreme Court of this State and issuing of execution thereon,"

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 Auf der Heide, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buxton, Chaplin, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Merz, Morris, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Manson,

Senate Bill No 52, entitled "An act to validate bonds heretofore or hereafter issued by towns and villages for the construction of sewers and drains under an act entitled 'An act to authorize towns and villages to construct sewers and drains and provide for the payment of the cost thereof,'" approved May twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety, and the various supplements and amendments thereto,

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady Buck, Burk, Buxton, Chaplin, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlaricom—41

In the negative were—

Messrs Brady, Earle, Firth, Lane, Pawelski—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

On motion of Mr Morris,

Assembly Bill No 334, entitled "A supplement to the act entitled 'An act to authorize towns and townships to construct sewers, drains and sewerage disposal plant or plants, and to provide for the cost, maintenance and operation thereof,' the original act, before amendment, constituted chapter seventy-seven of the session laws of one thousand nine hundred and five, and was entitled 'An act to authorize towns and townships to construct sewers, drains and sewerage disposal plant or plants and to provide for the cost 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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Gibbs, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Morris,

Assembly Bill No 447, entitled "An act to regulate the construction and use of dams in the waters of Paulins Kill, in the counties of Warren and Sussex,"

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Morris,

Assembly Bill No 434, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize incorporated towns and townships

to construct sewers, drains and a sewer disposal plant or plants and to provide for the payment and costs thereof,'" approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and five,

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. Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr., Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Hendrickson, Jr., Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom—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. Moxon offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That the Governor be requested to return to the House of Assembly Assembly Bills Nos. 363 and 364.

On motion of Mr. Moxon, this resolution be sent to the Senate at once,

Which motion was carried.

On motion of Mr. Manson,

Senate Bill No. 53, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize towns and villages to construct sewers and drains and to provide for the payment of the cost thereof,'" approved May twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Buik, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Gibbs, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Moxon, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom—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

Senate amendment to

Assembly Joint Resolution No 1, entitled "Joint resolution providing for the purchase of portraits of former governors of this State,"

Was taken up on third reading, and the Speaker put the question, "Shall the Senate amendment be concurred in?"

Upon which question the ayes and nays were called with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Manson, Mead, Metz, Morris, Olwell, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—33

In the negative were—

Messrs Backus, Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Gibbs, Lewis, Lillagore, Potter, Stille, Thompson, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—14

Thereupon the Speaker declared the amendment concurred in

On motion of Mr Hendrickson, the vote by which

Senate Bill No 79, entitled "An act to regulate theatrical billposting in municipalities of this State,"

Was passed be reconsidered, which motion was carried by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—35

In the negative were—

Messrs Chaplin, Dayison, Drake—3

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Senate Bill No 79, entitled "An act to regulate theatrical bill-posting in municipalities of this State,"

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

Mr Wright, Chairman of the Committee on Incidental Expenses, reported

Assembly Bill No 508, entitled "An act to defray the incidental expenses of the Legislature of New Jersey for the session of one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Auf der Heide, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships, reported

Assembly Bill No 505, entitled "An act to consolidate with and annex to the city of Newark, in the county of Essex, a part of the territory now embraced within the township of Belleville, in the county of Essex, *provided,* a majority of the votes cast in said township upon the question of such annexation and consolidation shall be in favor thereof, and the mayor and common council of said city shall consent thereto,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr Baader, Chairman of the Committee on Commerce and Navigation, reported

Senate Bill No. 332, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the use of power vessels and boats navigating the waters within the jurisdiction of this State above tidewater, and to provide for the inspection and licensing of power vessels, their masters, pilots and engineers,'" approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Groel, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Senate Bill No 263, entitled "An act in relation to schools for industrial education in cities of the second class in this State,"

And

Senate Bill No 309, 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,

Favorably, without amendment

The Clerk announced a meeting of the Committee on Game and Fisheries to-morrow morning at 9 30, and a hearing on all bills in the hands of the committee

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That when the House adjourn, it be to meet to-morrow morning at 10.30 o'clock

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 10th, 1907

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 206, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'"

Senate Bill No 252, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Senate Bill No 260, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend 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 June nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Senate Bill No 280, entitled "An act relating to persons or corporations engaged in the business of transmitting money to foreign countries, or of buying or selling foreign money, or of receiving money on deposit to be transmitted to foreign countries,"

Senate Bill No 289, entitled "An act to confirm certain conveyances heretofore made by commissioners appointed in partition proceedings in the Orphans' Courts of this State,"

Senate Bill No 290, entitled "An act providing for divorces and for decrees of nullity of marriage and for alimony and the maintenance of children (Revision of 1902)," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Senate Bill No 322, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two, by enabling the city councils thereof to authorize and regulate the erection of partition walls and fences,"

Senate Bill No 324, entitled "A further supplement to an act to provide for the appointment of a commission to revise and codify the law relating to master and servant," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Senate Bill No 326, entitled "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act regulating the granting by municipalities of consent to the use of streets, avenues, parks, parkways and other public places,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and six,

And

Senate Bill No 340, entitled "An act to amend subsection twenty-seven of section fourteen of an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities,'" approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested,

H L TYLER,

Secretary of the Senate

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 10th, 1907

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 363, entitled "An act to authorize cities of this State through which any river, stream or creek runs, and into which the sewage of any city empties, to build and construct intercepting sewers, to receive all such sewage to be disposed of in such manner as shall be deemed proper, and to provide for the alteration of a general system of sewerage and drainage in cities, and to cleanse and otherwise improve such rivers, streams or creeks and to issue bonds to meet the expense of such work,"

Assembly Bill No 364, entitled "An act to enable cities to widen, deepen and improve the streams, creeks or rivers which are the outlets of the natural drainage or storm or surface water therein, and to erect retaining walls on the banks of the same, and to condemn lands along such streams, creeks or rivers necessary to carry into effect the provisions of this act, and to issue bonds for the cost of such improvement,"

And

Assembly Bill No 444, entitled "An act fixing the salary of the State Librarian,"

H L TYLER,

Secretary of the Senate

The Senate message was then taken up

Senate Bill No 340, entitled "An act to amend subsection twenty-seven of section fourteen of an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities,'" 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 Municipal Corporations

Senate Bill No 326, entitled "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act regulating the granting by municipalities of consent to the use of streets, avenues, parks, parkways and other public places,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations

Senate Bill No 324, entitled "A further supplement to an act to provide for the appointment of a commission to revise and codify the law relating to master and servant," approved April third, 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 Revision of Laws

Senate Bill No 322, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two, by enabling the city councils thereof to authorize and regulate the erection of partition walls and fences,"

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 290, entitled "An act providing for divorces and for decrees of nullity of marriage and for alimony and the maintenance of children (Revision of 1902)," 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 289, entitled "An act to confirm certain conveyances heretofore made by commissioners appointed in partition proceedings in the Orphans' Courts of 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 Bill No 280, entitled "An act relating to persons or corporations engaged in the business of transmitting money to foreign countries, or of buying or selling foreign money, or of receiving money on deposit to be transmitted to foreign countries,"

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 260, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend 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 June nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries

Senate Bill No 252, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations

Senate Bill No 206, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

On motion of Mr Klenert, the House then adjourned

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THURSDAY, April 11th, 1907

House met at 10 30 o'clock

Prayer was offered by Rev William T Donvard, of Stelton, N J

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Mead, Merz, Morris, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —54

Absent—

Messrs Burk, Crowther, Manson, Olwell, Sullivan, Tillman—6

Mr Klenert moved the reading of the Journal be dispensed with

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

That the minutes as printed in parts Nos 11, 12 and 13, be approved as printed with the following corrections On page 801, part 13, vote in the affirmative on Bill 410, change total vote from 28 to 32, add the names of Potter and Davison in the negative and change total vote from 18 to 20

Mr Morris offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the State printer be required to mail to each member of this House copies of the gummed titles in daily memorandum of bills that have not bee delivered while the House is in session, and be it further

Resolved, That the Clerk of this House be instructed to furnish the State printer a copy of this resolution

Mr Jess offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Whereas, The House has heard with deep regret of the critical illness of the Hon Peter Tillman, a member of the Assembly from Union county, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the House tender to Mr Tillman and his family the assurances of its sincere sympathy and express the earnest hope that he may speedily be restored to health

Mr Cattell offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to Hon Thomas M Ferrell, a former Senator of Gloucester

Mr Earle offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Frederick R Low and Arthur Corbin, members of the Board of Trade of Passaic, N J

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 11th, 1907

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 "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,

And

Senate Bill No 327, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A supplement to "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous,

malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating and brewed liquors,'" passed March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine," which supplement was approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

HOWARD L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 11th, 1907

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 344, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the erection of a monument on the battlefield of Monocacy, in the State of Maryland, to commemorate the services of the Fourteenth Regiment, New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, in the battle of Monocacy and thirty other engagements of the Civil War, and to appropriate money to pay the expense of erecting the same,'" approved April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

And

Assembly Bill No 433, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Kenilworth, in the county of Union,"

H L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 11th, 1907

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 (the Senate concurring), That the Governor be requested to return to the House of Assembly

Assembly Bill No 363, entitled "An act to authorize cities of this State through which any river, stream or creek runs, and into which the sewage of any city empties, to build and construct intercepting sewers, to receive all such sewage to be disposed of in such manner as shall be deemed proper, and to provide for the alteration of a general system of sewerage and drainage in cities, and to cleanse and otherwise improve such rivers, streams or creeks and to issue bonds to meet the expense of such work,"

And

Assembly Bill No 364, entitled "An act to enable cities to widen, deepen and improve the streams, creeks or rivers which are the outlets of the natural drainage or storm or surface water therein, and to erect retaining walls on the banks of the same, and to condemn lands along such streams, creeks or rivers necessary to carry into effect the provisions of this act, and to issue bonds for the cost of such improvement,"

H L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 11th, 1907

Mr Speaker

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following resolution

Be it resolved, by the Senate, the House of Assembly concurring, That House bills Nos 363 and 364, passed by the Senate yesterday, be returned to the Senate for further consideration,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

H. L TYLER,

Secretary of the Senate

The Senate message was then taken up, and

Senate Bill No 327, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A supplement to "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating and brewed liquors,'" ' passed March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine," which supplement was approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Senate Bill No 164, 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 Municipal Corporations

Mr Daab, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No 486, entitled "An act to amend an act passed March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, and entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act for the government and regulation of the State Prison,"'" passed April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Assembly Bill No 487, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish an excise department in cities of this

State,' " approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Assembly Bill No 500, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish public parks in certain counties of this State and to regulate the same,' " approved May sixth, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Assembly Bill No 502, entitled "A supplement to the act entitled 'An act concerning evidence (Revision of 1900),' " approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Assembly Bill No 491, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessments and water rates or water rents in cities of this State, and imposing and levying a tax, assessment and lien in lieu and instead of such arrearages, and to enforce the payment thereof and to provide for the sale of lands subjected to further taxation and assessment,' " passed March thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

Assembly Bill No 481, entitled "An act to establish a department for the supervision and inspection of electrical and gas equipment in cities of the first class in this State, to provide for the inspection of electrical and gas machines, meters and appliances, and for the appointment and duties of officers and inspectors therein, and for their compensation and terms of office,"

Assembly Bill No 494, entitled "An act concerning the abolition of grade crossings in cities of the second class,"

And

Senate Bill No 131, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' " which supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

With Senate amendments,

As correctly printed

Mr Morris, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No 326, entitled "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act regulating the granting by municipalities of consent to the use of streets, avenues, parks, parkways and other public places,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Alexander, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Senate Bill No 324, entitled "A further supplement to an act to provide for the appointment of a commission to revise and codify the law relating to master and servant," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Senate Bill No 308, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a parole agent for the State prison,'" approved May eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Senate Bill No 272, entitled "An act concerning the government of cities of the first class,"

Senate Bill No 276, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Senate Bill No 321, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the improvement of streets and highways in cities of this State and to provide for the payment of the expense of the same,'" approved June thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Senate Bill No 323, entitled "An act relating to the granting of licenses for the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors in municipalities in counties of the fourth class of this State,"

Senate Bill No 322, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two, by enabling the city councils thereof to authorize and regulate the erection of partition walls and fences,"

Senate Bill No 206, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'"

Senate Bill No 289, entitled "An act to confirm certain conveyances heretofore made by commissioners appointed in partition proceedings in the Orphans' Courts of this State,"

Senate Bill No 319, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the Orphans' Court and relating to the duties of the ordinary and the Orphans' Court and surrogates (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

And

Senate Concurrent Resolution No 3, entitled "Whereas, Many of the monopolies and combinations in restraint of trade that are doing business in the United States are credited by the general public to the State of New Jersey as the product of its corporation laws, therefore,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Groel, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Senate Bill No 309, 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,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Backus, Chairman of the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions, reported

Assembly Bill No 506, entitled "An act to incorporate as a borough by the name of the borough of Fairfield, a portion of the township of Caldwell, in the county of Essex, *provided,* a majority of all votes cast by the qualified voters within said portion of the township of Caldwell, upon the question of such incorporation, shall be in favor thereof, and to provide for the submission of said question to the qualified voters of said portion of the township of Caldwell,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Hendrickson offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. John A Dennen, a former member of this House

Mr Wright offered the following joint resolution, which was read and referred to Committee on Judiciary

Mr Cattell moved that the vote by which

Senate Bill No 175, entitled "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act concerning contagious and infectious diseases among animals and to repeal certain acts relating thereto,'" approved May fourth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

Was passed be reconsidered

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Barber, Breunig, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Daab, Davison, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—39

In the negative—None

Mr Cattell moved that

Senate Bill No 175, entitled "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act concerning contagious and infectious diseases among animals and to repeal certain acts relating thereto,'" approved May fourth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Cattell,

Senate Bill No 175, entitled "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act concerning contagious and infectious diseases

among animals and to repeal certain acts relating thereto,'" approved May fourth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

Was taken up, under suspension of the rules, read a second time, and the following amendment, offered by Mr Cattell, was read and adopted

In line nine, strike out the words "twenty-five," and insert in lieu thereof the word "twenty"

Mr Cattell moved that the rules be suspended, and that

Senate Bill No 175, entitled "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act concerning contagious and infectious diseases among animals and to repeal certain acts relating thereto,'" approved May fourth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

Be placed back on third reading at once

On motion of Mr Cattell,

Senate Bill No 175, entitled "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act concerning contagious and infectious diseases among animals and to repeal certain acts relating thereto,'" approved May fourth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr., Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Perkins, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—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

Mr Eppinger offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That Assembly Bill No 337 be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amending the title

Mr Tumulty offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the Senate be requested to return to the House Assembly Bill No 332 for further consideration

Mr Corish offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Elvin W Crane, a former member of this House, of Essex county.

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Senate Bill No 10, entitled "An act relating to telephone, electric light, heat and power companies,"

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amendment was offered by Committee on Corporations

At the end of line eleven, in section two, omit the period and add the following words "or shall condemn such right in the manner now provided by law"

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Senate Bill No 10, entitled "An act relating to telephone, electric light, heat and power companies,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

And

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 62, entitled "An act to amend 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate fees,"'" approved April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six, which supplement was approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

Mr Wright moved that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 271, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of speedways in the counties of this State,'" approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Was lost be reconsidered,

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Barber, Breunig, Buck, Cattell, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Fake, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Lillagore, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Perkins, Ridgway, Thompson, Wright, Jr —26

In the negative were—

Messrs Baader, Buxton, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Drake, Elvins, Eppinger, Firth, Gibbs, Hahn, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Stille—14

The Speaker declared the motion to reconsider lost

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Senate Bill No 105, entitled "An act concerning the sale of goods and to make uniform the law relating thereto,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Senate Bill No 106, entitled "An act concerning warehouse receipts and to make uniform the law relating thereto,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Jess,

Senate Bill No 91, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas (Revision of 1901),'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Devine,

Senate Bill No 209, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the infliction of the penalty of death,'" approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Chaplin,

Senate Bill No 220, entitled "An act relative to the power to impose and collect taxes in incorporated towns 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

On motion of Mr Irick,

Senate Bill No 248, entitled "An act providing for the pensioning of police officers in townships of this State, and regulating the method by which the same may be accepted and become operative therein,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Senate Bill No 249, entitled "An act concerning the clerk to the department for the assessment of benefits for local improvements in cities of the first class,"

Was taken up read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Barber,

Assembly Bill No 270, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Verona, in the county of Essex,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Barber,

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 255, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize cities to construct sewers and drains and to provide for the payment of the cost thereof,'" approved March eighth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Senate Bill No 273, entitled "An act to authorize cities owning their own water mains to lay or extend new or additional water mains, and to issue bonds in payment therefor,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Cattell,

Senate Bill No 286, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide means for protection against fires in townships,'" approved March tenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Taylor,

Senate Bill No 332, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the use of power vessels and boats navigating the waters within the jurisdiction of this State above tidewater, and to provide for the inspection and licensing of power vessels, their masters, pilots and engineers,'" approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Perkins,

Senate Bill No 309, 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, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Fake,

Senate Bill No 268, 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, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 167, entitled "An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of speedways in 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

On motion of Mr Auf der Heide,

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 323, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to improve the conditions of tenement-houses of this State and to establish a State board of tenement-house supervision,'" approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and four (P L, p 96),

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 350, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to incorporate trustees of religious societies,'" approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 505, entitled "An act to consolidate with and annex to the city of Newark, in the county of Essex, a part of the territory now embraced within the township of Belleville, in the

county of Essex, *provided,* a majority of the votes cast in said township upon the question of such annexation and consolidation shall be in favor thereof, and the mayor and common council of said city shall consent thereto,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 378, 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, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Assembly Bill No 393, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning disorderly persons (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Morris,

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 449, entitled "An act to consolidate with and annex to the town of Montclair, in the county of Essex, the territory embraced within the township of Verona, in the county of Essex, provided a majority of the votes cast in said town and in said township upon said annexation and consolidation shall be in favor thereof, and to provide for the submission of the said question to the voters of said town and said township,"

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amendments, proposed by Mr Morris, were read and adopted

In paragraph four, line three, insert before the word "in" the following words "or issue any death certificate"

On motion of Mr Morris,

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 449, entitled, "An act to consolidate with and annex to the town of Montclair, in the county of Essex, the territory embraced within the township of Verona, in the county of Essex, provided a majority of the votes cast in said town and in said township upon said annexation and consolidation shall be in favor thereof, and to provide for the submission of the said question to the voters of said town and said township,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Barber,

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 438, entitled "An act to fix the annual salary of the mayors of certain cities in this State,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Assembly Bill No 492, entitled "An act to provide for the payment of rewards to the widows and minor children of persons killed in the assisting of the police in municipalities,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Barber,

Senate Bill No 263, entitled "An act in relation to schools for industrial education in cities of the second class in this State,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Chaplin,

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 116, entitled "An act to establish a State Water-Supply Commission and to define its powers and duties and the conditions under which waters of this State may be diverted,"

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following committee amendments, proposed by the Committee on Judiciary, were read and adopted

Section two, "Nothing in this act contained shall be construed to take from any municipality in this State the right to use and take all the water which it has acquired the right to use or appropriate by purchase or condemnation"

Amend section three, line three, by inserting the words "source of" after the word "additional," line five, by striking out the word "legal," and insert the word "daily" in line six, after the word "gallons," line sixteen, after the word 'month," insert the words "as shown by existing records," line twenty-six, at the end of the line, insert the word "only," after the word "purposes"

The following amendments to Senate Bill No 116, offered by the Committee on Judiciary, were taken up, read by the Clerk and the Speaker declared the amendments lost

Amend section eight as follows Line four, by striking out the word "legally," line twenty-seven, by striking out the words "without pollution"

On motion of Mr Chaplin,

Assembly Bill No 449, entitled "An act to consolidate with and annex to the town of Montclair, in the county of Essex, the territory embraced within the township of Verona, in the county of Essex, provided a majority of the votes cast in said town and in said township upon said annexation and consolidation shall be in favor thereof, and to provide for the submission of the said question to the voters of said town and said township,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Fake,

Senate Bill No 295, entitled "An act to amend the title of an act entitled 'An act to ascertain the rights of the State and of the riparian owners in the lands lying under the waters of the bay of New York and elsewhere in this State,'" approved April eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four,

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amendments, proposed by Mr Alexander, were read and adopted

Add section two, as follows

2 No grant heretofore made under the act whose title is hereby amended shall be validated by this act, but all rights of the State at the date this act takes effect shall be preserved and be unaffected by this act

Make section two read section three

On motion of Mr Fake,

Senate Bill No 295, entitled "An act to amend the title of an act entitled 'An act to ascertain the rights of the State and of the riparian owners in the lands lying under the waters of the bay of New York and elsewhere in this State,'" approved April eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four,

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 Lane moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 348, entitled "An act to permit real estate belonging to any city of the first class, a portion or all of which is not required for the purposes for which it was acquired, to be used for a hospital for persons suffering from tuberculosis, and to provide for the maintenance and supervision of said hospital,"

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and that

Assembly Bill No 348, entitled "An act to permit real estate belonging to any city of the first class, a portion or all of which is not required for the purposes for which it was acquired, to be used for a hospital for persons suffering from tuberculosis, and to provide for the maintenance and supervision of said hospital,"

Be placed back on second reading,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 348, entitled "An act to permit real estate belonging to any city of the first class, a portion or all of which is not required for the purposes for which it was acquired, to be used for a hospital for persons suffering from tuberculosis, and to provide for the maintenance and supervision of said hospital,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

Mr Klenert moved the House be placed under call, which motion was carried

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Ji , Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr , Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlaicom, Wright, Ji —55

Absent—

Messrs Buik, Crowther, Manson, Pawelski, Tillman—5

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 348, entitled "An act to permit real estate belonging to any city of the first class, a portion or all of which is not required for the purposes for which it was acquired, to be used for a hospital for persons suffering from tuberculosis, and to provide for the maintenance and supervision of said hospital,"

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 Alexander, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Buck, Cattell, Chaplin, Daab, Davison, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr , Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker),

Mead, Meiz, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlaicom, Wiight, Ji —37

In the negative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Brady, Buxton, Devine, Ji , Fake, Gibbs, Holcombe, Lewis, Lillagore, Olwell, Riordan, Sullivan, Taylor—16

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 69, entitled "An amendment to 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,

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Davison, Eppinger, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr , Holzapfel, Lewis, Mead. Perkins, Riordan, Sullivan, Wiight, Jr —18

In the negative were—

Messrs Baader, Baker, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Devine, Jr , Earle, Elvins, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Haines, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lillagore, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—28

The Speaker thereupon declared the bill lost

On motion of Mi Alexander,

Assembly Bill No 137, entitled "An act for the sale in fee of land purchased by any taxing district for taxes, assessments or water rents (Revision of 1905),"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Buck, Buxton, Chaplin, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Merz, Moxon, Riordan, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlaicom—33

In the negative were—

Messrs Brady, Cattell, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Klenert, Mead, Morris, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Wright, Jr—15

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 411, entitled "An act to amend '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 supplement was approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Daab, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lewis, Lillagore, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlaicom—43

In the negative were—

Messrs Baader, Breunig, Groel, Hahn, Lane, Mead—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

On motion of Mr Moxon,

Assembly Bill No 374, entitled "An act to aid by an appropriation of State funds the erection and dedication of a monument to commemorate the services rendered by Abraham Clark, one of the New Jersey signers of the declaration of independence,"

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 Auf der Heide, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Daab, Davison, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Frith, Gibbs, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty—40

In the negative were—

Messrs Baader, Corish, Gioel, Hahn, Klenert, Mead, Morris, Sullivan, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Hahn, the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 137, entitled "An act for the sale in fee of land purchased by any taxing district for taxes, assessments or water rents (Revision of 1905),"

Was passed be reconsidered,

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Baader, Barber, Brady, Breunig, Buxton, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Frith, Gibbs, Gioel, Hahn, Haines, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—39

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Baker, Blohm, Buck, Chaplin, Davison, Devine, Jr, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Lillagore, Olwell, Riordan, Sullivan—13

Mr Daab asked that consent be granted to introduce a bill, which was granted

Mr Daab, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 509, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of medicine and surgery, to license physicians and surgeons and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,'" approved May twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,

Which 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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 11th, 1907

Mr Speaker

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has concurred in the following House concurrent resolutions

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That Assembly Bill No 332 be recalled from the Senate

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That Assembly Bill No 337 be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amending the title

H L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 11th, 1907

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 178, 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 of said violations,"

And

Senate Bill No 362, entitled "An act to make the proceedings of the Department of New Jersey of the Grand Army of the Republic a part of the military archives of the State, and to provide for the printing of the same,"

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

HOWARD L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

The Senate message was then taken up, and

Senate Bill No 178, 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 of said violations,"

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 362, entitled "An act to make the proceedings of the Department of New Jersey of the Grand Army of the Republic a part of the military archives of the State, and to provide for the printing of the same,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Militia

Mr Daab, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No 440, entitled "An act providing for the establishment of evening schools for foreign residents in the State of New Jersey,"

Assembly Bill No 464, entitled "An act to amend chapter one hundred and thirteen of the session laws of one thousand nine hundred and six, 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, defining 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,' "

Assembly Bill No 493, entitled "An act to authorize cities to issue bonds to obtain money to rebuild sewers,"

Assembly Bill No 497, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),' " approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

And

Assembly Bill No 501 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,

As correctly printed

On motion of Mr Klenert, the House took a recess until 2 30 o'clock P M

AFTERNOON SESSION

The House reconvened at 2 30 o'clock P M

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barbei, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr , Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr , Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —57

Absent—

Messrs Burk, Drake, Tillman—3

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Assembly Bill No 427, entitled "An act to change the name of Samuel Smilovitz,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Blohm, Brady, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr , Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —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

On motion of Mr Pawelski,

Assembly Bill No 352, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning superintendents of indoor relief in cities of this State,'" approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Buck, Buxton, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Drake, Earle, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Irick, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Manson, Mead, Meiz, Olwell, Pawelski, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—32

In the negative were—

Messrs Cattell, Davison, Eppinger, Hahn, Holzapfel, Moxon, Perkins, Riordan, Thompson, Potter—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 Olwell asked that by unanimous consent

Assembly Bill No 453, entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the planting and care of shade trees on the highways of the municipalities of this State,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three,

Be withdrawn from the files of the House, which request was granted

Mr Sullivan asked that by unanimous consent

Assembly Bill No 462, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning idiots and lunatics,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Be withdrawn from the files of the House, which request was granted

Mr Drake offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Philip Walch, a former member of this House, from the county of Essex

Mr Daab, Chairman of the Committeee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No 498, entitled "An act authorizing the division of townships into water districts for the purpose of supplying water within such districts for fire purposes, and the election of water commissioners in said district,"

And

Assembly committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 62, entitled "An act to amend 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate fees,"' " approved April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six, which supplement was approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

As correctly printed.

Mr Backus, Chairman of the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions, reported

Assembly Bill No 490, entitled "An act to amend the act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),'" approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Hendrickson, Chairman of the Committee on Treasurer's Accounts, reported

Senate Bill No 362, entitled "An act to make the proceedings of the Department of New Jersey of the Grand Army of the Republic a part of the military archives of the State, and to provide for the printing of the same,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Morris, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No 164, 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,

Favorably, without amendment

On motion of Mr Groel,

Assembly Bill No 401, 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, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Olwell, Pawelski, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlaricom, Wright, Jr —48

In the negative were—

Messrs Firth, Hendrickson, Jr, Morris, Moxon, Perkins, Potter —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

Mr Riordan offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved (the Senate concurring), The Governor be and he is hereby requested to return to the House Assembly Bill No 405

On motion of Mr Crowther,

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 310, entitled "An act to enable any municipality of this State to grant permission to any duly incorporated ferry company to use the foot of any public street or streets ending on the tidal waters of this State as a terminal for a public ferry,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Fuith, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Kleneit, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Sullivan, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlaicom, Wright, Jr—33.

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Fake, Gibbs, Haines, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor—25

Mr Fake offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon John M Bell, a former member of this House

Mr Riordan, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No 430, entitled "An act for the taxation of the franchise of all persons, copartnerships, associations or corporations using or occupying public streets, highways, roads or other public places, except municipal, and corporations taxable under the act entitled 'An act for the taxation of railroad and canal property,' " approved April tenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, or any of the supplements or amendments thereto,

And

Senate Bill No 307, entitled "An act to provide for the construction of storage reservoirs, the control of flood waters, and the maintenance and regulation of water-supply districts, when established by law,"

Favorably, without amendment,

And

Senate Bill No 24, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to repeal an act entitled "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 eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three, and being chapter one hundred and eighty-two of the laws of one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Adversely

On motion of Mr Smalley,

Senate Bill No 232, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for drainage and sewerage in the cities of this State,'" approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Smalley,

Senate Bill No 287, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),'"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—51

In the negative was—

Mr Thompson—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

On motion of Mr Crowther,

Senate Bill No 186, entitled "An act authorizing an instrument affecting lands, tenements and hereditaments within this State, heretofore duly recorded as a release, to be recorded as a deed of conveyance in the proper office by recording a certified copy of the record 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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz Morris, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—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

Senate amendments to

Senate Bill No 179, 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,

Were taken up on third reading, and the Speaker put the question, "Shall the Senate amendments be concurred in?" on which question the ayes and nays were taken with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Wright, Jr—49

In the negative—None

The Speaker declared the amendments concurred in

On motion of Mr Fake,

Senate Bill No 298, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide for the permanent improvement of public roads in this State (Revision of 1905),"' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and five," which supplement was approved May second, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish,

Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—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

Mr Alexander moved that

Senate Bill No 24, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to repeal an act entitled "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 eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three, and being chapter one hundred and eighty-two of the laws of one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Be placed on second reading,

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Cattell, Corrish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Sullivan, Thompson, Tumulty, Wright, Jr—28

In the negative were—

Messrs Baader, Breunig, Buck, Buxton, Chaplin, Crowther, Davison, Drake, Earle, Gibbs, Haines, Holcombe, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Moxon, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, VanBlarcom—30

The Speaker declared the motion lost

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No 75, entitled "An act concerning free public libraries in certain cities of this State,"

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Baader, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Haines, Klenert, Merz, Pawelski, Taylor, VanBlarcom—11

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Drake, Elvins, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Moxon, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Thompson, Tumulty, Wright, Jr—43

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No 76, entitled "An act concerning public parks in certain cities of this State,"

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Baader, Backus, Brady, Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Klenert, Pawelski, Riordan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—14

In the negative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Burk, Cattell, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Elvins, Gibbs, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Wright, Jr—32

On motion of Mr Drake,

Senate Bill No 86, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate fences in cities of this State,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Firth, Gioel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlaricom, Wright, Jr—49

In the negative were—

Messrs Baader, Davison, Gibbs, Thompson—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

Mr Alexander moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 9, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to revise and amend an act for the taxation of railroad and canal property,'" approved April tenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, which act was approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Was passed to third reading be reconsidered, and be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

Mr Alexander moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 10, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was passed to third reading be reconsidered, and be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Lillagore,

Senate Bill No 193, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the government and regulation of the State prison,'" approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Frith, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —58

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same

Mr Daab, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly amendments to Senate committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 116, entitled "An act to establish a State Water-Supply Commission and to define its powers and duties and the conditions under which waters of this State may be diverted,"

As correctly printed

On motion of Mr Barber,

Senate Bill No 223, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the pen-

sioning of school teachers in this State," approved March fifth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' " approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Buik, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—52

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same

Mr Perkins asked that by unanimous consent

Assembly Bill No 388, entitled "Supplement to 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,

Be withdrawn from the files of the House, which request was granted

On motion of Mr Perkins,

Assembly Bill No 295, entitled "An act to set off territory from the borough of Mountainside, in the county of Union, and annex the same to the town of Westfield, in said county,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —52

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Senate Bill No 273, entitled "An act to authorize cities owning their own water mains to lay or extend new or additional water mains, and to issue bonds in payment therefor,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —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

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 9, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to revise and amend an act for the taxation of railroad and canal property,'" approved April tenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, which act was approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amendment, proposed by Mr Alexander, was read and adopted

Section one, line ten, strike out the words "one-third" and insert in place thereof the words "one-half"

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 9, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to revise and amend an act for the taxation of railroad and canal property,'" approved April tenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, which act was approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-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 Alexander moved that

Assembly Bill No 9, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to revise and amend an act for the taxation of railroad and canal property,'" approved April tenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, which act was approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Be placed on third reading at once,

Which motion was carried

Mr Alexander then moved that

Assembly Bill No 9, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to revise and amend an act for the taxation of railroad and canal property,'" approved April tenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, which act was approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Lay on the table, and on motion of Mr Barber the ayes and nays were called for with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—31

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Fake, Gibbs, Haines, Irick, Jones, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson—27

The Speaker declared the motion to lay on the table carried

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported favorably the

Resolution appointing committee to investigate charges of waste and extravagance in the various State departments

On motion of Mr Holcombe,

Assembly Bill No 342, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of goods, wares and merchandise in the several municipalities of this State,'" approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six (P L 1906, p 201),

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Stille, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—33

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Drake, Fake, Firth, Haines, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson—23

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Holcombe,

Assembly Bill No 343, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of goods, wares and merchandise in the several municipalities of this State,'" approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six (P L 1906, p 199),

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Stille, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—34

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Davison, Gibbs, Haines, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Lillagore, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson—21

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 10, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amendment, proposed by Mr Hendrickson, was read and adopted

Section two, line nine, strike out the words "one-third" and insert in place thereof the words "one-half"

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 10, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—31

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Davison, Devine, Jr, Elvins, Fake, Gibbs, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Lillagore, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson—24

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 9, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to revise and amend an act for the taxation of railroad and canal property,'" approved April tenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, which act was approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holz-

apfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—31

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Gibbs, Haines, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Lillagore, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson—25

On motion of Mr Taylor, the vote be reconsidered by which

Senate Bill No 24, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to repeal an act entitled "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 eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three, and being chapter one hundred and eighty-two of the laws of one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Was not placed on second reading

On motion of Mr Perkins, the motion of Mr Taylor be indefinitely postponed,

Which motion was lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Buck, Buxton, Chaplin, Drake, Earle, Gibbs, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Moxon, Pawelski, Perkins, Riordan, VanBlarcom—13

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Cattell, Colish, Daab Davison, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lillagore, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, Wright, Jr—39

On motion of Mr Taylor,

Senate Bill No 24, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to repeal an act entitled "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 eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three, and being chapter one hundred and eighty-two of the laws of one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Senate Bill No 24, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to repeal an act entitled "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 eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three, and being chapter one hundred and eighty-two of the laws of one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Be placed on third reading at once,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Taylor,

Senate Bill No 24, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to repeal an act entitled "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 eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three, and being chapter one hundred and eighty-two of the laws of one thousand nine hundred and three,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Mead, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, Wright, Jr—45

In the negative were—

Messrs Buck, Chaplin, Davison, Earle, Firth, Gibbs, Holcombe, Irick, Manson, Metz, Pawelski, Perkins, Riordan, Van-Blarcom—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

On motion of Mr Taylor, shall the report of committee on

Senate Bill No 24, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to repeal an act entitled "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 eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three, and being chapter one hundred and eighty-two of the laws of one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Be concurred in,

Which motion was lost

On motion of Mr Alexander, shall

Senate Bill No 24, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to repeal an act entitled "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 eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three, and being chapter one hundred and eighty-two of the laws of one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Have a third reading,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Senate Bill No 272, entitled "An act concerning the government of cities of the first class,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Davi-

son, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Firth, Gibbs, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—46

In the negative were—

Messrs Baader, Backus, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Gioel, Hahn, Lane, Mead, Wright, Jr —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

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 508, entitled "An act to defray the incidental expenses of the Legislature of New Jersey for the session of one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Was recommitted to committee

Mr Tumulty moved the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 75, 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 lost be reconsidered

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Hahn, Haines, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —32

In the negative were—

Messrs Baader, Backus, Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Davison, Devine, Jr, Elvins, Gibbs, Gioel, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lethbridge

(Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Potter, Riordan, Stille, Thompson—26

The Speaker declared the motion carried

Mr Tumulty moved that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 76, entitled "An 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,

Was lost be reconsidered

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Hahn, Haines, Holzapfel, Irick, Klenert, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Taylor, Tumulty—32

In the negative were—

Messrs Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Davison, Elvins, Hendrickson, Jr, Jess, Jones, Lillagore, Manson, Stille, Thompson, VanBlarcom—14

The Speaker declared the motion carried

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No 75, entitled "An act concerning free public libraries in certain cities of this State,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Hahn, Haines, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Manson, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—31

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Davison, Devine, Jr, Elvins, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Mead, Moxon, Potter, Stille, Thompson—27

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No 76, entitled "An act concerning public parks in certain cities of this State,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Breunig, Buck, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Haines, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Mead, Morris, Pawelski, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, Van-Blarcom, Wright, Jr—32

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Davison, Elvins, Gibbs, Hendrickson, Jr, Jess, Jones, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lillagore, Manson, Moxon, Potter, Thompson—18

On motion of Mr Stille,

Senate Bill No 285, entitled "An act providing for a survey or surveys to show the amount of dredging necessary to deepen the channels of the inland waterways extending from Cape May to Bay Head along the Atlantic coast and for estimates of the cost of deepening the same and appropriating five thousand dollars to defray the expenses of such surveys and estimates,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom—53

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same.

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 11th, 1907

Mr Speaker

I am directed by the Senate to intoim the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bill

Assembly Bill No 65, entitled "An act to regulate railroads and other common carriers in this State, creating a State board of commissioners to regulate and police railroads and other common carriers in this State, said board so created to be known as the 'State Board of Commissioners of Railroads and Public Utilities,' giving to them an official seal, to fix their salaries, define their powers (including among said powers the power to issue compulsory processes and use contempt proceedings), to prescribe their term of office, and the mode of the procedure and the rules of evidence to govern said board in the conduct of their hearings and in certain other of their proceedings, to prescribe penalties for the disobeying or contempt of the processes and orders of the

said board of railroad commissioners, and providing, further, for any other matters to make efficient such a board so established to police and regulate railroads,"

With Senate substitute,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

H L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 10th, 1907

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 304, entitled "An act to provide for the election of a mayor in incorporated towns of this State and to regulate his duties and term of office,"

With Senate amendment,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

HOWARD L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 10th, 1907

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 165, 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 189, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of sewer commissioners in cities of this State,"

Senate Bill No 190, entitled "An act providing for the construction of sewers and sewer systems in cities of this State and the issuance of bonds for the cost thereof, and providing for collecting rentals for the use of such sewer and sewer systems,"

Senate Bill No 247, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Senate Bill No 259, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable and empower cities to construct, maintain and operate a municipal light, heat and power plant or plants and to purchase all necessary real estate and works and machinery for supplying light, heat and power for public and private use in such city,'" approved July fifth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Senate Bill No 330, 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 Joint Resolution No 9, entitled "Joint resolution concerning the investigation of live-stock raising in New Jersey, providing for a commission to study a method whereby the industry can be improved through the purchase by the State of blooded animals, and providing for a method for the distribution throughout the State and the promotion of live-stock raising by the agriculturists of the State, and to recommend such laws to the next Legislature that will enable the State to carry such a plan into effect,"

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

HOWARD L TYLER,

Secretary of the Senate

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 10th, 1907

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 355, entitled "An act to authorize the city council or other governing body of any city in this State bordering on an arm of the sea or other navigable stream, or through which a navigable stream shall run, to purchase or condemn lands thereon, or to use and devote such lands already acquired on such arm of the sea or other navigable stream for the purpose of erecting, constructing and maintaining one or more public docks, wharves or piers, to be used in whole or in part for recreation purposes, to issue bonds for the purpose of securing money to pay for the lands purchased and for the construction of said docks, wharves or piers,"

Assembly Bill No 363, entitled "An act to authorize cities of this State through which any river, stream or creek runs, and into which the sewage of any city empties, to build and construct intercepting sewers, to receive all such sewage to be disposed of in such manner as shall be deemed proper, and to provide for the alteration of a general system of sewerage and drainage in cities, and to cleanse and otherwise improve such rivers, streams or creeks and to issue bonds to meet the expense of such work,"

And

Assembly Bill No 364, entitled "An act to enable cities to widen, deepen and improve the streams, creeks or rivers which are the outlets of the natural drainage or storm or surface water therein, and to erect retaining walls on the banks of the same, and to condemn lands along such streams, creeks or rivers necessary to carry into effect the provisions of this act, and to issue bonds for the cost of such improvement,"

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

HOWARD L. TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

The Senate message was then taken up, and

Senate Bill No. 247, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws.

Senate Bill No. 259, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable and empower cities to construct, maintain and operate a municipal light, heat and power plant or plants and to purchase all necessary real estate and works and machinery for supplying light, heat and power for public and private use in such city,'" approved July fifth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 190, entitled "An act providing for the construction of sewers and sewer systems in cities of this State and the issuance of bonds for the cost thereof, and providing for collecting rentals for the use of such sewers and sewer systems,"

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. 165, 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.

Senate Bill No. 331, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the recovery of damages in cases where the death of a person is caused by a wrongful act, neglect or default," approved March third, one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight,'" which amendatory act was approved March thirty-first, 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 Judiciary.

Senate Bill No 189, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of sewer commissioners in cities of this State,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations

Senate Joint Resolution No 9, entitled "Joint Resolution concerning the investigation of live-stock raising in New Jersey, providing for a commission to study a method whereby the industry can be improved through the purchase by the State of blooded animals, and providing for a method for the distribution throughout the State and the promotion of live-stock raising by the agriculturists of the State, and to recommend such laws to the next Legislature that will enable the State to carry such a plan into effect

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws

Mr Elvins, of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Senate Bill No 266, entitled "An act to consolidate with and annex to the city of Camden, in the county of Camden, the territory embraced within the borough of Wood Lynne, in the county of Camden, provided a majority of the votes cast in said borough upon the question of such annexation and consolidation shall be in favor thereof, and the mayor and common council of said city shall consent thereto,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Assembly Bill No 509, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of medicine and surgery, to license physicians and surgeons and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,'" approved May twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,

Favorably, without amendment

Senate Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 65, entitled "An act to regulate railroads and other common carriers in this State, creating a State board of commissioners to regulate and police railroads and other com-

mon carriers in this State, said board so created to be known as the 'State Board of Commissioners of Railroads and Public Utilities,' giving to them an official seal, to fix their salaries, define their powers (including among said powers the power to issue compulsory processes and use contempt proceedings), to prescribe their term of office, and the mode of the procedure and the rules of evidence to govern said board in the conduct of their hearings and in certain other of their proceedings, to prescribe penalties for the disobeying or contempt of the processes and orders of the said board of railroad commissioners, and providing, further, for any other matters to make efficient such a board so established to police and regulate railroads,"

Was taken up on second reading

On motion of Mr Alexander, that Senate committee substitute for Assembly Bill No 65 be concurred in without reference,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Klenert, that Senate committee substitute for Assembly Bill No 65 be not concurred in, and that a conference committee be appointed,

Which motion was carried by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlaicom, Wright, Jr—33

In the negative were—

Messrs Baker, Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Davison, Elvins, Gibbs, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson—24

Mr Alexander offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the House having refused to concur in the Senate committee substitute for Assembly Bill No 65, conference be re-

quested with the Senate on said bill, and that a committee of three be appointed to confer with a like committee from the Senate

The Speaker thereupon appointed Messrs Alexander, Klenert and Wright

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No 379, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to license graduate nurses in the State of New Jersey, and providing penalties for violations of its provisions,'" approved April seventh, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Were taken up on third reading, and

The Speaker put the question, "Shall the Senate amendments be concurred in?"

On which question the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—52

In the negative—None

The Speaker thereupon declared the amendments concurred in

Mr Hendrickson asked consent to introduce a joint resolution,

Which was granted

Mr Hendrickson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Joint Resolution No 5,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Mr Daab moved that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 337, entitled "An act providing for the reimprovement of any street, avenue, road or highway, or the portion of such street, avenue, road or highway, lying in part only in one town, township or borough, which has heretofore been improved and for which improvement assessments for benefits have been heretofore levied and imposed, and for the issue of bonds to pay for said reimprovement,"

Was passed be reconsidered

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Blohm, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr , Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr , Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Kleneit, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Van-Blarcom—43

In the negative—None

The Speaker declared the motion carried

Mr Daab then moved that

Assembly Bill No 337, entitled "An act providing for the reimprovement of any street, avenue, road or highway, or the portion of such street, avenue, road or highway, lying in part only in one town, township or borough, which has heretofore been improved and for which improvement assessments for benefits have been heretofore levied and imposed, and for the issue of bonds to pay for said reimprovement,"

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Daab,

Assembly Bill No 337, entitled "An act providing for the reimprovement of any street, avenue, road or highway, or the portion of such street, avenue, road or highway, lying in part only

in one town, township or borough, which has heretofore been improved and for which improvement assessments for benefits have been heretofore levied and imposed, and for the issue of bonds to pay for said reimprovement,"

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amendments, proposed by Mr Daab, were read and adopted

Amend title on second line, after the word "lying," by inserting the words "in whole or "

Amend section four, line twenty-three, after the word "lying," by inserting the words "in whole or "

Amend section four, line twenty-eight, after the word "lying," by inserting the words "in whole or "

On motion of Mr Daab,

Assembly Bill No 337, entitled "An act providing for the reimprovement of any street, avenue, road or highway, or the portion of such street, avenue, road or highway, lying in part only in one town, township or borough, which has heretofore been improved and for which improvement assessments for benefits have been heretofore levied and imposed, and for the issue of bonds to pay for said reimprovement,"

As amended,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Corish, Chowther, Daab, Devine, Jr , Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Groel, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—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

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No 355, entitled "An act to authorize the city council or other governing body of any city in this State bordering on an arm of the sea or other navigable stream, or through which a navigable stream shall run, to purchase or condemn lands thereon, or to use and devote such lands already acquired on such arm of the sea or other navigable stream for the purpose of erecting, constructing and maintaining one or more public docks, wharves or piers, to be used in whole or in part for recreation purposes, to issue bonds for the purpose of securing money to pay for the lands purchased and for the construction of said docks, wharves or piers,"

Were taken up on third reading, and the Speaker put the question, "Shall the Senate amendments be concurred in?"

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom—44

In the negative—None

The Speaker declared the amendments concurred in

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No 363, entitled "An act to authorize cities of this State through which any river, stream or creek runs, and into which the sewage of any city empties, to build and construct intercepting sewers, to receive all such sewage to be disposed of in such manner as shall be deemed proper, and to provide for the alteration of a general system of sewerage and drainage in cities, and to cleanse and otherwise improve such rivers, streams or creeks and to issue bonds to meet the expense of such work,"

Were taken up on third reading, and the Speaker put the question, "Shall the Senate amendments be concurred in?"

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Fake, Groel, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, VanBlaricom—46

In the negative—None

The Speaker declared the amendments concurred in

Senate amendment to

Assembly Bill No 364, entitled "An act to enable cities to widen, deepen and improve the streams, creeks or rivers which are the outlets of the natural drainage or storm or surface water therein, and to erect retaining walls on the banks of the same, and to condemn lands along such streams, creeks or rivers necessary to carry into effect the provisions of this act, and to issue bonds for the cost of such improvement"

Was taken up on third reading, and the Speaker put the question, "Shall the Senate amendment be concurred in?"

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Groel, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Morris, Moxon, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlaricom—44

The Speaker declared the amendment concurred in

On motion of Mr Klenert, the House took a recess until 9 30.

EVENING SESSION

The House reconvened at 9 30 o'clock P M

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Haines, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —52

Absent—

Messrs Brady, Devine, Jr, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Lane, Jones, Tillman—8

A message was received from the Governor, by the hands of Mr Gray, his Secretary

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Assembly

I have the honor to transmit herewith for your consideration the report of the commission appointed under Joint Resolution No 8, approved May twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and six, to consider and report upon the whole system of municipal government in this State

Respectfully,

E C STOKES,

Governor

The Governor's message was then taken up

Mr Klenert moved it be spread in full upon the minutes and that five hundred copies be printed

On motion of Mr Barber,

Senate Bill No 239, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to create the office of Commissioner of Charities and Cor-

rections and to define his powers and duties,'" approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Haines, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Elvins,

Senate Bill No 179, 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, 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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Hahn, Haines, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Perkins,

Senate Bill No 182, entitled "An act extending the time for the completion of certain water works, pipes, mains and conduits,"

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 Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom—39

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Groel, Hahn, Lane, Olwell—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

On motion of Mr Backus,

Assembly Bill No 316, 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, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lilla-

gore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom—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 Houes of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

On motion of Mr Perkins,

Senate Bill No 83, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation of pathological and anatomical associations for the advancement of medical and surgical science,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Smalley,

Senate Bill No 267, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and ninety-eight,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Drake,

Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Hahn, Haines, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom—39

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Corish, Lane—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

On motion of Mr Smalley,

Senate Bill No 26, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize any town, village or municipality governed by a board of commissioners, or improvement commission, to lay out, open, widen, alter and vacate streets, roads or avenues, and to locate and construct sewers, and to acquire lands and buildings, or parts thereof, by purchase or condemnation, for such purposes,'" approved April thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Cattell,

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 39, entitled "An act to annex to the city of Woodbury, in the county of Gloucester, a portion of the township of West Deptford, in said county,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Firth, Haines, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Morris, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Senate Bill No 276, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Hahn, Haines, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—40

In the negative was—

Mr Morris—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

Mr Jess moved that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 469, entitled "An act to regulate the practice of osteopathy in the State of New Jersey and to provide for a State Board of Osteopathic Examiners, and to license osteopathic physicians to practice in this State, and punish persons violating the provisions of this act,"

Was amended be reconsidered

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Baker, Devine, Jr, Earle, Firth, Jess, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Taylor—8

In the negative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Baader, Barber, Blohm, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Davison, Drake, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, VanBlarcom—34

The Speaker declared the motion to reconsider lost

On motion of Mr Chaplin,

Senate Bill No 149, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to enable boards of chosen freeholders to acquire, improve and maintain public roads,'" approved March nineteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Hahn, Haines, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway,

Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Senate Bill No 74, entitled "An act to encourage the celebration of flag day in the public schools of this State,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Barber, Blohm, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr., Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Hahn, Haines, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—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

Mr Olwell offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That House bills Nos 249 and 250 be recalled from the Governor

On motion of Mr Fake,

Senate Bill No 126, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the infliction of the penalty of death,'" approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Barber, Blohm, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Hahn, Haines, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Taylor,

Senate Bill No 136, entitled "An act to extend the territorial boundaries of the borough of Seaside Park, in the county of Ocean, by the annexation of a portion of the township of Berkeley, in said county,"

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 Baader, Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Fake, Haines, Holcombe, Irick, Jess, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Merz, Moxon, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom—31

In the negative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Blohm, Daab, Hahn, Holzapfel, Mead, Morris, Sullivan—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

On motion of Mr Taylor,

Senate Bill No 137, entitled "An act to extend the territorial boundaries of the borough of Seaside Park, in the county of

Ocean, by the annexation of a portion of the territory of the State of New Jersey,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Barber, Blohm, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Ji , Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Haines Hendrickson, Jr , Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom—46

In the negative were—

Messrs Mead, Morris—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

On motion of Mr Fake,

Senate Bill No 362, entitled "An act to make the proceedings of the Department of New Jersey of the Grand Army of the Republic a part of the military archives of the State, and to provide for the printing of the same,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Fake,

Senate Bill No 362, entitled "An act to make the proceedings of the Department of New Jersey of the Grand Army of the Republic a part of the military archives of the State, and to provide for the printing of the same,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish,

Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Iiick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom—50

In the negative—None

Mr Riordan, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No 280, entitled "An act relating to persons or corporations engaged in the business of transmitting money to foreign countries, or of buying or selling foreign money, or of receiving money on deposit to be transmitted to foreign countries,"

With committee amendment

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Senate Bill No 251, entitled "An act for the relief of Frank O Briggs, former State Treasurer,"

Senate Bill No 14, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase of voting machines and to regulate the use of same at elections,'" approved April twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Senate Bill No 178, 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 of said violations,"

And

Senate Bill No 190, entitled "An act providing for the construction of sewers and sewer systems in cities of this State and the issuance of bonds for the cost thereof, and providing for collecting rentals for the use of such sewers and sewer systems,"

Favorably, without amendment

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 508, entitled "An act to defray the incidental expenses of the Legislature of New Jersey for the session of one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amendments, proposed by Mr Wright, were read and adopted

Amend Item No 66, by striking out words in second line of said item, "House of Assembly," and insert in lieu thereof the words "the members of the Legislature"

Add the following after Item No 132

Item No 133 To Patrick Whalen, for traveling expenses as Sergeant-at-Arms of the House of Assembly, for the session of one thousand nine hundred and seven, fifty-five dollars ($55)

Item No 134 To William H Post, for traveling expenses as Bill Clerk of the House of Assembly, for the session one thousand nine hundred and seven, sixty-nine dollars ($69)

Item No 135 To Frank Hague, Sergeant-at-Arms of the House of Assembly, for expenses for postage and executing warrants of Speaker for absentees, for the session one thousand nine hundred and seven, eighty-nine dollars ($89)

Item No 136 To Joseph Fletcher, for extra services rendered House of Assembly as Postmaster, for the session one thousand nine hundred and seven, fifty dollars ($50)

Item No 137 Elmer Day, for extra services rendered the House of Assembly as Postmaster, for the session one thousand nine hundred and seven, fifty dollars ($50)

Item No 138 To John P Kerwin, for traveling expenses as Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms of the House of Assembly, for the session one thousand nine hundred and seven, twenty-seven dollars and sixty cents ($27 60)

Item No 139 To Michael W Higgins, for traveling expenses as Clerk of the House of Assembly, for the session one thousand nine hundred and seven, seven dollars and twenty cents ($7 20)

Item No 140 To Daniel A Dugan, for traveling expenses as Private Secretary to the Speaker of the House of Assembly, one

thousand nine hundred and seven, twelve dollars and fifty cents ($12 50)

Mr Alexander, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Senate Joint Resolution No 9, entitled "Joint Resolution concerning the investigation of live-stock raising in New Jersey, providing for a commission to study a method whereby the industry can be improved through the purchase by the State of blooded animals, and providing for a method for the distribution throughout the State and the promotion of live-stock raising by the agriculturists of the State, and to recommend such laws to the next Legislature that will enable the State to carry such a plan into effect,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Olwell, for the Committee on Incidental Expenses, reported

Assembly Bill No 508, entitled "An act to defray the incidental expenses of the Legislature of New Jersey for the session of one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

With amendments, favorably

Mr Morris, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No 189, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of sewer commissioners in cities of this State,"

Favorably

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 508, entitled "An act to defray the incidental expenses of the Legislature of New Jersey for the session of one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

As amended,

Was 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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 11th, 1907

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 89, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the formation and government of villages,'" approved February twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one,

Senate Bill No 281, entitled "An act to authorize townships to purchase and acquire sewers and to provide for the payment of the expense incurred,"

Assembly Bill No 328, entitled "An act providing for the copying and transferring of records of deeds, mortgages and returns of roads, located and recorded in any county of this State, which has been set off from any other county, and the deposit of such transferred records in the proper office of the county where said lands and roads are now situated,"

Senate Bill No 339, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to abolish the State Board of Taxation and create in lieu thereof a board for equalization, revision, review and enforcement of tax assessments,'" approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Senate Bill No 352, entitled "An act to annex to the town of Montclair, in the county of Essex, a part or portion of the township of Acquackanonk and Little Falls, in the county of Passaic,"

Senate Bill No 358, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the formation and government of villages,'" approved February twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one,

Senate Bill No 360, entitled "An act to appropriate money for erecting a revolutionary monument at Orange,"

And

Senate Joint Resolution No 11, entitled "Joint Resolution establishing a fund to be used in the discretion of the Governor for aiding in detecting and suppressing crime,"

Senate Bill No 351, entitled "An act relating to recorders in this State,"

Senate Bill No 348, entitled "An act prohibiting the sale by any city of this State of its municipal water, light, heat, power or other public utility plant or plants, except by assent of a majority of the legal voters of said city voting at a special election to be held therein,"

Senate Bill No 347, entitled "An act for the government of the State prison to better the condition of prisoners upon their discharge,"

Senate Bill No 341, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to prevent deception in the sale of oleomargarine, butterine or any imitation of dairy products and to preserve the public health,' " approved the twenty-second day of March, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

Senate Bill No 320, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act concerning the government of certain cities in this State and constituting a board of finance and a police board and other officers therein, and defining the powers and duties of such boards, and relating to the municipal affairs and departments of such cities placed under the control and management of such boards, and providing for the maintenance of said boards,' " approved April twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Senate Bill No. 293, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the formation, establishment and government of towns,' " approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Senate Bill No 279, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating fraternal beneficiary societies, orders or associations,' " approved March eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three,

Senate Bill No 259, entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable and empower cities to construct, maintain and operate a municipal light, heat and power plant or plants and to purchase all necessary real estate and works and machinery for

supplying light, heat and power for public and private use in such cities,' " approved July fifth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Senate Bill No 288, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),' " approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Senate Bill No 289, entitled "An act to confirm certain conveyances heretofore made by commissioners appointed in partition proceedings in the Orphans' Courts of this State,"

Senate Bill No 358, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the formation and government of villages,' " approved February twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one,

Assembly Bill No 443, entitled "An act to provide for the attendance of a part of the National Guard of New Jersey at the unveiling of a monument to the soldiers of the revolution, at Orange, in the county of Essex,"

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 476, entitled "An act concerning the pay or salary of certain officers and other employes of paid fire departments in cities of the first class in this State,"

And

Assembly Bill No 79, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide for the amicable adjustment of grievances and disputes that may arise between employers and employes, and to authorize the creation of a State board of arbitrators,' " approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, and the supplements thereto,

With Senate substitute,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

HOWARD L TYLER,

Secretary of the Senate

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 11th, 1907

Mr Speaker

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has received from the House of Assembly a request for a conference committee to consider committee substitute for Assembly Bill No 65, and in accordance therewith the President, by direction of the Senate, has appointed a committee, consisting of Senators Hillery, Lee and Avis, to act as such committee

H L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 11th, 1907

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 294, entitled "An act authorizing boroughs to issue bonds to redeem improvement certificates issued for the payment of the cost of public improvements,"

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 303, entitled "An act establishing the standard of measurement for the sale of milk, skimmed milk or cream and providing penalties for violations thereof,"

Assembly Bill No 366, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to the poor of the townships of Ridgefield, Englewood and Palisades, in the county of Bergen,'" approved March sixth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three,

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 398, entitled "An act to regulate the salaries of policemen in cities of the first class,"

Assembly Bill No 441, entitled "An act respecting theatre and show licenses in municipalities of this State,"

Assembly Bill No 442, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning paid fire departments in certain municipalities of this State, and for the relief of members thereof, their widows, dependent parents and children,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Assembly Bill No 457, entitled "A further supplement to the 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 459, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting sewers and sewer connections in cities of this State,'" approved March twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,

And

Assembly Bill No 460, entitled "An act amendatory of and supplementary to the act entitled 'An act relating to paving, flagging, maintaining, repairing and otherwise improving sidewalks in municipalities in this State,' approved May fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six, and to amend the title of such act"

The Senate message was then taken up, and

Senate Bill No 351, entitled "An act relating to recorders in 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 Bill No 348, entitled "An act prohibiting the sale by any city of this State of its municipal water, light, heat, power or other public utility plant or plants, except by assent of a majority of the legal voters of said city voting at a special election to be held therein,"

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 347, entitled "An act for the government of the State prison to better the condition of prisoners upon their discharge,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws

Senate Bill No 341, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to prevent deception in the sale of oleomargarine, butterine or any imitation of dairy products and to preserve the public health,'" approved the twenty-second day of March, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Public Health

Senate Bill No 320, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act concerning the government of certain cities in this State and constituting a board of finance and a police board and other officers therein, and defining the powers and duties of such boards, and relating to the municipal affairs and departments of such cities placed under the control and management of such boards, and providing for the maintenance of said boards,'" approved April twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations

Senate Bill No 293, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the formation, establishment and government of towns,'" approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Towns and Townships,

Senate Bill No 279, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating fraternal beneficiary societies, orders or associations,'" approved March eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business

Senate Bill No 258, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable any city in this State, other than cities of the first

class, to construct, purchase or otherwise acquire water works for the purpose of supplying pure and wholesome water for public and private use in said city or in adjoining municipalities, and providing for the maintenance of the same,'" approved June eighth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations

Senate Bill No 359, entitled "An act to validate and confirm any election and all other proceedings heretofore held or taken in any borough for the issuance of bonds to pay for the cost of construction or purchase of a sewerage system, and to validate and confirm all bonds or obligations issued in conformity with the proposition adopted at any such election, and to authorize the issuance of bonds to the amount and as provided in any such proposition,"

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 288, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Senate Bill No 289, entitled "An act to confirm certain conveyances heretofore made by commissioners appointed in partition proceedings in the Orphans' Courts of this State,"

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 89, entitled "An act to compel the determination of titles to riparian lands and lands under water in which the State claims an estate in remainder or reversion and to quiet the title to the same,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Towns and Townships.

Senate Bill No 281, entitled "An act to authorize townships to purchase and acquire sewers and to provide for the payment of the expense incurred,"

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 328, entitled "An act providing for the copying and transferring of records of deeds, mortgages and returns of roads, located and recorded in any county of this State, which has been set off from any other county, and the deposit of such transferred records in the proper office of the county where said lands and roads are now situated,"

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 339, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to abolish the State Board of Taxation and create in lieu thereof a board for equalization, revision, review and enforcement of tax assessments,'" approved March twenty-ninth, 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 352, entitled "An act to annex to the town of Montclair, in the county of Essex, a part or portion of the township of Acquackanonk and Little Falls, in the county of Passaic,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Towns and Townships.

Senate Bill No 358, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the formation and government of villages,'" approved February twenty-third, 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 Towns and Townships

Senate Bill No 362, entitled "An act to make the proceedings of the Department of New Jersey of the Grand Army of the Republic a part of the military archives of the State, and to provide for the printing of the same,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws

Senate Joint Resolution No 11, entitled "Joint resolution estab-

lishing a fund to be used in the discretion of the Governor for aiding in detecting and suppressing crime,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Mr Tumulty, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, reported

Assembly Bill No 379, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to license graduate nurses in the State of New Jersey, and providing penalties for violations of its provisions,'" approved April seventh, one thousand nine hundred and three,

And

Senate Bill No 279, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating fraternal beneficiary societies, orders or associations,'" approved March eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Alexander, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Senate Bill No 347, entitled "An act for the government of the State prison to better the condition of prisoners upon their discharge,"

Favorably, without amendment,

And

Senate committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 79, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide for the amicable adjustment of grievances and disputes that may arise between employers and employes, and to authorize the creation of a State board of arbitrators,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two. and the supplements thereto,

Adversely

On motion of Mr Chaplin,

Senate Bill No 180, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the prevention of cruelty to animals,'" approved March eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty,

With Assembly amendments,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Lillagore,

Senate Bill No 194, entitled "An act to repeal 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,'" approved May eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Blohm, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Hahn, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom—41

In the negative were—

Messrs Baader, Lane—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.

On motion of Mr Barber,

Senate Bill No 245, entitled "An act concerning cities which have passed or shall hereafter pass from cities of the third class to cities of the second class,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Hahn, Holcombe, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Smalley,

Senate Bill No 262, 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, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Hahn, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess,

Kleneıt, Lane, Lewıs, Lıllagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morrıs, Moxon, Olwell, Perkıns, Potter, Rıdgway, Rıordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullıvan, Taylor, Thompson, Tıllman, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Perkins,

Senate Bill No 308, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a parole agent for the State prison,'" approved May eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and five,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Hahn, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Kleneıt, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Perkins,

Senate Bill No 309, 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, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Hahn, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—44

In the negative was—

Mr Sullivan—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

On motion of Mr Perkins,

Senate Bill No 319, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the Orphans' Court and relating to the duties of the ordinary, and the Orphans' Court and surrogates (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Hahn, Holzapfel, Irick, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—42

In the negative was—

Mr Jess—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

On motion of Mr Perkins,

Senate Bill No 321, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the improvement of streets and highways in cities of this State and to provide for the payment of the expense of the same,'" approved June thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was taken up, 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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Eppinger, Frith, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Kleneit, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—41

In the negative were—

Messrs Corish, Fake—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

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Assembly Bill No 430, entitled "An act for the taxation of the franchises of all persons, copartnerships, associations or corporations using or occupying public streets, highways, roads or other public places, except municipal, and corporations taxable under the act entitled 'An act for the taxation of railroad and canal property,'" approved April tenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, or any of the supplements or amendments thereto,

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amendments, proposed by Mr Sullivan, were read and adopted

In section one, line one, strike out the words "interest in"

In section one, line three, between the words "telephone" and "lines," insert the words "or telegraph"

In section one, line five, between the words "elevated" and "railroads," insert the words "street railways, traction companies or"

In section one, line five, strike out the words "interest in"

In section four, line three, between the words "and" and "each," insert the word "to"

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Assembly Bill No 430, entitled "An act for the taxation of the franchises of all persons, copartnerships, associations or corporations using or occupying public streets, highways, roads or other public places, except municipal, and corporations taxable under the act entitled 'An act for the taxation of railroad and canal property,'" approved April tenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, or any of the supplements or amendments thereto,

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No 80, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Were taken up on third reading, and the Speaker put the question, "Shall the Senate amendments be concurred in?" on which question the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Buck, Buik, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Hahn, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—43

In the negative—None

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No 255, entitled "An act to empower municipalities to establish and maintain plants for the treatment, disposal or rendering of sewage,"

Were taken up, read a third time, and the Speaker put the question, "Shall the House concur in Senate amendments to"

Assembly Bill No 255, entitled "An act to empower municipalities to establish and maintain plants for the treatment, disposal or rendering of sewage"

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Firth, Irick, Jess, Lillagore, Manson, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—30

In the negative were—

Messrs Corish, Crowther, Daab, Earle, Hahn, Holzapfel Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Sullivan—12

On motion of Mr Cattell,

Senate Bill No 286, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide means for protection against fires in townships,'" approved March tenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine,

Was taken up, 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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Hahn, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon,

Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Morris,

Senate Bill No 297, entitled "An act to authorize the Bushkill-Delaware Bridge Company to build a bridge across the Delaware river near the village of Flatbrookville, in the county of Sussex,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Daab, Davison, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Hahn, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Potter, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, VanBlarcom —35

In the negative were—

Messrs Baader, Corish—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

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That when the House adjourn, it be to meet to-morrow morning at 10 30 o'clock

On motion of Mr Klenert, the House then adjourned

FRIDAY, April 12th, 1907

House met at 10 30 o'clock A M

Prayer was offered by Rev Aloys M Fish, of Trenton, N. J

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —59

Absent—

Mr Tillman—1

Mr Klenert moved that the reading of the Journal be dispensed with

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 12th, 1907

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 25, entitled "An act relating to the selection, drawing and summoning of grand jurors and the organization of the grand jury in the several counties of this State,"

Senate Bill No 301, entitled "An act to regulate and control the construction, cleanliness and location of slaughter-houses, abattoirs and places where animals are slaughtered for sale for human food and to provide for the licensing of these establishments,"

Senate Bill No 306, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Senate Bill No 343, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to make provisions for lighting the State prison,'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,

Senate Bill No 355, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crime (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Senate Bill No 363, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation of the flow of torrential rivers, to protect persons and property from damage by floods and to provide for the maintenance and regulation of river flood districts when established by law,'" approved April nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

And

Senate Bill No 364, entitled "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,'" approved May twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

HOWARD L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

The Senate message was taken up

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 25, entitled "An act relating to the selection, drawing and summoning of grand jurors and the organization of the grand jury in the several counties of this State,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Senate Bill No 301, entitled "An act to regulate and control the construction, cleanliness and location of slaughter-houses, abattoirs and places where animals are slaughtered for sale for human food and to provide for the licensing of these establishments,"

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 306, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes (Revision of 1903),'" 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

Senate Bill No 343, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to make provisions for lighting the State prison,'" approved April fourteenth, 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 Revision of Laws

Senate Bill No 355, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crime (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws

Senate Bill No 363, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation of the flow of torrential rivers, to protect persons and property from damage by floods and to provide for the maintenance and regulation of river flood districts when established by law,'" approved April nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Assembly Bill No 364, entitled "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,'" approved May twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business

Mr Daab, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No 167, entitled "An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of speedways in counties of this State,"

Assembly Bill No 323, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to improve the conditions of tenement-houses of this State and to establish a State board of tenement-house supervision,'" approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and four (P L, p 96),

Assembly Bill No 351, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Port Norris, in the county of Cumberland,"

Assembly Bill No 393, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning disorderly persons (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No 438, entitled "An act to fix the annual salary of the mayors of certain cities in this State,"

Assembly Bill No 492, entitled "An act to provide for the payment of rewards to the widows and minor children of persons killed in the assisting of the police in municipalities,"

Assembly Bill No 505, entitled "An act to consolidate with and annex to the city of Newark, in the county of Essex, a part of the territory now embraced within the township of Belleville, in the county of Essex, *provided,* a majority of the votes cast in said township upon the question of such annexation and consolidation shall be in favor thereof, and the mayor and common council of said city shall consent thereto,"

Also,

Senate Bill No 175, entitled "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act concerning contagious and infectious diseases

among animals and to repeal certain acts relating thereto,'" approved May fourth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

And

Senate Bill No 255, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize cities to construct sewers and drains and to provide for the payment of the cost thereof,'" approved March eighth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

With House amendments, as correctly printed

Mr Brady, Chairman of the Committee on Elections, reported

Senate Bill No 359, entitled "An act to validate and confirm any election and all other proceedings heretofore held or taken in any borough for the issuance of bonds to pay for the cost of construction or purchase of a sewerage system, and to validate and confirm all bonds or obligations issued in conformity with the proposition adopted at any such election, and to authorize the issuance of bonds to the amount and as provided in any such proposition"

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Senate Bill No 165, 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 264, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to courts having a criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Senate Bill No 250, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting any execution,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Bill No 288, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Senate Bill No 312, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the permanent improvement of public roads in this State (Revision of 1905),'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Senate Bill No 331, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the recovery of damages in cases where the death of a person is caused by a wrongful act, neglect or default," approved March third, one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight,'" which amendatory act was approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Senate Bill No 228, entitled "A supplement to 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,

Senate Bill No 275, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties in this State,'" approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Senate Bill No 328, entitled "An act providing for the copying and transferring of records of deeds, mortgages and returns of roads, located and recorded in any county of this State, which has been set off from any other county, and the deposit of such transferred records in the proper office of the county where said lands and roads are now situated,"

Senate Bill No 289, entitled "An act to confirm certain conveyances heretofore made by commissioners appointed in partition proceedings in the Orphans' Courts of this State,"

Favorably, without amendment,

And

Senate Bill No 290, entitled "An act providing for divorces and for decrees of nullity of marriage and for alimony and the maintenance of children (Revision of 1902)," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,

With committee amendment

Mr Auf der Heide, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships, reported

Senate Bill No 293, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the formation, establishment and government of towns,'" approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Senate Bill No 281, entitled "An act to authorize townships to purchase and acquire sewers and to provide for the payment of the expense incurred,"

And

Senate Bill No 352, entitled "An act to annex to the town of Montclair, in the county of Essex, a part or portion of the township of Acquackanonk and Little Falls, in the county of Passaic,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Riordan, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations reported

Senate Bill No 320, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act concerning the government of certain cities in this State and constituting a board of finance and a police board and other officers therein, and defining the powers and duties of such boards, and relating to the municipal affairs and departments of such cities placed under the control and management of such boards, and providing for the maintenance of said boards,'" approved April twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Pawelski offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. David Henry, a former member of this House

Mr Alexander offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Mr Alexander reports that the committee appointed by the Speaker to confer with a like committee of the Senate on the subject of a railroad commission, reports that the House committee was unable to agree with the Senate committee on this subject.

The House committee was ready to concede that the proposed commission should not have the power to fix all rates, but only rates which had been specifically questioned, also that the Attorney-General should act as counsel of said board The Senate committee was unable to concede any administrative power to said board, and was also unable to include a Public Utility Commission with administrative power Under the circumstances, your House committee feels that the commission proposed by the Senate committee would only hinder the ultimate attainment of a railroad commission with adequate power

On motion of Mr Klenert, the report was ordered spread in full upon the minutes

Mr Klenert moved that the House be placed under call,

Which motion was carried

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—54

Absent—

Messrs Baader, Backus, Breunig, Perkins, Tillman—5

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That all Assembly bills be sent to the Senate as soon as possible after the passage by the House, and all rules to the contrary be and are hereby suspended

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That rule 43, which prohibits a bill being read twice on the same day, be suspended, and that all bills shall, upon pass-

ing second reading, be at once placed upon the calendar for third reading

On motion of Mr Alexander, Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 6 be adopted

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlaicom, Wright, Jr—27

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Barbei, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Gibbs, Haines, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson—28

The Speaker thereupon declared the resolution lost

Mr Merz moved that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 255, entitled "An act to empower municipalities to establish and maintain plants for the treatment, disposal or rendering of sewage,"

Was lost be reconsidered

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Fake, Gibbs, Haines, Holcombe, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lillagore, Merz, Moxon, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, VanBlarcom—33

In the negative were—

Messrs Baader, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Bieunig, Davison, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Manson, Mead, Morris, Ridgway, Riordan, Wright, Jr—21

The Speaker declared the motion carried

On motion of Mr Elvins,

Assembly Bill No 470, entitled "An act for the better protection of menhaden in the waters of the State, including the waters of the Atlantic ocean within the jurisdiction of the State, and to prevent the taking of them with nets,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

Mr Wright moved that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 508, entitled "An act to defray the incidental expenses of the Legislature of New Jersey for the session of one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 508, entitled "An act to defray the incidental expenses of the Legislature of New Jersey for the session of one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amendments, proposed by Mr Wright, were read and adopted

Amend item thirty-two, page four, by striking out in line three the words "thirty-nine dollars and fifty cents" and figures "$39 50," and insert in lieu thereof the words "seventy-nine dollars" and the figures "$79 00"

Amend item thirty-three, same page, lines three and four, by striking out the words "twenty-two dollars and fifty cents" and figures "$22 50" and insert in lieu thereof the words "fifty dollars" and the figures "$50 00"

Amend item number fifty, page six, by striking out the words "fourteen dollars and forty cents, in line three, and insert in lieu thereof the words "thirty-nine dollars and forty cents" and figures "$39 40"

Amend by adding item one hundred and forty-one, as follows

"Item 141 To Hervey S Moore, for two days' services as stenographer and typewriter to the Committee on Public Health, for the session one thousand nine hundred and seven, ten dollars $10 00"

Amend item number sixty-three, on page eight, by striking out, in line three, the words "five hundred dollars" and figures "$500 00," and insert in lieu thereof the words "six hundred dollars" and the figures "$600 00"

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 508, entitled "An act to defray the incidental expenses of the Legislature of New Jersey for the session of one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Buxton,

Assembly Bill No 490, entitled "An act to amend the act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),'" approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Daab,

Assembly Bill No 509, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of medicine and surgery, to license physicians and surgeons and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,'" approved May twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

Senate substitute for

Assembly Bill No 79, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide for the amicable adjustment of grievances and disputes that may arise between employers and employes, and to authorize the creation of a State Board of Arbitrators,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, and the supplements thereto,

Was taken up, and the Speaker put the question, "Shall the report of the committee be concurred in?" which was unanimously adopted

Senate Joint Resolution No 9, entitled "Joint Resolution concerning the investigation of live-stock raising in New Jersey, providing for a commission to study a method whereby the industry can be improved through the purchase by the State of blooded animals, and providing for a method for the distribution throughout the State and the promotion of live-stock raising by the agriculturists of the State, and to recommend such laws to the next Legislature that will enable the State to carry such a plan into effect,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Lewis,

Senate Bill No 14, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase of voting machines and to regulate the use of the same at elections,'" approved April twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reported, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Groel,

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No. 25, entitled "An act relating to the selection, drawing and summoning of grand jurors and the organization of the grand jury in the several counties of this State,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and the following amendment, proposed by Mr Sullivan, was read by the Clerk

Strike out section two and insert in place thereof the following.

"2 There shall be elected at the general election for members of Assembly next ensuing after the approval of this act, by the legal voters of this State who may be qualified to vote for members of Assembly, three persons, to serve, one for six years, one for four years and one for two years, as Civil Service Commissioners, and the said three commissioners shall constitute the Civil Service Commission of this State Every alternate year thereafter there shall be elected as aforesaid one person as the successor of the commissioner whose term shall expire, to serve for a term of six years from the date of the expiration of his predecessor's term, and until a successor is appointed and has qualified Any vacancy in such commission shall be filled by appointment by the Governor for the remainder of the term, subject to confirmation by the Senate, but any appointment shall be in full force until acted upon by the Senate The commissioners shall hold no other lucrative office or employment under the United States, the State of New Jersey or any city or county thereof At any meeting of the commissioners duly convened two shall constitute a quorum The said commissioners shall qualify by filing with the Secretary of State an oath to perform faithfully the duties of their office,"

And adopted by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Davison, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlaricom, Wright, Jr—31

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Fake, Gibbs, Haines, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson—28

Mr Perkins offered the following amendment

Amend section one, line two, by striking out the words "and of the cities and counties thereof," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "and cities and counties of the first class,"

Which was lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Davison, Drake, Elvins, Fake, Gibbs, Haines, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson—26

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—33

Mr Perkins offered a second amendment

Amend section thirty-two, line two, by striking out the words "February first, one thousand nine hundred and six," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "immediately,"

Which was lost by the following vote

Messrs Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Fake, Gibbs, Haines, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson—28

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—31

Mr Groel offeied the following amendments

Amend section one, line one, by inserting after the word "the" and before the word "civil" the word "classified,"

Which amendment was adopted

Amend section one, line two, by striking out the words "and of the cities and counties thereof," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "and of the cities and counties of the first class,"

Which amendment was lost

Amend section one, line four, by striking out the words "after the expiration of one year from the passaage of this act," and inserting in lieu thereof "after February first, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Which amendment was lost

Amend section four, line one, by striking out the words "or of any city or county thereof," and inserting in lieu thereof "and of the cities and counties of the first class,"

Which amendment was lost

Amend section four, lines five and six, by striking out the words "after one year from the date of the passage of this act," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "after February first, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Which amendment was lost

Amend the first paragraph of section seven so as to read "The civil service of the State and of the cities and counties thereof, for which civil service rules shall have been prescribed pursuant to this act, shall be divided into the unclassified service and the classified service The unclassified service shall be exempt from examinations and from all other rules and regulations of the civil service commission The unclassified service shall comprise "

Which amendment was adopted

Amend section eight, line one, by striking out the words "within one year after the passage of this act and of," and inserting in lieu thereof "on the first day of February next, succeeding the passage of this act, and,"

Which amendment was adopted

Amend section eight, line four, by striking out the period after the word "thereof" and adding the words "for which civil service rules shall have been prescribed pursuant to this act,"

Which amendment was lost

Amend section eleven, line two, by striking out the words "and of every city and county thereof" and inserting in lieu thereof "and of every city and county thereof for which civil service rules shall have been prescribed pursuant to this act,"

Which amendment was lost.

Amend section twenty-one, line five, by inserting after the word "thereof" the words "for which civil service rules shall have been prescribed pursuant to this act,"

Which amendment was lost.

Amend section twenty-seven, line two, by inserting after the word "thereof" the words "for which civil service rules shall have been prescribed pursuant to this act,"

Which amendment was lost

Amend section thirty-two, line two, by striking out the words "February first, one thousand nine hundred and six" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "immediately,"

Which amendment was lost

On motion of Mr Groel,

Senate Bill No 23, entitled "An act to establish a Civil Service Commission and to regulate the appointment of certain public officers in the State of New Jersey and in the cities and counties thereof,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Lillagore,

Senate Bill No 164, 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, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Lewis,

Senate Bill No 189, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of sewer commissioners in cities of this State,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Lewis,

Senate Bill No 190, entitled "An act providing for the construction of sewers and sewer systems in cities of this State and the issuance of bonds for the cost thereof, and providing for collecting rentals for the use of such sewers and sewer systems,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Chaplin,

Assembly Bill No 211, entitled "An act to authorize the board of education of any township in this State to transfer any unused school building to the township in which said board of education is located, and to empower the township committee to use said building for municipal purposes,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading, and the following amendments, proposed by Mr Alexander, were read and lost

Strike out the whole of section one and insert in place thereof the following

"1. Sections thirty-four and fifty-four of the 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, are hereby repealed, and no act re-enacted by the act mentioned in the last preceding section shall be hereby revived; *provided,* that no policyholder under the age of twenty-one years

shall be entitled to vote for directors in any insurance company Any insurance company affected by this act shall make reasonable rules to regulate the election of the directors in such company and may prescribe what classes of policyholders shall be entitled to vote for directors in such companies, *provided,* that no holder of a non-participating policy shall be entitled to vote"

Amend section two to read as follows

"2 This act shall take effect January first, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

And lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Daab, Earle, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lillagore, Merz, Olwell, Pawelski, Ridgway, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—20

In the negative were—

Messrs Baader, Backus, Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Conish, Crowther, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Fake, Gibbs, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Morris, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson—33

The following committee amendments were read and adopted:

Amend title by striking out the word "State," between the word "of" and the word "directors," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "certain" and by adding after the word "companies" the words "from the policyholders thereof"

Amend section one by striking out, in lines two, three and four, the words "not be stockholders of the company, to be known as State directors, to be appointed by the Governor by and with the advice and consent of the Senate," and insert in lieu thereof the words "be policyholders of the company, but shall not be stockholders Said directors shall be appointed by the Chancellor"

In line eleven, strike out the word "State," between the word "any" and the word "director," and insert in lieu thereof the word "such"

On motion of Mr Chaplin,

Assembly Bill No 211, entitled "An act to authorize the board of education of any township in this State to transfer any unused school building to the township in which said board of education is located, and to empower the township committee to use said building for municipal purposes,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Chaplin,

Assembly Bill No 289, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the use of power vessels and boats navigating the waters within the jurisdiction of this State above tidewater and to provide for the inspection and licensing of power vessels, their masters, pilots and engineers,'" approved April ninth one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Jess,

Senate Bill No 359, entitled "An act to validate and confirm any election and all other proceedings heretofore held or taken in any borough for the issuance of bonds to pay for the cost of construction or purchase of a sewerage system, and to validate and confirm all bonds or obligations issued in conformity with the proposition adopted at any such election, and to authorize the issuance of bonds to the amount and as provided in any such proposition,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Chaplin,

Senate Bill No 212, entitled "An act to limit the capital stock, dividends and distribution of assets of stock life insurance companies,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Chaplin,

Senate Bill No 213, entitled "An act to require an annual accounting apportionment of surplus of life-insurance companies,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Chaplin,

Senate Bill No 214, 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, and the following amendment, offered by Mr Alexander, was read by the Clerk

Add a new section (number fourteen), as follows

"14 No director or officer of an insurance corporation doing business in this State shall receive any money or valuable thing for negotiating, procuring, recommending or aiding in any purchase by or sale to such corporation of any property, or any loan from such corporation, nor be pecuniarily interested, either as principal, co-principal, agent or beneficiary, in any such purchase, sale or loan, *provided,* that nothing herein contained shall prevent a life insurance corporation from making a loan upon a policy held therein by the borrower not in excess of the net value thereof

"No person acting upon the finance committee or other committee of any domestic life insurance company having power to purchase stocks, bonds or securities for said company, shall be in any manner financially interested in the stocks, bonds or other securities purchased for said life insurance company, or be stockholders in the corporation from which such stocks, bonds or other securities are purchased Any person violating any provision of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor"

The Speaker declared the amendment lost

On motion of Mr Chaplin,

Senate Bill No 214, entitled "A supplement to 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, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Chaplin,

Senate Bill No 215, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies, and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,'" approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Chaplin,

Senate Bill No 216, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to life insurance companies doing business in the State of New Jersey and to the representatives of such companies,'" approved March nineteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Cattell,

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 222, 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,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Barber,

Senate Bill No 221, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Cattell,

Senate Bill No 251, entitled "An act for the relief of Frank O Briggs, former State Treasurer,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Cattell,

Senate Bill No 280, entitled "An act relating to persons or corporations engaged in the business of transmitting money to foreign countries, or of buying or selling foreign money, or of receiving money on deposit to be transmitted to foreign countries,"

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following committee amendment, offered by Mr Cattell, was read and adopted

Change section seven to section eight and add a new section seven, to read as follows

"7 This act shall not apply to any person or corporation transmitting money to foreign countries by means only of drafts of steamship companies, issued by such person or corporation as the duly authorized agent of such steamship companies"

On motion of Mr Cattell,

Senate Bill No 280, entitled "An act relating to persons or corporations engaged in the business of transmitting money to foreign countries, or of buying or selling foreign money, or of receiving money on deposit to be transmitted to foreign countries,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Lillagore,

Senate Bill No 347, entitled "An act for the government of the State prison to better the condition of prisoners upon their discharge,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Cattell,

Senate Bill No 211, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of State directors of stock life insurance companies,"

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 Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Irick, Jess, Jones, Kleneit, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Morris, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson—41

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Blohm, Eppinger, Firth, Merz, Pawelski, Riordan, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Cattell,

Senate Bill No 212, entitled "An act to limit the capital stock, dividends and distribution of assets of stock life insurance companies,"

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Kleneit, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—57

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same

On motion of Mr Cattell,

Senate Bill No 213, entitled "An act to require an annual accounting apportionment of surplus of life insurance companies,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Buik, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Metz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—59

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same

On motion of Mr Cattell,

Senate Bill No 214, 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, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine,

Jr , Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr , Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —59

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same

On motion of Mr Cattell,

Senate Bill No 215, 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, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr , Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr , Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —59

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same

On motion of Mr Cattell,

Senate Bill No 216, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to life insurance companies doing business in the State of New Jersey and to the representatives of such companies,'" approved March nineteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Fiith, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—59

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same.

On motion of Mr Potter,

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 222, 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,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine,

Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlaicom—58

In the negative was—

Mr Wright, Jr—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 he same

On motion of Mr Barber,

Senate Bill No 270, entitled "An act to provide for the laying out, opening, widening and altering of streets in cities of the second class,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—57

In the negative was—

Mr Daab—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

On motion of Mr Chaplin,

Senate Bill No 289, entitled "An act to confirm certain conveyances heretofore made by commissioners appointed in partition proceedings in the Orphans' Courts of this State,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —55

In the negative were—

Messrs Hendrickson, Jr, Daab, Stille—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 he same

On motion of Mr Jess,

Senate Bill No 359, entitled "An act to validate and confirm any election and all other proceedings heretofore held or taken in any borough for the issuance of bonds to pay for the cost of construction or purchase of a sewerage system, and to validate and confirm all bonds or obligations issued in conformity with the proposition adopted at any such election, and to authorize the issuance of bonds to the amount and as provided in any such proposition,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Davison, Devine, Jr,

Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—55

In the negative were—

Messrs Daab, Hendrickson, Jr, Lane—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 he same

On motion of Mr Holcombe,

Senate Joint Resolution No 8

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—58

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same

On motion of Mr Klenert, the House took recess until 3 30 P M

AFTERNOON SESSION

House reconvened at 3 30 o'clock

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—59

Absent—

Mr Tillman—1

On motion of Mr Barber,

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 438, entitled "An act to fix the annual salary of the mayors of certain cities in this State,"

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 Alexander, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor—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 Wright offered the following resolution, which was read

WHEREAS, Charges of waste and extravagance in the expenditure of the appropriations for the various State departments and for the State capitol have been freely made in the public prints, and

WHEREAS, The public interest requires that economy and integrity should govern in the disbursement of public funds, therefore, be it

Resolved, That a committee of five members of this House be appointed by the Speaker to investigate the subject of State expenditures, that said committee shall have power to sit during the recess, to summon witnesses, to compel the production of books and papers, and shall be instructed to report to this House when it reconvenes on June eighteenth, next

And the following amendment, offered by Mr Perkins, was read, as follows

"That said committee shall also investigate the items contained in the present year's incidental appropriation bill"

Mr Alexander offered the following amendment to the amendment by Mr Perkins

Insert "for the last three years"

The resolution as amended was adopted

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Assembly Bill No 497, 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, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead,

Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlaicom—53

In the negative was—

Mr Davison—1

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Brady,

Assembly Bill No 449, entitled "An act to consolidate with and annex to the town of Montclair, in the county of Essex, the territory embraced within the township of Verona, in the county of Essex, provided a majority of the votes cast in said town and in said township upon said annexation and consolidation shall be in favor thereof, and to provide for the submission of the said question to the voters of said town and said township,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 166, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale

of intoxicating and brewed liquors," passed March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,'" approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—32

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Fake, Gibbs, Haines, Holcombe, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lillagore, Manson, Moxon, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson—26

On motion of Mr Crowther,

Assembly Bill No 358, entitled "An act relating to appropriations in certain municipalities and unexpended balances 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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—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.

On motion of Mr Crowther,

Assembly Bill No 468, entitled "An act authorizing the conveyance of certain lands, now in the ownership of the State of New Jersey, to the city of Perth Amboy,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth Groel, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—52

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Crowther,

Assembly Bill No 479, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning townships (Revision),'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Baker,

Assembly Bill No 196, entitled "An act concerning the paving and repaving of streets, avenues and public highways in cities of this State, and permitting the use of wood block pavement on such streets and highways,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Kleneat, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—54

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 297, entitled "A bill, giving to the voters a power of direct legislation in municipal government,"

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Baker, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Earle, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Lane, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Riordan, Sullivan, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr. —24

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Baader, Backus, Barber, Blohm, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Gibbs, Haines, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Moxon, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty—32

Mr Alexander, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Senate Bill No 343, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to make provisions for lighting the State Prison,'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Senate Bill No 204, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to prevent the pollution of the waters of this State by the establishment of a State Sewerage Commission and authorizing the creation of sewerage districts and district sewerage boards, and prescribing, defining and regulating the powers and duties of such commission and such boards,"' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,'" approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred,

And

Senate Bill No 306, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Daab, Chairman of the Committee on Printing, reported

Assembly Bill No 430, entitled "An act for the taxation of the franchises of all persons, copartnerships, associations or corporations using or occupying public streets, highways, roads or other public places, except municipal, and corporations taxable under the act entitled 'An act for the taxation of railroad and canal property,'" approved April tenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, or any of the supplements or amendments thereto.

And

Assembly Bill No 508, entitled "An act to defray the incidental expenses of the Legislature of New Jersey for the session of one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Correctly printed

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 298, entitled "A bill giving to the electors an advisory vote in proposing legislation,"

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Earle, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Mead, Metz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Riordan, Sullivan, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—27

In the negative were—

Messrs Baader, Backus, Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Fake, Gibbs, Haines, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Moxon, Potter, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty—30

The Clerk read the following communication from the Hon Grover Cleveland

"I have received the beautifully engraved copy of the congratulatory resolutions passed by the New Jersey Legislature on the occasion of my seventieth birthday I am deeply touched by this generous and kind remembrance on the part of those representing the state of my birth, within whose limits I hope to spend the remainder of my days It has refreshed every sentiment that makes New Jersey dear to me, and stimulated my love for her people and stimulated my pride in her patriotic institutions My children and my children's children shall read this record of the wholehearted goodness of my State

"Yours most sincerely,

"GROVER CLEVELAND

"Princeton, April 11th, 1907"

Mr Klenert moved the communication be read and spread in full upon the minutes

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 12th, 1907.

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 115, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the formation of railroad corporations and regulate the same,'"

With Senate amendments,

Assembly Bill No 347, entitled "An act to authorize the construction and establishment of public docks and the shipping facilities connected therewith, and the purchasing and acquiring of riparian lands and rights of other lands and rights in land necessary therefor or incident thereto, and for the regulation of the same in cities fronting on navigable waters of this State,"

With Senate amendment,

Assembly Bill No 154, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

With Senate Committee substitute,

Senate Bill No 367, entitled "An act to provide for the abatement of nuisances in and around slaughter-houses and battoirs in this State,"

Senate Bill No 292, entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of law (Revision of 1903),'"

Senate Bill No 354, entitled "A further 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,'" approved May twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 168, entitled "An act to secure the purity of foods, beverages, confectionery, condiments, drugs and medicines, and to prevent deception in the distribution and sales thereof (Revision of 1907),"

Senate Bill No 271, entitled "A supplement to '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 278, entitled "An act to amend a supplement to an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to the compensation of prosecutors of the pleas in certain counties of this State," approved March sixth, one thousand nine hundred,' " which supplementary act was approved March second, one thousand nine hundred and four,

And

Senate Joint Resolution No 12, entitled "BE IT RESOLVED *by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey*

"1 The commission appointed by the Governor under the authority of Joint Resolution number eight (8), approved May twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and six, shall have until the next session of the Legislature to further report to the Governor and to the Legislature

"2 The sum of two thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated for the use of the commission for clerical services to be rendered to the commission,"

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

HOWARD L TYLER,

Secretary of the Senate

The Senate message was then taken up

Senate Bill No 367, entitled "An act to provide for the abatement of nuisances in and around slaughter-houses and abattoirs in this State,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business

Senate Bill No 292, entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of law (Revision of 1903),'"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Senate Bill No 354, entitled "A further 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,'" approved May twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business

Senate Bill No 168, entitled "An act to secure the purity of foods, beverages, confectionery, condiments, drugs and medicines, and to prevent deception in the distribution and sales thereof (Revision of 1907),"

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 271, entitled "A supplement to '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 278, entitled "An act to amend a supplement to an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to the compensation of prosecutors of the pleas in certain counties of this State," approved March sixth, one thousand nine hundred,'" which supplementary act was approved March second, one thousand nine hundred and four,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

And

Senate Joint Resolution No 12, entitled "BE IT RESOLVED *by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey*

"1 The commission appointed by the Governor under the authority of Joint Resolution number eight (8), approved May twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and six, shall have until the next session of the Legislature to further report to the Governor and to the Legislature"

"2 The sum of two thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated for the use of the commission for clerical services to be rendered to the commission,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No 347, entitled "An act to authorize the construction and establishment of public docks and the shipping facilities connected therewith, and the purchasing and acquiring of riparian lands and rights of other lands and rights in land necessary therefor or incident thereto, and for the regulation of the same in cities fronting on navigable waters of this State,"

Were taken up, read a third time and the Speaker put the question, "Shall the House concur in the Senate amendments?"

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Tumulty, Van-Blarcom, Wright, Jr—45

In the negative—None

The Speaker declared the amendments concurred in

On motion of Mr Cattell,

Senate Bill No 152, 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, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Riordan, Thompson, Wright, Jr —3

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom —49

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 508, entitled "An act to defray the incidental expenses of the Legislature of New Jersey for the session of one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —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

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 23, entitled "An act to establish a Civil Service Commission and to regulate the appointment of certain public officers in the State of New Jersey and in the cities and counties thereof,"

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Barber, Buxton, Cattell, Fake, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Lane, Morris, Potter, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, Wright, Jr—15

In the negative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Firth, Gibbs, Haines, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Kleneit, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, VanBlarcom—40

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 12th, 1907

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 (the Senate concurring), That the Governor be requested to return to the House of Assembly, Assembly Bill No 405, for further consideration;

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

HOWARD L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 12th, 1907

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 request the Speaker of the House for the record of House Bills Nos 319 and 12, otherwise known as the Quo Warranto and Jersey City Water Bills, passed April third, one thousand nine hundred and seven,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

HOWARD L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 154, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Bunk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Frith, Gibbs, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—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

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 12th, 1907

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 208, entitled "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 273, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the formation, establishment and government of towns,'" approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Assembly Bill No 278, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled '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-third, one thousand nine hundred (Pamph. L 1900, p 324),

Assembly Bill No 289, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the use of power vessels and boats navigating the waters within the jurisdiction of this State above tidewater and to provide for the inspection and licensing of power vessels, their masters, pilots and engineers,'" approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Assembly Bill No 292, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the planting and care of shade trees on the highways of the municipalities of this State,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three,

Assembly Bill No 301, entitled "An act to authorize the return of money paid as fines in certain cases,"

Assembly Bill No 322, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'Supplement to the act entitled "A general act relative to boroughs (Revision of 1897),"'" approved April nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Assembly Bill No 328, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the incorporated cities, towns, townships and boroughs of this State to fund their floated indebtedness and their matured and maturing bonds," approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,' " and which amendment was approved February eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and one,

Assembly Bill No 333, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize incorporated towns or townships to construct sewers, drains and sewerage disposal plant or plants, and to provide for the cost thereof,' " approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and five, constituting chapter seventy-seven of the session laws of one thousand nine hundred and five,

Assembly Bill No 349, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to the time of election and appointment and terms of office or officers elected or appointed in towns, townships, boroughs and other municipalities in this State,' " approved February fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Assembly Bill No 224, entitled "An act to authorize boards of street and water commissioners in cities of the first class in this State to open, widen, vacate, grade, regrade, curb, recurb, flag and reflag streets in such cities without appropriations for the cost thereof being first made,"

Assembly Bill No 55, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),' " approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Assembly Bill No 56, 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 158, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting writs of error (Revision),' " approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No 350, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to incorporate trustees of religious societies,' " approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Assembly Bill No 418, entitled "An act concerning the enforcement of ordinances in incorporated towns,"

And

Assembly Bill No 495, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas (Revision of 1900),'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred, which act was amended by an act approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and two, and further amended by an act approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and six

H L TYLER,

Secretary of the Senate

EVENING SESSION

The House reconvened at 7 30 o'clock P M

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Ji , Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr , Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Rioidan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Tayloi, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —59

Absent—

Mr Tillman—1

On motion of Mr Breunig,

Assembly Bill No 413, entitled "An act to provide for the establishment of public playgrounds in cities of this State and for the maintenance, control and management 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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr , Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr , Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —52

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Buxton,

Assembly Bill No 419, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize incorporated towns to construct, operate and maintain a system of sewers and drains and to provide for the payment of the costs of the construction, operation and maintenance thereof,' " approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr , Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr , Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —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

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Assembly Bill No 174, entitled "An act to prevent the incorporation of trusts or companies in restraint of trade and commerce,"

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Corish, Daab, Eppinger, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Riordan, Tumulty—7

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Davison, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Gibbs, Hahn, Holcombe, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—35

The Speaker declared the bill lost

A message was received from the Governor, by the hands of his Secretary, and was read, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
TRENTON, April 12th, 1907

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Assembly

I respectfully call your attention to the importance of action upon Senate Bill No 102, a measure providing for joint fishery laws between the States of New Jersey and Delaware This measure grew out of the settlement of the boundary litigation between the two States that has been in process for over thirty years A joint commission on the part of New Jersey and Delaware agreed upon a working boundary line and the subsequent adoption of a code of fishing laws This agreement has been ratified by Congress As a part of the agreement Senate Bill No 102 was intro-

duced as representing the treaty on the fishery privileges agreed upon by the representatives of New Jersey and Delaware in joint conference

The litigation between our State and that of Delaware has been long and tedious, and the controversy has given rise to vexatious arrests of the fishermen of the two States It is most desirable that it should end Representatives of the two States, appointed under the authority of the Legislatures, have come to an agreement to this end Consideration of Senate Bill No 102, as a part of that agreement, involves the good faith of the State

I think this explanation is due to the members of the House, that having the facts before them they may give proper consideration to this measure and maintain the credit of New Jersey

E C STOKES,

Governor

A message was received from the Governor by the hands of his Secretary, which was read as follows

Assembly Bill No 249, entitled "An act to change the name of Sarah Ann Backus,"

This act is returned without my approval It is a public act requiring under the constitution proof of publication No such proof was submitted with the bill

Assembly Bill No 250, entitled "An act to change the name of Burtiss Davison Backus,"

This act is returned without my approval It is a public act requiring under the constitution proof of publication No such proof was submitted with the bill

Assembly Bill No 121, entitled "An act to change the name of Ginami Catesto Pettuto,"

I return Assembly Bill No 121 without approval This bill was received at the executive department March 26th, 1907, and under the time limit of five days would have become a law without my signature under ordinary circumstances In this case, however, no proof of publication was submitted to me with the bill as is necessary under the constitution with private measures

of this character I requested the bill be recalled, but the request was not carried out As the measure is therefore palpably in illegal form, I return it to the House in which it originated

Assembly Bill No 105, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale or prescription of cocaine, or any patent or proprietary remedy containing cocaine, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof,' "

I return herewith, without my approval, for further consideration, on account of defective title

(Signed) E C STOKES,

Governor

Mr Groel, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Senate Bill No 271, entitled "A supplement to '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,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Backus, Chairman of the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions, reported

Senate Bill No 242, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),' "

Senate Bill No 300, entitled "An act to annex to the borough of Cliffside Park, in the county of Bergen, a part or portion of the borough of Fairview, in the county of Bergen,"

And

Senate Bill No 183, entitled "An act to extend the territorial boundaries of the borough of Madison, in the county of Morris, by the annexation of a portion of the borough of Florham Park, in said county,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on the Judiciary, reported

Senate Joint Resolution No 11, entitled "Joint resolution establishing a fund to be used in the discretion of the Governor for aiding in detecting and suppressing crime,"

Assembly Bill No 261, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'"

Senate Bill No 292, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of law (Revision of 1903),'"

And

Senate Bill No 278, entitled "An act to amend a supplement to an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to the compensation of prosecutors of the pleas in certain counties of this State," approved March sixth, one thousand nine hundred,'" which supplementary act was approved March second, one thousand nine hundred and four,

Favorably, without amendment,

And

Senate Bill No 351, entitled "An act relating to recorders in this State,"

With committee amendments

Mr Riordan, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No 348, entitled "An act prohibiting the sale by any city of this State of its municipal water, light, heat, power or other public utility plant or plants, except by assent of a majority of the legal voters of said city voting at a special election to be held therein,"

Favorably, without amendment

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 12th, 1907

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 204, entitled "An act regulating the employment of children in mercantile establishments,"

Assembly Bill No 202, entitled "An act to regulate the importation of dependent children and providing a penalty for violation thereof,"

Assembly Bill No 160, 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 132, entitled "An act to facilitate the transaction of municipal business in cities of this State,"

Assembly Bill No 81, 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 68, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 239, entitled "An act to regulate the keeping of employment agencies in this State,"

Assembly Bill No 238, entitled "An act to remove police departments in the townships of this State from political control and to regulate the tenure and terms of office of the officers and men employed in such departments,"

Assembly Bill No 269, entitled "An act to authorize cities of the first class in this State to buy lands for and to equip and build city stables, and to provide the funds therefor,"

Assembly Bill No 280, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to enable incorporated towns to construct water works for the extinguishment of fires and supply the inhabitants thereof with pure and wholesome water,'" approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four (Gen Stat, p 3559),

Assembly Bill No 325, entitled "An act permitting certain boards of education to convey school houses and lands to the boroughs or other municipalities in which they are situated,"

Assembly Bill No 330, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act for the incorporation of cities and providing for their officers, government and powers," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,'" approved June twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Assembly Bill No 341, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the better regulation and control of the taking, planting and cultivating of oysters on lands lying under the tidal waters of the Delaware bay and Maurice river cove, in the State of New Jersey," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,' which supplemental act was approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and five, and which supplement thereto was approved May twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and five, and extending the provisions of said supplemental act, and extending the provisions of said original act, to certain lands under the tidal waters in Raritan bay, in the State of New Jersey, to wit lands comprehended by the following lines Beginning at the watch-house at Canaskonk point, on the shore of Raritan bay, thence, in a straight line to the government buoy, known as East Point Buoy, thence, on a true course west southwest, to the point where said course intersects a line drawn on a course due north from Cliffwood point, thence, on a true course south, to Cliffwood point, thence along the shore line to the place of beginning,"

Assembly Bill No 382, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 420, 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 424, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the fire departments in cities of the first

class,'" approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 465, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Verona, in the county of Essex,"

And

Assembly Bill No 337, entitled "An act providing for the reimprovement of any street, avenue, road or highway, or the portion of such street, avenue, road or highway, lying in part only in one town, township or borough, which has heretofore been improved and for which improvement assessments for benefits have been heretofore levied and imposed, and for the issue of bonds to pay for said reimprovement,"

With Senate amendments,

Assembly Bill No 390, entitled "An act to enable boards of chosen freeholders to accept roads or sections of roads in cities, towns, townships or boroughs, and to maintain the same as county roads,"

With Senate amendment,

Assembly Bill No 354, entitled "An act regulating the construction and maintenance of hospitals, sanitariums or other buildings designed for the care, entertainment, board, maintenance, treatment or cure of any person or persons afflicted with the disease known as pulmonary tuberculosis, or any infectious, contagious or communicable disease,"

With Senate amendment,

Assembly Bill No 13, 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,

With Senate amendment,

Assembly Bill No 17, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting writs of error (Revision),'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

With Senate amendments,

Assembly Bill No 135, entitled "An act concerning police in municipalities,"

With Senate amendment,

And

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 356, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the incorporation of cities, and providing for their officers government and powers,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 357, entitled "An act concerning cities and conferring power to sprinkle public streets or highways and to provide for the cost and expense of such work,"

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

H L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

The Senate message was taken up, and

Senate Bill No 356, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the incorporation of cities, and providing for their officers, government and powers,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Senate Bill No 357, entitled "An act concerning cities and conferring power to sprinkle public streets or highways and to provide for the cost and expense of such work,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

The following message was received and read

NEW JERSEY STATE LIBRARY,
TRENTON, April 12th, 1907

Hon Edgar E Lethbridge, Speaker

DEAR SIR—Will you please request the members of the House and clerks of committees to send to the State Library, before final adjournment of the Legislature, all books borrowed from the Library during the session?

Very truly yours,
HENRY C BUCHANAN,
State Librarian

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No 17, entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting writs of error (Revision),'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Were taken up, read a third time, and the Speaker put the question, "Shall the House concur in Senate amendments to"

Assembly Bill No 17, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting writs of error (Revision),'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four

On which question the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Bunk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlaricom, Wright, Jr —57

In the negative—None

The Speaker declared the amendments concurred in

On motion of Mr Daab,

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No 135, entitled "An act concerning police in municipalities,"

Were taken up, read a third time, and the Speaker put the question, "Shall the House concur in Senate amendments to"

Assembly Bill No 135, entitled "An act concerning police in municipalities"

On which question the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombé, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlaicom, Wright, Jr—56

In the negative—None

The Speaker declared the amendment concurred in

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No 13, 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,

Were taken up, read a third time, and the Speaker put the question, "Shall the House concur in Senate amendments to"

Assembly Bill No 13, 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

On which question the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlaicom, Wright, Jr—55

In the negative—None

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No 337, entitled "An act providing for the reimprovement of any street, avenue, road or highway, or the portion of such street, avenue, road or highway, lying in part only in one town, township or borough, which has heretofore been improved and for which improvement assessments for benefits have been heretofore levied and imposed, and for the issue of bonds to pay for said reimprovement,"

Were taken up, read a third time, and the Speaker put the question, "Shall the House concur in Senate amendments to"

Assembly Bill No 337, entitled "An act providing for the reimprovement of any street, avenue, road or highway, or the portion of such street, avenue, road or highway, lying in part only in one town, township or borough, which has heretofore been improved and for which improvement assessments for benefits have been heretofore levied and imposed, and for the issue of bonds to pay for said reimprovement"

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—53

In the negative—None

The Speaker declared the amendments concurred in

On motion of Mr Baker,

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No 195, 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,

Were taken up, read a third time, and the Speaker put the question, "Shall the House concur in Senate amendments to"

Assembly Bill No 195, 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

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Metz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—53

In the negative—None

On motion of Mr Taylor,

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No 354, entitled "An act regulating the construction and maintenance of hospitals, sanitariums or other buildings designed for the care, entertainment, board, maintenance, treatment or cure of any person or persons afflicted with the disease known as pulmonary tuberculosis, or any infectious, contagious or communicable disease,"

Were taken up, read a third time, and the Speaker put the question, "Shall the House concur in Senate amendments to"

Assembly Bill No 354, entitled "An act regulating the construction and maintenance of hospitals, sanitariums or other buildings designed for the care, entertainment, board, mainte-

nance, treatment or cure of any person or persons afflicted with the disease known as pulmonary tuberculosis, or any infectious, contagious or communicable disease"

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—52

In the negative—None

The Speaker declared the amendments concurred in

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No 390, entitled "An act to enable boards of chosen freeholders to accept roads or sections of roads in cities, towns, townships or boroughs, and to maintain the same as county roads,"

Were taken up, read a third time, and the Speaker put the question, "Shall the House concur in Senate amendments to"

Assembly Bill No 390, entitled "An act to enable boards of chosen freeholders to accept roads or sections of roads in cities, towns, townships or boroughs, and to maintain the same as county roads"

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Cattell, Daab, Davison, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe,

Holzapfel, Irick, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—39

In the negative—None

The Speaker declared the amendments concurred in

On motion of Mr Stille,

Senate Bill No 323, entitled "An act relating to the granting of licenses for the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors in municipalities in counties of the fourth class of this State,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Buck, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Earle, Elvins, Gibbs, Groel, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—40

In the negative was—

Mr Cattell—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

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Senate Bill No 327, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A supplement to "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating and brewed liquors,'"' passed March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine," which supplement was approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr., Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Mead, Metz, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Stille, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—34

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Buck, Cattell, Crowther, Davison, Drake, Haines, Jess, Jones, Lillagore, Manson, Potter, Thompson, Wright, Jr—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

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Senate Bill No 327, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A supplement to "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating and brewed liquors,'"' passed March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine," which supplement was approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Favorably, without amendment

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 12th, 1907

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 196, entitled "An act concerning the paving and repaving of streets, avenues and public highways in cities of

this State, and permitting the use of wood block pavement on such streets and highways,"

Assembly Bill No 334, entitled "A supplement to the act entitled 'An act to authorize towns and townships to construct sewers, drains and sewerage disposal plant or plants, and to provide for the cost, maintenance and operation thereof,' the original act, before amendment, constituted chapter seventy-seven of the session laws of one thousand nine hundred and five, and was entitled 'An act to authorize towns and townships to construct sewers, drains and sewerage disposal plant or plants and to provide for the cost thereof,' "

Assembly Bill No 365, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' " which act was approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Assembly Bill No 393, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning disorderly persons (Revision of 1898),' " approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

And

Assembly Bill No 411, entitled "An act to amend '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 supplement was approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and six

HOWARD S TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

Mr Breunig, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Senate Bill No 168, entitled "An act to secure the purity of foods, beverages, confectionery, condiments, drugs and medicines, and to prevent deception in the distribution and sales thereof (Revision of 1907),"

Favorably, with amendment

On motion of Mr Jess,

Senate Bill No 348, entitled 'An act prohibiting the sale by any city of this State of its municipal water, light, heat, power or other public utility plant or plants, except by assent of a majority of the legal voters of said city voting at a special election to be held therein,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Davison, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fith, Groel, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —43

In the negative was—

Mr Daab—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

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Senate Joint Resolution No 3, entitled "Whereas, article five of the constitution of the United States provides that 'the congress, whenever two-thirds of both houses shall deem it necessary, shall propose amendments to this constitution, or on the application of the Legislatures of two-thirds of the several States shall call a convention for proposing amendments, which in either case shall be valid to all intents and purposes as part of this constitution, when ratified by the Legislatures of three-fourths of the several States, or by convention in three-fourths thereof,' et cætera, and;"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, Wright, Jr.—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

On motion of Mr Jess,

Senate Bill No 269, entitled "An act to repeal 'An act entitled "An act regulating the granting of licenses for the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors in municipalities in counties of the fourth class in this State,"'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Holzapfel, Irick, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lillagore, Mead, Merz, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—38

In the negative were—

Messrs Daab, Davison, Morris—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

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No 62, entitled "An act to amend 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate fees,"'" approved

April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six, which supplement was approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Cattell, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Buxton,

Senate Bill No 220, entitled "An act relative to the power to impose and collect taxes in incorporated towns of this State,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Davison, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—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

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 12th, 1907

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 150, entitled "An act to provide funds to be used for opening and vacating streets and highways, and for curbing, recurbing, grading and regrading, flagging and reflagging streets and highways so opened or widened, in cities of the first class in this State,"

With Senate Committee substitute,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

HOWARD L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

On motion of Mr Fake,

Senate Bill No 90, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the formation of governments of villages,'" approved February twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one,

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Davison, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Meiz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —42

In the negative was—

Mr Daab—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

On motion of Mr Jess,

Senate Bill No 91, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas (Revision of 1901),'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

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 Alexander, Baader, Barber, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—40

In the negative were—

Messrs Blohm, Daab, Drake, Haines, Holzapfel, Mead, Olwell—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

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Senate Bill No 105, entitled "An act concerning the sale of goods and to make uniform the law relating thereto,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buxton, Cattell, Coiish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jones, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead,

Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Buxton,

Senate committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 116, entitled "An act to establish a State Water-Supply Commission and to define its powers and duties and the conditions under which waters of this State may be diverted,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lillagore, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—42

In the negative was—

Mr Riordan—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

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 356, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the incorporation of cities, and providing for their officers, government and powers,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

And

Senate Bill No 357, entitled "An act concerning cities and conferring power to sprinkle public streets or highways and to provide for the cost and expense of such work"

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Senate Bill No 106, entitled "An act concerning warehouse receipts and to make uniform the law relating thereto,"

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Gioel, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapel, Irick, Jones, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, Van-Blarcom, Wright, Jr —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

The following message was received and read

CUSTODIAN OF THE CAPITOL,
STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
TRENTON, N J, April 12th, 1907

Hon Edgar E Lethbridge, Speaker of House of Assembly

DEAR SIR—As I understand there will be a recess of the Legislature to-day, will you kindly request the members and officers to return all keys immediately after adjournment to-day to the Sergeant-at-Arms of House of Assembly or Custodian of State Capitol, and oblige,

Yours truly,

JOHN W WESEMEN,

Custodian of State Capitol

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No 115, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the formation of railroad corporations and regulate the same,'"

Were taken up, read a third time, and the Speaker put the question, "Shall the House concur in Senate amendments to"

Assembly Bill No 115, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the formation of railroad corporations and regulate the same'"

On which question the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buxton, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Ji, Drake, Earle, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Hahn, Haines, Holcombe, Jess, Jones, Kleneit, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Pawelski, Ridgway, Taylor, Van-Blarcom—33

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Barber, Buck, Burk, Chaplin, Davison, Elvins, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Manson, Mead, Olwell Perkins, Potter, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Thompson, Tumulty, Wright, Ji —21

The Speaker declared the amendments concurred in

On motion of Mr Cattell,

Senate Bill No 280, entitled "An act relating to persons or corporations engaged in the business of transmitting money to foreign countries, or of buying or selling foreign money, or of receiving money on deposit to be transmitted to foreign countries,"

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Daab, Davison, Devine, Ji, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jones, Kleneit, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Merz, Moxon, Pawelski,

Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Barber,

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 255, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize cities to construct sewers and drains and to provide for the payment of the cost thereof,'" approved March eighth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Metz, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—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

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 12th, 1907

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 169, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable the boards of chosen freeholders of any

of the several counties of this State to construct and reconstruct bridges over and across navigable rivers or streams therein, in certain cases, and providing for the regulation thereof,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two,

Assembly Bill No 370, entitled "An act providing for the reimprovement of any street, avenue, road or highway, or the portion of such street, avenue, road or highway, in any city, which has been heretofore improved and for which improvement assessments for benefits have been heretofore levied and imposed, and for the issue of bonds to pay for said improvements,"

Assembly Bill No 372, entitled "An act to provide for the protection of improved streets in cities of this State, to authorize cities to require water, sewer and gas connections to be made before the improvement of any street and empowering such city to make water, sewer and gas connections and the cost thereof lien upon lands,"

Assembly Bill No 146, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide a capital fund to be used for the opening, widening, vacating and other such improvements of streets in cities of the first class in this State,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Assembly Bill No 222, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to the writ of certiorari (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 447, entitled "An act to regulate the construction and use of dams in the waters of Paulins Kill, in the counties of Warren and Sussex,"

Assembly Bill No 277, entitled "An act to prohibit sales of merchandise in bulk in fraud of creditors,"

Assembly Bill No 434, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize incorporated towns and townships to construct sewers, drains and a sewer disposal plant or plants and to provide for the payment of the costs thereof,'" approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Assembly Bill No 508, entitled "An act to defray the incidental expenses of the Legislature of New Jersey for the session of one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Assembly Bill No 385, entitled "An act to authorize the erection of a tablet or monument on the battle ground of Chestnut Neck, in the State of New Jersey, and to provide money to pay the cost of the erection and dedication of the same,"

Assembly Bill No 468, entitled "An act authorizing the conveyance of certain lands, now in the ownership of the State of New Jersey, to the city of Perth Amboy,"

Assembly Bill No 348, entitled "An act to permit real estate belonging to any city of the first class, a portion or all of which is not required for the purposes for which it was acquired, to be used for a hospital for persons suffering from tuberculosis, and to provide for the maintenance and supervision of said hospital,"

And

Assembly Bill No 257, entitled "An act to provide for the distribution by the State of certain publications to the free public libraries of this State,"

Also,

Senate Bill No 296, entitled "An act constituting eight hours' service a full day's labor for persons employed in or about State penal institutions of this State and the convicts confined therein,"

Senate Bill No 314, entitled "An act to provide for the purchase of sites for and the erection and equipment of armories in counties of the third class, and making appropriations therefor, and to provide for the taking of real estate for such sites by commission in case the same cannot be purchased by agreement,"

Senate Bill No 365, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seven,'" approved May twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Senate Bill No 366, entitled "An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

And

Assembly Bill No 218, entitled "An act to amend 'An act to

provide for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

With Senate amendment,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

HOWARD L TYLER,

Secretary of the Senate

On motion of Mr Barber,

Senate Bill No 251, entitled "An act for the relief of Frank O Briggs, former State Treasurer,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Elvins, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Gioel, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Meiz, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Baker,

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No 218, entitled "An act to amend 'An act to provide for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Were taken up, read a third time, and the Speaker put the question, "Shall the House concur in Senate amendments to"

Assembly Bill No 218, entitled "An act to amend 'An act to provide for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three

On which question the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Blohm, Brady, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom—40

In the negative—None

The Speaker declared the amendments concurred in

On motion of Mr Burk,

Senate Bill No 296, entitled "An act constituting eight hours' service a full day's labor for persons employed in or about State penal institutions of this State and the convicts confined therein,"

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 Auf der Heide, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Buck, Burk, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Fake, Firth, Hahn, Holzapfel, Irick, Jones, Lane, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom—32

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Cattell, Elvins, Gibbs, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Morris, Ridgway, Sullivan, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Elvins,

Senate Bill No 176, entitled "An act for the better protection of hotel, inn and boarding-house proprietors and limiting their liability,"

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 Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, Wright, Jr —36

In the negative were—

Messrs Daab, Davison, Merz, Pawelski—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

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 10th, 1907

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 48, entitled "An act regulating the salaries of members of the boards of council or other governing bodies of towns, incorporated as such, in this State,"

With Senate amendment,

Assembly Bill No 142, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the Orphans' Court and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the Orphans' Court and surrogates (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and ninety-eight,

With Senate amendment,

Assembly Bill No 291, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

With Senate amendment,

And

Senate Bill No 349, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the protection of the public health,'" approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

HOWARD L TYLER,

Secretary of the Senate

On motion of Mr Drake,

Senate Bill No 281, entitled "An act to authorize townships to purchase and acquire sewers and to provide for the payment of the expense incurred,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Cattell, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Drake, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Moxon, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, Van-Blarcom, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Drake,

Senate Bill No 293, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the formation, establishment and government of towns,'" approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Cattell, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Assembly Bill No 391, entitled "An act to permit the retirement on pension from public office or position of certain honorably discharged soldiers, sailors and marines, who served in the Union army, war of the rebellion,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Blohm, Brady, Buck, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jones, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Assembly Bill No 393, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning disorderly persons (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Blohm, Breunig, Cattell, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlaicom—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

On motion of Mr Smalley,

Senate Bill No 314, entitled "An act to provide for the purchase of sites for and the erection and equipment of armories in counties of the third class, and making appropriations therefor, and to provide for the taking of real estate for such sites by commission in case the same cannot be purchased by agreement,"

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 Baader, Baker, Breunig, Burk, Cattell, Corish, Crowther, Davison, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Hahn, Haines, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jones, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom—31

In the negative were—

Messrs Hendrickson, Jr, Olwell—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

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 12th, 1907

Mr Spcaker

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 notify the House of Assembly that the Senate is desirous of adopting a railroad commission bill satisfactory to both houses, and in furtherance of that desire notifies the House that its conference committee is willing to meet the conference committee of the House of Assembly, if the House so desires, be it further

Resolved, That said conference committee be instructed to report to their respective houses the procedure necessary to revive Assembly Bill No 65, as amended, if, in their judgment, it is now dead

HOWARD L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

Mr Klenert moved that the message be received and spread in full upon the minutes

Mr Alexander offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the Clerk of the House notify the Senate that the House is desirous of adopting a railroad commission bill satisfactory to both houses, and in furtherance of that desire notifies the Senate that its conference committee is willing to meet the conference committee of the Senate at once, be it further

Resolved, That said conference committee be instructed to report to their respective houses the procedure necessary to revive Assembly Bill No 65, as amended, if, in their judgment, it is now dead, provided they shall agree upon a railroad commission bill, and be it further

Resolved, That said conference committee be instructed to consider and report upon the possibility of meeting for the purposes aforesaid at any time before the 18th of June, and to report to

their respective houses the procedure necessary to consider a railroad commission bill on June 18th if one shall be agreed upon

On motion of Mr VanBlarcom,

Assembly Bill No 498, entitled "An act authorizing the division of townships into water districts for the purpose of supplying water within such districts for fire purposes, and the election of water commissioners in said districts,"

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buik, Cattell, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jones, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Morris, Moxon, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Chaplin,

Senate Bill No 260 entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend 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 June nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amendment, proposed by the Judiciary Committee, was read and adopted

Strike out whole of section twenty

On motion of Mr Chaplin,

Senate Bill No 290, entitled "An act providing for divorces and for decrees of nullity of marriage and for alimony and the

maintenance of children (Revision of 1902)," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Chaplin,

Senate Bill No 290, entitled "An act providing for divorces and for decrees of nullity of marriage and for alimony and the maintenance of children (Revision of 1902)," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,

As amended,

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 Alexander, Baader, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlaricom, Wright, Jr —38

In the negative was—

Mr Brady—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

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 167, entitled "An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of speedways in counties of this State,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Blohm, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake,

Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Firth, Gibbs, Hahn, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—41

In the negative was—

Mr Hendrickson, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Smalley,

Senate Bill No 168, entitled "An act to secure the purity of foods, beverages, confectionery, condiments, drugs and medicines, and to prevent deception in the distribution and sales thereof (Revision of 1907),"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Barbeı, Blohm, Brady, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Crowther, Davison, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Jones, Lane, Lewis, Lillagoie, Manson, Mead, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom Wright, Jr—38

In the negative was—

Mr Daab—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

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No 142, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the Orphans' Court and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the Orphans' Court and

surrogates (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and ninety-eight,

Were taken up, and the Speaker put the question, "Shall the House concur in the Senate amendments to said bill?"

On which question the ayes and nays, being called for, were as follows

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Morris, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—44

In the negative—None

The Speaker declared the amendments concurred in

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 339, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to abolish the State Board of Taxation and create in lieu thereof a board for equalization, revision, review and enforcement of tax assessments,'" approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Favorably, without amendment

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No 48, entitled "An act regulating the salaries of members of the boards of council or other governing bodies of towns, incorporated as such, in this State,"

Were taken up, read a third time, and the Speaker put the question, "Shall the House concur in the Senate amendments?"

On which question the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Barber, Blohm, Buxton, Cattell, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Manson, Mead, Merz, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—41

In the negative—None

The Speaker declared the amendments concurred in

On motion of Mr Lane,

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No 356, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Were taken up, read a third time, and the Speaker put the question, "Shall the House concur in the Senate amendments?"

On which question the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Barber, Blohm, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—31

In the negative—None

The Speaker declared the amendments concurred in

On motion of Mr Lane,

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No 357, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of courts of law (Revision of 1903),'"

Were taken up, read a third time, and the Speaker put the question, "Shall the House concur in the Senate amendments?"

On which question the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Daab, Davison, Drake, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Lane, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —38

In the negative—None

The Speaker declared the amendments concurred in

On motion of Mr Lane,

Senate Bill No 351, entitled "An act relating to recorders in this State,"

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amendments, proposed by Mr Lane, were read and adopted

In section one, lines two and three, strike out the words "a justice of the peace or the chief of police of the municipality," and insert in lieu thereof the words "an attorney-at-law resident in the county"

In section one, line four, strike out the words "justice of the peace or chief of police," and insert in lieu thereof the words "attorney-at-law"

On motion of Mr Lane,

Senate Bill No 351, entitled "An act relating to recorders in this State,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Lane,

Senate Bill No 351, entitled "An act relating to recorders in this State,"

As amended,

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 Auf der Heide, Barber, Blohm, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Fith, Gibbs, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Olwell, Perkins, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—34

In the negative were—

Messrs Davison, Klenert, Pawelski, Potter—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.

Mr Tumulty, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, reported

Senate Bill No 367, entitled "An act to provide for the abatement of nuisances in and around slaughter-houses and abattoirs in this State,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Senate Joint Resolution No 12, entitled "BE IT RESOLVED *by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey*

"1 The commission appointed by the Governor under the authority of Joint Resolution number eight (8), approved May twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and six, shall have until the next session of the Legislature to further report to the Governor and to the Legislature

"2 The sum of two thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated for the use of the commission for clerical services to be rendered to the commission,"

Favorably, without amendment

On motion of Mr Chaplin,

Senate Bill No 250, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting any execution,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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 Auf der Heide, Blohm, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Lillagore, Merz, Pawelski, Perkins, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Wright, Jr—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 of Assembly has passed the same

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Senate Bill No 331, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the recovery of damages in cases where the death of a person is caused by a wrongful act, neglect or default," approved March third, one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight,'" which amendatory act was approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety seven,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Barber, Blohm, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lewis, Lillagore, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Pawelski, Perkins, Ridgway, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Stille,

Senate Joint Resolution No 11, entitled "Joint Resolution establishing a fund to be used in the discretion of the Governor for aiding in detecting and suppressing crime,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Stille,

Senate Joint Resolution No 11, entitled "Joint Resolution establishing a fund to be used in the discretion of the Governor for aiding in detecting and suppressing crime,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Barber, Blohm, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzäpfel, Irick, Jess, Lewis, Lillagore, Mead, Merz, Olwell, Perkins, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No 206, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Barber, Blohm, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Drake, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Hahn, Irick, Jess, Jones,

Klenert, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Olwell, Perkins, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No 209, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the infliction of the penalty of death,'" approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Chaplin,

Senate Bill No 324, entitled "A further supplement to an act to provide for the appointment of a commission to revise and codify the law relating to master and servant," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and five,

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—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.

On motion of Mr Stille,

Senate Bill No 248, entitled "An act providing for the pensioning of police officers in townships of this State, and regulating the method by which the same may be accepted and become operative therein,"

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 Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlaicom, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Lillagore,

Senate Bill No 165, 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, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Backus, Barber, Blohm, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Lillagore,

Senate Bill No 164, 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, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Elvins,

Senate Bill No 366, entitled "An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, Van-Blaicom, Wright, Jr—52

In the negative was—

Mr Daab—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

On motion of Mr Elvins,

Senate Bill No 365, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seven,'" approved May twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane,

Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No 255, entitled "An act to empower municipalities to establish and maintain plants for the treatment, disposal or rendering of sewage,"

Were taken up, read a third time, and the Speaker put the question, "Shall the House concur in Senate amendments?"

On which question the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Baker, Barber, Buck, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Fake, Hahn, Haines, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lillagore, Manson, Merz, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—36

In the negative were—

Messrs Baader, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buxton, Corish, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Lane, Lewis, Mead, Olwell, Smalley—14

The Speaker declared the amendments concurred in

On motion of Mr Lewis,

Senate Bill No 189, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of sewer commissioners in cities of this State,"

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Lewis,

Senate Bill No 190, entitled "An act providing for the construction of sewers and sewer systems in cities of this State and the issuance of bonds for the cost thereof, and providing for collecting rentals for the use of such sewers and sewer systems,"

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 Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—52

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same

On motion of Mr Stille,

Senate Bill No 326, entitled "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act regulating the granting by municipalities of consent to the use of streets, avenues, parks, parkways and other public places,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—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

Mr Brady offered the following resolution

Resolved, That in accordance with the concurrent resolution received from the House of Assembly on March twenty-seventh, and concurred in by the Senate on Tuesday, April seventh, the Senate do now take a recess until June eighteenth, nineteen hundred and seven, at eleven o'clock in the morning of said day

On the call for ayes and nays the vote was as follows

In the affirmative—None

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrick-

son, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —53

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 12th, 1907

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 358, entitled "An act relating to appropriations in certain municipalities and unexpended balances thereof,"

Assembly Bill No 413, entitled "An act to provide for the establishment of public playgrounds in cities of this State and for the maintenance, control and management thereof,"

Assembly Bill No 449, entitled "An act to consolidate with and annex to the town of Montclair, in the county of Essex, the territory embraced within the township of Verona, in the county of Essex, provided a majority of the votes cast in said town and in said township upon said annexation and consolidation shall be in favor thereof, and to provide for the submission of the said question to the voters of said town and said township,"

Assembly Bill No 401, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,'" approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 438, entitled "An act to fix the annual salary of the mayors of certain cities in this State,"

Assembly Bill No 374, entitled "An act to aid by an appropriation of State funds the erection and dedication of a monument to commemorate the services rendered by Abraham Clark, one of the New Jersey signers of the declaration of independence,"

Assembly Bill No 58, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No 272, entitled "An act to further amend section one of chapter one hundred and twenty-five of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, entitled 'An act to authorize towns to renew matured bonds,'" approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, as the same was amended by chapter two of the laws of one thousand nine hundred,

Assembly Bill No 417, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the use of power vessels and boats navigating the waters within the jurisdiction of this State above tidewater and to provide for the inspection and licensing of power vessels, their masters, pilots and engineers,'" approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Assembly Bill No 295, entitled "An act to set off territory from the borough of Mountainside, in the county of Union, and annex the same to the town of Westfield, in said county,"

Assembly Bill No 345, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act authorizing the sale of land granted or devised to religious associations, or to corporations formed or existing for the purpose of education, or to officers or trustees of such corporations in certain cases,'" approved April seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Assembly Bill No 376, entitled "An act to prohibit fishing through or under ice in any of the waters of this State,"

Assembly Bill No 421, entitled "An act to establish a school and to provide facilities and accommodations in the State prison,"

And

Assembly Bill No 453, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the planting and care of shade trees on the highways of the municipalities of this State,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three,

HOWARD L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Senate Bill No 312, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the permanent improvement of public roads in this State (Revision of 1905),'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and five,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —52

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same

On motion of Mr Lewis,

Senate Bill No 288, 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, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Barber, Blohm, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson,

Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —52

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same

On motion of Mr Lewis,

Senate Bill No 228, entitled "A supplement to 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,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —52

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same

On motion of Mr Lewis,

Senate Bill No 328, entitled "An act providing for the copying and transferring of records of deeds, mortgages and returns of roads, located and recorded in any county of this State, which has been set off from any other county, and the deposit of such transferred records in the proper office of the county where said lands and roads are now situated,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Gioel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Ji —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

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Senate Bill No 306, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Gioel, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —53

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same

Mr Auf der Heide, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships, reported

Senate Bill No 89, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the formation and government of villages,'" approved February twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one,

And

Senate Bill No 358, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the formation and government of villages,'" approved February twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one,

Favorably, without amendment

On motion of Mr Fake,

Senate Bill No 89, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the formation and government of villages,'" approved February twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Fake,

Senate Bill No 89, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the formation and government of villages,'" approved February twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one,

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Irick, Jess, Jones, Kleneit, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—53

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same

On motion of Mr Fake,

Senate Bill No 358, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the formation and government of villages,'" approved February twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Fake,

Senate Bill No 358, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the formation and government of villages,'" approved February twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Lillagore,

Senate Bill No 347, entitled "An act for the government of the State prison to better the condition of prisoners upon their discharge,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Kleneit, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Cattell,

Senate Bill No 279, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating fraternal beneficiary societies, orders or associations,'" approved March eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Backus, Barber, Blohm, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Jones, Kleneit, Lane, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—47

In the negative were—

Messrs Baader, Firth, Irick, Lewis—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

On motion of Mr Lewis,

Senate Bill No 14, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase of voting machines and to regulate the use of the same at elections,' " approved April twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and five.

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Burk, Cattell, Crowther, Daab, Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Tillman, VanBlarcom—41

In the negative were—

Messrs Baader, Brady, Breunig, Buxton, Chaplin, Corish, Groel, Sullivan—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

On motion of Mr Smalley,

Senate Joint Resolution No. 9, entitled "Joint Resolution concerning the investigation of live-stock raising in New Jersey, providing for a commission to study a method whereby the industry can be improved through the purchase by the State of blooded animals, and providing for a method for the distribution throughout the State and the promotion of live-stock raising by the agriculturists of the State, and to recommend such laws to the next Legislature that will enable the State to carry such a plan into effect,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab,

Davison, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Kleneit, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Ridgway, Rioidan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom—42

In the negative was—

Mr Sullivan—1

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

On motion of Mr Lewis,

Assembly committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 339, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to abolish the State Board of Taxation and create in lieu thereof a board for equalization, revision, review and enforcement of tax assessments,'" approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Barber, Blohm, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Potter,

Assembly Bill No 486, entitled "An act to amend an act passed March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, and entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An

act for the government and regulation of the State prison,"'" passed April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Manson, Mead, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—32

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Buxton, Cattell, Irick, Jess, Lewis, Metz, Thompson—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 Morris, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No 340, entitled "An act to amend subsection twenty-seven of section fourteen of an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities,'" approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Breunig, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Senate Bill No 301, entitled "An act to regulate and control the construction, cleanliness and location of slaughter-houses, abattoirs and places where animals are slaughtered for sale for human food and to provide for the licensing of these establishments,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Senate Bill No 368, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act creating a bureau of shell fisheries,'" approved April fourteenth, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and three,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Hahn, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported

Senate Bill No 102, entitled "An act providing uniform laws to regulate the catching and taking of fish in the Delaware river and bay between the State of Delaware and the State of New Jersey,"

Senate Bill No 260, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend 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 June nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,"

And

Senate Bill No 195, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the scientific investigation of oyster propagation,'" approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and one,

Favorably, without amendment

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 502, entitled "A supplement to the act entitled 'An act concerning evidence (Revision of 1900),'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Earle, Elvins, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lewis, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Pawelski, Perkins,

Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—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

Mr Riordan moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 481, entitled "An act to establish a department for the supervision and inspection of electrical and gas equipment in cities of the first class in this State, to provide for the inspection of electrical and gas machines, meters and appliances, and for the appointment and duties of officers and inspectors therein, and for their compensation and terms of office,"

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and

Assembly Bill No 481, entitled "An act to establish a department for the supervision and inspection of electrical and gas equipment in cities of the first class in this State, to provide for the inspection of electrical and gas machines, meters and appliances, and for the appointment and duties of officers and inspectors therein, and for their compensation and terms of office,"

Be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Assembly Bill No 491, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessments and water rates or water rents in cities of this State, and imposing and levying a tax, assessment and lien in lieu and instead of such arrearages, and to enforce the payment thereof and to provide for the sale of lands subjected to further taxation and assessment,'" passed March thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

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 Auf der Heide, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Buik, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Davison, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jones, Kleneit, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom—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

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 12th, 1907

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 368, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act creating a bureau of shell fisheries,'" approved April fourteenth, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and three,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

HOWARD L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 12th, 1907

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 422, entitled "An act confirming the title to certain real estate of which James R Smith, late of county of Essex, in this State, died seized"

HOWARD L TYLER,

Secretary of the Senate

The Senate message was then taken up, and

Senate Bill No 340, entitled "An act to amend subsection twenty-seven of section fourteen of an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities,'" 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 368, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act creating a bureau of shell fisheries,'" approved April fourteenth, in the year of our Lord 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

On motion of Mr Thompson,

Assembly Bill No 440, entitled "An act providing for the establishment of evening schools for foreign residents in the State of New Jersey,"

Was taken up and read a second time by its title

On motion of Mr Thompson,

Assembly Bill No 440, entitled "An act providing for the establishment of evening schools for foreign residents in the State of New Jersey,"

Be recommitted to committee,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Potter,

Assembly Bill No 351, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Port Norris, in the county of Cumberland,"

Was taken up and read a second time by its title

On motion of Mr Potter,

Assembly Bill No 351, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Port Norris, in the county of Cumberland,"

Was recommitted to committee,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Blohm,

Assembly Bill No 323, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to improve the conditions of tenement-houses of this State and to establish a State board of tenement-house supervision,'" approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and four (P L, p 96),

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buik, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jones, Lillagore, Manson, Mead Merz, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Strile, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—44

In the negative were—

Messrs Gibbs, Hendrickson, Jr, Irick, Jess—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 amendments to

Assembly Bill No 73, entitled "An act to amend the negotiable instrument law relative to the payment of forged checks,"

Were taken up, read a second time, and the Speaker put the question, "Shall Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No 73, entitled "An act to amend the negotiable instrument law relative to the payment of forged checks,"

Have a third reading?"

Which was agreed to

Mr Hendrickson moved that the House concur in the Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No 73, entitled "An act to amend the negotiable instrument law relative to the payment of forged checks,"

Upon which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Fuith, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—51

In the negative—None

The Speaker declared the amendments concurred in

Senate committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 291, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was taken up, read a second time, and the Speaker put the question, "Shall Senate committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No 291, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Have a third reading?"

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 492, entitled "An act to provide for the payment of rewards to the widows and minor children of persons killed in the assisting of the police in municipalities,"

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr , Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr , Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess Jones, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—51

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Merz,

Assembly Bill No 493, entitled "An act to authorize cities to issue bonds to obtain money to rebuild sewers,"

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr , Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr , Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Kleneit, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—53

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Senate Bill No 307, entitled "An act to provide for the construction of storage reservoirs, the control of flood waters, and the maintenance and regulation of water-supply districts, when established by law,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Senate Bill No 307, entitled "An act to provide for the construction of storage reservoirs, the control of flood waters, and the maintenance and regulation of water-supply districts, when established by law,"

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—53

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same

On motion of Mr Thompson,

Senate Bill No 102, entitled "An act providing uniform laws to regulate the catching and taking of fish in the Delaware river and bay between the State of Delaware and the State of New Jersey,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Thompson,

Senate Bill No 102, entitled "An act providing uniform laws to regulate the catching and taking of fish in the Delaware river and bay between the State of Delaware and the State of New Jersey,"

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Buik, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Stille,

Senate Bill No 260, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend 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 June nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Baader, Barber, Buxton, Chaplin, Daab, Devine, Jr, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Holzapfel, Jess, Jones, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Stille, Taylor, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—25.

In the negative were—

Messrs Brady, Breunig, Cattell, Corish, Crowther, Davison, Drake, Earle, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Irick, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan—19

On motion of Mr Smalley,

Senate Bill No 107, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a sanatorium for persons afflicted with tuberculous diseases and to provide for the selection of a site and the erection of buildings therefor and the government thereof,' " 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

On motion of Mr Smalley,

Senate Bill No 107, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a sanatorium for persons afflicted with tuberculous diseases and to provide for the selection of a site and the erection of buildings therefor and the government thereof,' " approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Jess,

Senate Bill No 368, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act creating a bureau of shell fisheries,' " approved April fourteenth, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Jess,

Senate Bill No 368, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act creating a bureau of shell fisheries,' " approved April fourteenth, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and three,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Frith, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlaricom—55

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Senate Bill No 178, 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 of said violations,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Senate Bill No 178, 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 of said violations,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Breunig, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Daab, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Hahn, Haines, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lane, Lillagore, Manson, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—44

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Brady, Buik, Groel, Mead, Thompson—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

On motion of Mr Stille,

Senate Bill No 195, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the scientific investigation of oyster propagation,'" approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and one,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Stille,

Senate Bill No. 195, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the scientific investigation of oyster propaga-

tion,'" approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and one,

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 Auf der Heide, Blohm, Buik, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, VanBlaicom—35

In the negative were—

Messrs Baader, Coush, Hahn, Lane, Morris—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

On motion of Mr Smalley,

Senate Bill No 204, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to prevent the pollution of the waters of this State by the establishment of a State Sewerage Commission and authorizing the creation of sewerage districts and district sewerage boards, and prescribing, defining and regulating the powers and duties of such commission and such boards," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,'" approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Smalley,

Senate Bill No 204, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to prevent the pollution of the waters of this State by the establishment of a State Sewerage Commission and authorizing the creation of sewerage districts and district sewerage boards, and prescribing, defining and regulating the powers and duties of such commission and such boards," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and

ninety-nine,'" approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Blohm, Brady, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Kleneit, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlaicom—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

On motion of Mr Elvins,

Senate Bill No 256, entitled "An act to secure to companies incorporated under 'An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1875),' and the supplements and amendments thereto, owning and operating a public sewerage plant in any municipality in this State, the right to continue to maintain and operate the same,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Elvins,

Senate Bill No 256, entitled "An act to secure to companies incorporated under 'An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1875),' and the supplements and amendments thereto, owning and operating a public sewerage plant in any municipality in this State, the right to continue to maintain and operate the same,"

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Blohm, Brady, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Drake, Earle, Elvins,

Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Haines, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Lewis, Merz, Moxon, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, VanBlarcom—28

In the negative were—

Messrs Devine, Jr, Gibbs, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Jones, Kleneit, Lillagore, Mead, Morris, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, Wright, Ji —14

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Senate Bill No 271, entitled "A supplement to '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 second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Hendrickson,

Senate Bill No 271, entitled "A supplement to '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, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gioel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Ji, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Kleneit, Lane, Lewis, Lillagoie, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Rioidan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —53

In the negative was—

Mr Manson—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

On motion of Mr Groel,

Senate Joint Resolution No 12, entitled "BE IT RESOLVED *by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey*

"1 The commission appointed by the Governor under the authority of Joint Resolution number eight (8), approved May twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and six, shall have until the next session of the Legislature to further report to the Governor and to the Legislature

"2 The sum of two thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated for the use of the commission for clerical services to be rendered to the commission,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—42

In the negative was—

Mr Sullivan—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

On motion of Mr Kleneit,

Senate Bill No 85, 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, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Jess, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Metz, Morris, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Assembly committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 58, entitled "An act concerning roads,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Cattell, Chaplin, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Fake, Gibbs, Gioel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Klenert, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty—39

In the negative were—

Messrs Brady, Earle, Firth, Metz, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Lillagore,

Senate Bill No 343, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to make provisions for lighting the State prison,'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Elvins, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Fake,

Senate Bill No 295, entitled "An act to amend the title of an act entitled 'An act to ascertain the rights of the State and of the riparian owners in the lands lying under the waters of the bay of New York and elsewhere in this State,'" approved April eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four,

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Baker, Burk, Chaplin, Crowther, Drake, Haines, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lillagore, Manson, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor—18

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lillagore, Mead, Morris, Sullivan, VanBlarcom—22

On motion of Mr Cattell,

Senate Bill No 120, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled

'A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),'" approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Was taken up, 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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Daab, Devine, Jr., Elvins, Fake, Firth, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, VanBlarcom—34

In the negative was—

Mr Thompson—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

On motion of Mr Wright,

Senate Bill No 131, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,'" which supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Buxton, Chaplin, Corish, Crowther, Devine, Jr, Elvins, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Moxon, Olwell, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson—33

In the negative were—

Messrs Daab, Eppinger, Firth, Lane, Merz, Pawelski, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Thompson,

Senate Bill No 268, 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, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Blohm, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Elvins, Fake, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Morris, Moxon, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty—31

In the negative were—

Messrs Baader, Brady, Firth, Groel, Mead, Olwell, Smalley, Stille—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

On motion of Mr Ridgway,

Senate Bill No 332, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the use of power vessels and boats navigating the waters within the jurisdiction of this State above tidewater, and to provide for the inspection and licensing of power vessels, their masters, pilots and engineers,'" approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Elvins, Fake, Firth, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Lane, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Barber,

Senate Bill No 263, entitled "An act in relation to schools for industrial education in cities of the second class in this State,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson—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

Mr Klenert offered the following resolutions, which were read nd adopted

Resolved, That the thanks of this House be and are hereby extended to Michael W Higgins, Clerk, Myron C Ernst, Assistant Clerk, Raymond Newman, Assistant Clerk, John Schuler, Journal Clerk, Samuel T Munson, Assistant Journal Clerk, O R Tugler, Assistant Journal Clerk, P Anthony Brock, Supervisor

of Bills, John A Hopkins, James L DeWitt and John W DeMott, Assistant Supervisors of Bills, Frank Hague, Sergeant-at-Arms, P J Whalen, First Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms, John P. Kerwin, Second Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms, William H Post, Bill Clerk, Henry J Earle, Jr, Assistant Bill Clerk

Resolved, That the thanks of the House be and the same are hereby tendered to the Hon Alfred N Barber for his honest, able and courteous conduct as leader of the minority during the present session To him we would extend the warmest expression of respect and esteem

Resolved, That the members of the House do hereby express their appreciation of the gentlemanly, fair and uniformly kind treatment received by them at the hands of Mr David A Dugan, Private Secretary to the Speaker, and to James D Moriarty, Speaker's Private Secretary

Resolved, That the thanks of the House of Assembly are hereby extended to Hon John W Weseman, Custodian of the State House, and his assistants, for the manner in which he has provided for the wants and comfort of the members of the House during this session

Resolved, That the thanks of the House be and are hereby tendered to the publishers of the "Daily State Gazette" and the "Daily True American," both of Trenton, for the papers served to the individual members during this session

Resolved, That the thanks of the House of Assembly be and are hereby extended to the newspaper correspondents for the uniform fairness with which they have treated the members of the House

Resolved, That the thanks of the House be and are hereby extended to William H Meseroll, Assistant Custodian, for the efficient and courteous manner in which he has attended to the want of the House during this session

Resolved, That the thanks of this House be and are hereby extended to Charles R Robinson, Document Clerk, for the efficien and courteous manner in which he has attended to the wants of th House during this session

Resolved, That the thanks of the House of Assembly be tendere to the John L Murphy Publishing Company for the prompt an

satisfactory manner in which the current printing for this session has been performed, and for their accuracy and the intelligent manner in which their work has been done

Resolved, That the thanks of this House be and the same are hereby tendered to the pages, doorkeepers and other attaches of this House for their untiring efforts to please the members

Resolved, That the chairman of the standing committees be requested to hand all bills not acted upon to the Clerk of the House

Resolved, That the Sergeant-at-Arms be directed to make an immediate accounting of all stationery, books and other articles in his own possession and in the possession of the various officers and committees of the House, and turn the same over to the Comptroller, taking his receipt therefor, and the Comptroller is hereby directed to retain the same for the use of the next Legislature

Mr Barber offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the thanks of the minority members of this House be extended Majority Leader Klenert for his eminently fair and courteous treatment evidenced at all times during this session

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted,

Resolved, That the Clerk of the House of Assembly be instructed to notify the Senate that the House is now ready to take a recess until June 18th

Mr Klenert 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 Michael W Higgins, Clerk of the House of Assembly, in the same manner as the index of the minutes of last year, and that he be paid therefor the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars

Mr Barber offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That this House express to the Hon Edgar E Lethbridge, its Speaker, the appreciation it has for him because of the

fair, courteous and impartial manner in which he has presided over and guided its deliberations By his honorable desire for prompt dispatch of business, attention to the welfare of the State and recognition of majority and minority, alike, he has won the lasting regard of each and every member

The following resignations were read and accepted

To the Hon Edgar E Lethbridge and Members of the House of Assembly of the State of New Jersey

I hereby tender my resignation to the one hundred and thirty-first session, General Assembly of New Jersey, as a member, from the county of Camden

Very respectfully,

SAMUEL P JONES

To the Hon Edgar E Lethbridge and Members of the House of Assembly of the State of New Jersey

I hereby tender my resignation as a member of the General Assembly, from the county of Middlesex

Very respectfully,

FRANK CROWTHER

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 12th, 1907

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 369, entitled "An act to create a Board of Railroad Commissioners for the State of New Jersey, and to prescribe its powers and duties,"

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

HOWARD L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

The Senate message was then taken up, and

Senate Bill No 369, entitled "An act to create a Board of Railroad Commissioners for the State of New Jersey, and to prescribe its powers and duties,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Special Conference Committee, consisting of Messrs Alexander, Kleneat and Wright

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Senate Bill No 369, entitled "An act to create a Board of Railroad Commissioners for the State of New Jersey, and to prescribe its powers and duties,"

Was taken up on second reading, considered by sections, and the amendments, proposed by Mr Alexander, were read and adopted by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Chaplin, Colish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Kleneat, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—35

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Buck, Buik, Buxton, Cattell, Davison, Elvins, Gibbs, Haines, Irick, Jess, Lewis, Lillagore, Moxon, Thompson—14

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Senate Bill No 369, entitled "An act to create a Board of Railroad Commissioners for the State of New Jersey, and to prescribe its powers and duties,"

As amended,

Was ordered to have a third reading, the rules having been suspended

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Senate Bill No 369, entitled "An act to create a Board of Railroad Commissioners for the State of New Jersey, and to prescribe its powers and duties,"

As amended,

Was taken up and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Kleneit, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—47

In the negative were—

Messrs Gibbs, Irick, Lewis—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

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 12th, 1907.

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 notify the House of Assembly that the Senate is about to take a recess, in accordance with the Concurrent Resolution adopted by the Senate and House of Assembly,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

HOWARD L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

On motion of Mr Kleneit, the House then adjourned in accordance with the Concurrent Resolution adopted by the Senate and General Assembly

TUESDAY, June 18th, 1907

House met at 10 30 o'clock A M

Prayer was offered by Rev Dr Samuel M Studdiford, of Trenton, N J

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Buik, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Gioel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —54

Absent—

Messrs Drake, Elvins, Pawelski,, Sullivan—4

Mr Klenert moved that the reading of the Journal be dispensed with

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the Clerk inform the Governor and Senate that in accordance with the Concurrent Resolution to adjourn to June 18th, the House is now in session

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the Speaker of the House be authorized to appoint three members a committee to confer with a like number of the members of the Senate and report to the House of Assembly and Senate as to the procedure of both houses under the recess resolution heretofore adopted

The Speaker appointed Messrs Klenert, Alexander and Barber

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate be directed to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has reconvened

A message was received from the Governor, by the hands of Mr Gray, his Secretary, which was read, as follows

Gentlemen of the Senate and Assembly

I welcome you as you reconvene to complete your labors of the One Hundred and Thirty-first Session of the Legislature The custom you have inaugurated, awaiting the action of the Executive upon the bills you have submitted to his consideration and then passing upon that action, not only accords with the spirit of the constitution, but is a more satisfactory and more faithful performance of your legislative duties The custom of adjourning *sine die* and leaving upon the desk of the Executive two to three hundred bills at the closing hour of the session not only imposed undue responsibility upon the Governor and vested him with arbitrary power, but subjected our statutes to legal questions liable at any time to cause trouble and confusion

The reform which you have inaugurated at a sacrifice of your time and private interests is commendable and praiseworthy I trust, however, that this new departure will not stop with the adoption of the recess plan It would be much more satisfactory if the Legislature would pass bills at such times during the session as would enable the Executive to consider and act upon them, so that when the Legislature adjourned all the legislative work would be properly and regularly disposed of Since the temporary adjournment of the Legislature 257 bills have been received from that body Of this number 206 have become laws either by signa-

tuie or filing Fifty-one are returned to you for further considera tion

My reasons for disapproving these bills accompany the measures returned to your respective branches

The closing hours of your session were marked by incidents that make it doubtful whether certain measures had full and deliberate consideration Night sessions, with attendant physical and nervous exhaustion, are not conducive to judicial action or careful legislation Under these circumstances I call your atten tion to some of the important measures that failed to receive your approval

In my second message I earnestly urged your favorable consideration of the act approving the methods of drawing grand juries, an act for an improved and more efficient civil service, an act for the expression at the primaries of the people's preference for United States Senators, prohibition of ballots outside the polling place for election purposes, and the constitutional amend ment for the separation of State and municipal elections

I shall not reiterate the reasons set forth in my regular message that seemed to me to justify these measures, which I still regard as most important to the welfare of our State

GRAND JURY REFORM

The act of last year changing the method of selecting our petit juries has justified its passage, and has received the approval of a number of judges who have observed its operation The success of that reform warrants the application of a similar principle in the selection of grand juries The selection of a grand jury should not be vested in any one individual As I said in my second message, "A man's reputation is too dear to be at the mercy of his opponents who may be invested with power, and the public welfare is too important to be thwarted by a failure in the administration of justice because violators of the law have influence in the selection of grand juries" In some States grand juries are selected by commission, and some States have no such judicial tribunal This indicates the belief in those States that either

grand juries are unnecessary or where they exist they should be free from even the suspicion of partisan or personal influence The passage of some such measure as was before you at the regular session would serve the ends of justice

CIVIL SERVICE

The question of civil service regulation has been agitated in this State for at least two years I reiterate, in part, what I said upon that subject in my regular message "Patronage is the blight of office It impairs the usefulness of an administration by dividing its energies between appointments and policies, when the latter should have exclusive attention It creates enmities and hampers an administration in the execution of its proper functions Every patriotic official would rejoice if he had no patronage at his command In the hands of an ambitious partisan, patronage builds up an offensive machine, creates an office-holders' trust and demoralizes public life Office-holders whose position depends upon the service they render to the appointing power necessarily give their first allegiance to that power in preference to the people Public business should be conducted upon the same basis as private business, and appointments based upon fitness and capacity A judicious Civil Service law, providing that appointments—municipal, county and State—be based upon efficiency is well worthy of your consideration In measures of this kind, conservative progress is safest and best The executive of a municipality or a State is held responsible to the people who elect him for the results of his administration He cannot succeed, however excellent his policies, unless he is surrounded by loyal official advisers He should have the right to appoint the heads of departments upon whose support depends the success or failure of his administration On no other basis should he be held accountable for the work of his immediate official family Officers elected by the people, officers whose appointments are confirmed by the Senate, officers of any city or county whose appointment is confirmed by any legislative body, persons appointed by name by statute, are not properly subjects of civil service regulations Outside of these, with some few exceptions, a civil service regula-

tion would conduce not alone to the public welfare, but would relieve political life of one of its greatest burdens"

The bill that failed to pass one branch of the Legislature was, generally speaking, safe and conservative, a step in the right direction and one that could be added to in the future as experience justified I earnestly urge favorable consideration of this subject

UNITED STATES SENATORS

The passage of a measure to enable the people to select United States Senators at primaries is in accord with popular sentiment on this subject, and would enable the members of the Legislature to know the desires of their constituents in a way that would leave no ground for dispute Such a measure would be satisfactory to the public and helpful to the members of the Legislature The exact method by which this should be accomplished is not essential The measure should be reasonable and should not fail to recognize the present constitutional conditions that surround the selection of United States Senators The constitution cannot be overcome by statutory provision, nor should such attempt be made, but where it can be supplemented and made to give better expression to popular will, legislative action to that end should be taken

PREVENTION OF BRIBERY

A more efficient means to prevent bribery at the polls was also suggested to you at the regular session In this connection I said "The present method of distributing ballots outside of the polling place, while it may serve convenience in some few instances, aids the briber and bribe taker It enables the briber to arrange a ticket by folding it in a particular way, by writing on it the name of the voter, or some other name agreed upon, in lieu of the candidate for some minor office, or to require the purchased voter to bring from the booth the ticket handed to him by the election officers as evidence that he voted the ticket given to him by the corrupt agent As the ballots are counted, it is not a difficult thing for an agent to note whether the ballots so

prepared are or are not found in the ballot-box, if they are, it is presumptive evidence that the purchased goods have been delivered by the purchased voter, and that he is entitled to consideration If no official ballots were allowed outside of the polling place, these marks of identification could not be made, and there would be no means of proving whether or not the purchased voter was true to his bargain"

I recommend, therefore, that official ballots hereafter be not allowed outside the polling place or that some form of ballot be adopted which will prevent as far as possible means of identification between the bribe taker and the bribe giver Laws should be enacted to this end

SEPARATION OF STATE AND MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS

The separation of State and municipal elections was thoroughly discussed in my second message to the Legislature Such a separation is demanded by every consideration of public policy and political wisdom

STATE DISBURSEMENTS

The method of disbursing State funds for the various purposes authorized by the Legislature varies in different States A scientific method is perhaps yet to be devised In some States commissions are authorized to perform certain functions, erect buildings, and to this end are allowed to spend money with no check except that of their own judgment In most States appropriations are handed either in bulk or in part to the managers of the institutions or the commissions having charge of the objects for which they are appropriated

FORMER METHODS

In this State, prior to 1895, State money was expended largely at the discretion of commissions and State officials with little, and in some cases no check upon their power Acts were passed

involving expenditures of money without making any appropriations therefor, and expenditures were thereafter made year after year without any appropriations Appropriations were often made for an indefinite period and for indefinite sums Many of the laws at that time under which moneys were spent, placed no limit upon the amount or time of expenditure Where specific appropriations were made they were made in separate bills and piecemeal enactments, and not in a single instance were they grouped as a whole Under such a system the cost of government, instead of being under the supervision of the Legislature, was practically left to the discretion of officials, and neither the Legislature nor the people were informed with any accuracy as to what the expenses of the government would actually be from year to year

PRESENT METHODS

In 1895 the Legislature adopted a general appropriation act in which it included every item of expenditure for the next fiscal year, the object and the amount of such expenditure These authorized expenditures cannot be exceeded, and when the sum authorized for each object is exhausted, the expenditure stops until the next Legislature takes action thereon

In the erection of new buildings or additions to old buildings, a specific sum is appropriated for every such improvement and the appropriation bill provides that the money authorized for such purpose shall not become available or a dollar thereof be used until the Governor is satisfied that the improvement can be completed and ready for use within the sum specified Under this provision, I and my predecessors, after the contract is awarded, signed and approved as to form and legality by the Attorney-General, have refrained from approving such contract until personal surety or a surety bond was given for the fulfillment of the same

Under such a system the State's moneys cannot be diverted from the objects for which they were intended, nor can they be used for the partial completion of any projected work This system as embodied in the general appropriation bill inaugurated in

1895, necessitated a complete change in the bookkeeping methods of the State and enabled the people to know for what purposes their moneys were spent and exactly how much was spent

The great percentage of expenditures are made through the Treasurer's office upon the audit of the Comptroller Some appropriations are, however, paid in bulk or in quarterly installments, upon requisition, to the commissions or the boards of managers of our various institutions Some of these bodies are in receipt of incomes from various sources The Trenton Hospital, the Morris Plains Hospital and the Village for Epileptics receive revenues from private patients and from county patients These latter payments are often in arrears, though the patients must be supported and cared for, notwithstanding the delinquency of the counties from which they are admitted

The Fish and Game Commission receives its fines for violations of the game laws and from licenses

The State Board of Education, or rather the treasurer of the Normal School, receives an income from the tuition and board of pupils and from incidentals thereto From these sources of income the State Board of Education has been able to add $160,000 worth of property to the State Normal School without appropriation from the State

The law provides that the revenues above cited should go to the institutions or commissions named, and these revenues together with appropriations from the State, furnish their means of support

Under the above conditions the expenditures of moneys for the maintenance of these institutions is made through the various boards of managers

SUGGESTED IMPROVEMENTS

During the first year of my term a bill was introduced to change this system, to provide that the revenues of these various institutions should be turned into the State Treasury, that their expenses should be paid by the Treasurer upon the audit of the Comptroller, so that every dollar of the State's income and every dollar

of the State's outgo would specially show on the books of the State Treasurer and the State Comptroller That bill had the support of the then State Treasurer and the Governor, but it was so amended and changed during its passage that when it reached my hands I was compelled to veto it because it actually drew out of the State Treasury in bulk and paid the same to the various boards of managers more money than is drawn in a similar way under our present system

The difficulties, however, in the way of the passage of a proper kind of bill does not disprove the wisdom of carrying out to the fullest the policy which was inaugurated by the appropriation bill in 1895, and of providing, as that policy logically presumes, that all the revenues of the State from whatever source, and all the expenses of the State, for whatever purpose, so far as practicable, should pass through the office of the State Treasurer and be audited by the Comptroller

I have had a bill prepared for submission to the Legislature with this end in view This measure, if it becomes a law, will make the offices of Treasurer and Comptroller receiving and disbursing offices for all sources of State income and all purposes of State expenditure This will necessitate some delay in the payment of bills and cause perhaps some inconvenience Bills cannot be paid as promptly in the various institutions as they are paid under the present system Nevertheless, if the National government can pay bills incurred all over the country, the State can pay practically all bills incurred within its confines by the checks of the State Treasurer

I recommend the adoption of this policy, either by the bill which I have prepared or some other measure which would better accomplish the result

THE BRANCHES OF STATE GOVERNMENT

The administration of affairs of State is a business proposition of many different kinds and of varied ramifications The State government includes the following departments Executive, Secretary of State, Attorney-General, State Treasurer, State Comp-

troller, Clerk in Chancery, Clerk of the Supreme Court, Adjutant-General, Quartermaster-General, Banking and Insurance, State Librarian, Public Instruction, Charities and Corrections, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Public Roads, Labor and Industries

It has the following boards of managers, most of them bipartisan in character, each with jurisdiction over a particular institution or field State Board of Health, State Board of Assessors, State Board of Equalization of Taxes, Riparian Commission, State Board of Arbitration, Fish and Game Commission, State Sewerage Commission, Passaic River Flood District Commission, State Board of Voting Machine Commission, State Oyster Commission, Board of Inspectors State Prison, State Board of Agriculture, Geological Survey Board, Commission of Pilotage, State Board of Education, Managers State Hospital at Trenton, Managers State Hospital at Morris Plains, Managers New Jersey Home for Feeble-Minded Women, Trustees State Home for Boys, Trustees State Home for Girls, Commissioners New Jersey Reformatory, Managers Village of Epileptics, Managers New Jersey Home for Disabled Soldiers, Sailors and Marines, Managers New Jersey Home for Disabled Soldiers at Kearny, State Board of Children's Guardians, Managers New Jersey Tuberculosis Sanitorium, Board of Tenement-House Supervision

It has the following State institutions, scattered throughout our Commonwealth State Prison, Agricultural College, Agricultural Experiment Station, State House, State Normal School, Industrial College for Colored Youth, Farnum Preparatory School State Hospital at Trenton, State Hospital at Morris Plains, Home for Feeble-Minded Women, State Home for Boys, State Home for Girls, New Jersey Reformatory, Village for Epileptics, Home for Disabled Soldiers at Kearny, Home for Disabled Soldiers, Sailors, Marines, at Vineland, Tuberculosis Sanitorium

It has the following boards, quasi-professional and quasi-official in duty Medical Examiners, Pharmacy, Dentistry, Architects, Veterinary Medical Examiners, Public Accountants and Undertakers and Embalmers

One-third of these boards and commissions are paid for their services, while two-thirds serve the State without salary or compensation The policy in this State of having honorary boards

where men serve the public without compensation cannot be too highly commended Many of the officials so serving represent our highest type of citizenship and furnish examples of civic patriotism worthy of preservation and emulation They are living witnesses that all public service is not inspired by mercenary motives

Each of these different branches of the State government is by law largely independent in authority, subject to such general supervision as can be given by the Legislature and with such accountability as is rendered in their various reports

SYSTEM OF SUPERVISION

The growth of the State and the tendency of the hour to multiply the functions of government affairs beyond those of a generation ago, has resulted in the creation of so many different branches that supervision by any one head is impossible The creation of the various State commissions has in almost every instance grown out of the demands of public sentiment, just as this year the State Railroad Commission is added to the list at the behest of public opinion The impossibility of any central supervising head like that of a great business house, is readily understood when it is to be remembered that under our constitution we have three departments—judicial, legislative and executive—and that among these three there is divided the responsibility for the control of State affairs so far as they can practically exercise it Nevertheless the necessity for a closer supervision and inspection of the many and varied branches of the State government is vitally important and has been urged and adopted from time to time

The inauguration of an annual appropriation bill, by which all the expenditures of the State for all purposes are set forth with some detail, so that they can be seen by every citizen of the State, was a great step in this direction

The creation of the department of Charities and Corrections, a central bureau of supervision over our penal and charitable institutions which, prior to that time, were conducted each independent of the other, was another movement along the same line This

department has not only brought these cognate institutions into closer relations, resulting in better classification and greater economy of method and effort, but it has, as was noted in my second message, enabled the State to construct for less than the amount appropriated ten new buildings and additions to State institutions, an achievement without a parallel under the old system before the creation of this supervisory bureau

Under the old system the architects' fees alone since May 1st, 1905, would have been $64,183 38 The total expense to the State of this supervision under our present system has been $8,804, an actual saving of $55,379 38 The appropriation for the Rahway Reformatory was $300,000 The contract price was $261,900, leaving an unexpended balance of $38,100 The contract price of the addition to the new dormitory at the Girls' Industrial School was $36,736 The appropriation was $45,000, leaving an unexpended balance of $8,264 Similar illustrations might be multiplied

As a further step toward a more compact government, I made the following recommendation in my second message concerning State licensing boards, which I take the liberty to quote "From time to time the Legislature has created State boards authorized to license applicants who desire to pursue avocations within the State These now consist of the State Board of Pharmacy, Board of Medical Examiners, Board of Dentistry, Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners, Board of Undertakers and Embalmers, Board of Public Accountants The members of these boards are scattered in all parts of the State, and it is doubtful if any man in public life can to-day name the chairmen and secretaries of these bodies or tell where they may be reached, much less can he young man, just starting out in life, be expected to have this, to him, necessary information The difficulty of locating the official habitat of these bodies is a great inconvenience, if not a hardship, to applicants for examination I recommend that provision be made for a common secretary to all these boards, with an office in the State House, attached, perhaps, to the Department of State, to whom all communications of inquiry and application for examination may be addressed"

The creation of the office of State Auditor to investigate and examine the various accounts of the different departments and branches of the government was another necessary step in the direction of watchfulness and supervision

METHODS OF INVESTIGATION AND EXAMINATION

However beneficial these measures may have been, they have not yet reached far enough to entirely prevent laxity of business methods in the growing functions of State government The policy of regular and systematic examination and investigation has for some time been adopted by our great commercial enterprises, and especially by our banking institutions Human agencies are liable to err, to fall into lax methods, to grow careless and indifferent unless continually spurred by the stimulus of investigation and examination on the part of some superior authority No well regulated business house would permit its various departments and employes to continue for ten or fifteen years without any audit or examination No safe banking institution could permit its books or its business methods to go without examination or investigation for a long period of years Such a bank would lose public confidence and would probably fall into careless and indifferent methods of administration, if defalcations do not result Indeed, many of our banking institutions are to-day examined five times a year, sometimes by their own directors, and at times by the State or the National government The necessity of such investigation is everywhere recognized in business circles How much more important is it, therefore, in the affairs of State where departments are responsible to no one head and where the commercial instinct of profit is not present to stimulate diligence and economic methods

It is not unusual, however, for a State government to continue for years without investigations or examinations such as are conducted yearly or oftener by the management of our best business houses It would be surprising if under such conditions derelictions and shortcomings did not develop under this lack of supervision Indeed, it is surprising that there are not more instances of the faults of omission or commission than do actually exist

The service of the State could be greatly improved and rendered more efficient if there was some provision for a proper, judicial and fair investigation and examination of the various State departments and commissions and boards The creation of a permanent body for this work would not seem to be necessary Provision could be made for a commission that could be called into existence at stated times or when needed I would have a commission appointed by the Chief Justice, with the powers of investigation and recommendation This commission should make an examination of State affairs every three or five years and at such other times as would seem to be warranted by any specific case or condition It would be judicial in character In the performance of its functions it would have but one object, namely, to increase the efficiency and economy of the public service, so far as the State was concerned It would not be partisan or political in its deliberations It would not seek to make political capital It would serve the interests of the public by investigating with a view to improve conditions That is what the people demand Before such a commission every State official would stand upon his own merits The examination would not be ex parte or unfair Both sides of a question would be heard and fairly considered and the whole truth presented to the public Such a commission, after examination and inquiry—in which examination and inquiry the State Auditor should be at its disposal —would have a complete grasp of State affairs in all their ramifications It would then be able to recommend what boards, if any, should be consolidated, what economies inaugurated, and what important methods adopted In this way there would be a check, not alone upon the work of State officials and employes, but upon the tendency of the Legislature and the public to create new departments and new commissions that in time often become unnecessary or overlap one another in the performance of their duties Such a commission as this, without being a perpetual body, would be a perpetual investigating committee, judicial in character, without political or partisan bias, and with but one duty to perform, namely, to treat all fairly and promote the interests of the State.

The findings of such an investigating committee would carry with it great weight, because it would resort to no partisan tactics, would conduct no ex parte examinations, but would sit in judgment that was "righteous altogether"

Nor should such a supervision and examination be confined to State affairs The management of our counties and our municipalities and the expenditure of moneys for local purposes are even more important to the taxpayer than the affairs of the State I have frequently called attention to the increasing tax rates and expenditures, and the alarming growth of our municipal indebtedness While I believe that our municipalities should be vested with larger powers of local government and should be permitted to settle in their own legislative bodies many of the special and local problems that now require legislative action at Trenton, I heartily concur with the recommendation of the Commission on Municipal Government for a State audit of municipal accounts Indeed, more than a mere audit is necessary The Legislature should provide some such plan as suggested for the examination of State affairs, to examine and investigate the fiscal methods, systems and expenditures of our counties and municipalities, not only with a view to promoting uniformity in the manner of keeping accounts but to disclose whatever laxity of administration, whatever extravagance in expenditure and whatever unbusinesslike methods may prevail, and to recommend corrections and improvements

The attention of the people should be called at intervals both to the amount and the object of public expenditures Wrong cannot stand publicity Right always welcomes investigation

County and municipal expenditures have grown to such proportions that careful supervision should be exercised thereover and investigation should be made by some State authority with a view to correcting laxity and abuses and placing the conduct of these affairs upon the most economic and best business basis possible I have no doubt that a vast deal of money could be saved the taxpayers in this way A few States have already taken steps in this direction.

THE LOBBYIST STILL FLOURISHES

A year ago the lobbyist occupied attention in both public and legislative discussion A committee appointed by the House of Assembly made a report on this question which was laid before the Legislature During the present session no restrictions seem to have been placed upon the freedom of the lobby It is well known that in various ways and at various times it did not hesitate to interfere with the passage of some measures and to promote the passage of others

Every citizen has a right of access to his representatives, as the right of petition is sacred There is, however, a vast difference between the legitimate exercise of the right of petition and illegitimate interference with legislative action It is a travesty upon legislation to be compelled to appeal to the lobby to give its sanction to meritorious bills or to have it aiding in the passage of bills for private benefit

The lobby is self-appointed, the Legislature is selected by the people While affording every one the right to be heard upon any legislative question, the accredited representatives of the people should take pains to see that there is no intermediary of whatever kind placed between themselves and the people whom they properly represent

The report of the investigating committee, appointed by one branch of your body, will doubtless be laid before you at this session I have not had access to any copy of the testimony taken during the investigation as that very properly belongs to the legislative branch of the government It would be improper and officious on my part to anticipate the action of your committee or the recommendations they may make Whatever derelictions of duty on the part of any official may have been proven, whatever weakness may have been shown in the present laws providing for the administration of the various functions of the State government, you should at once take steps to remedy I shall be glad to co-operate with you to that end

EDWARD C STOKES

Trenton, New Jersey, June 18th, 1907

Mr Riordan moved that the message be spread in full upon the minutes,

Which motion was carried

The following veto messages were received from the Governor by the hands of his Secretary, which were read, as follows

June 18th, 1907

To the House of Assembly

I herewith return, without approval, Assembly Bill No 48, entitled "An act regulating the salaries of members of the boards of council or other governing bodies of towns incorporated as such in this State," because of its unconstitutionality, as explained in the opinion of the Attorney-General, of which the following is a copy

TRENTON, N J, May 14th, 1907

Hon E C Stokes, Governor, &c

DEAR SIR—I have examined Assembly Bill No 48, entitled "An act regulating the salaries of members of the boards of council or other governing bodies of towns incorporated as such in this State" This act is, in my opinion, unconstitutional, for the reason that while the title of the act seems to be general as applying to all towns, the body of the act limits its application to towns having a population of not over eighteen thousand

Very truly yours,

(Signed) ROBERT H McCARTER,

Attorney-General

Respectfully,

E C STOKES,

Governor

June 18th, 1907

To the House of Assembly

I herewith return, without approval, Assembly Bill No 55, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),'" approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven"

This bill clearly violates our present policy on the question of classification Wherever classification depends upon population, under our laws, that population is determined by the promulgation of the federal or the State census This measure provides that population for purposes of classification in boroughs may be determined by a special census, to be taken under the direction of the borough council Aside from the confusion which would result by change in officials and other powers and duties every time a special census was so taken, there is manifestly no reason why a borough of not less than three thousand population should have this privilege as distinguished from other municipalities Such a classification violates article two, section seven, of the State Constitution

Respectfully,

E C STOKES,

Governor

June 18th, 1907

To the House of Assembly

I herewith return, without approval, Assembly Bill No 56, 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"

The purpose of this bill is to validate acknowledgments of deeds, mortgages and other writings made before a commissioner of deeds whose commission shall be void at the time of the taking of such acknowledgments I doubt the wisdom of placing an act of this kind upon the statute books It would seem to encourage negligence The difficulty which this bill seeks to remedy could only occur through the negligence of the commissioner who took an acknowledgment after his commission had expired, a fact of which he should be aware Such errors as this should be corrected by deeds of confirmation or other similar procedure with acknowledgments taken before a proper officer

Moreover, if the bill validating these defective acknowledgments is inaugurated by the Legislature, it will be necessary in searching a title to consult the statutes of the State in order to see whether defective acknowledgments have been cured Searching

titles under such conditions would be unnecessarily complicated and expensive Seaching of titles should be confined to the proper courts of record

Respectfully,

E C STOKES,

Governor

June 18th, 1907

To the House of Assembly

I herewith return, without approval, Assembly Bill No 68, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three"

I see no good reason why the private property of an association should be exempt from taxation because it was engaged in a worthy effort Tax exemptions are continually growing, and it seems to me they should be confined to religious, charitable and educational enterprises

Respectfully,

E C STOKES,

Governor

June 18th, 1907

To the House of Assembly

I herewith return, without approval, Assembly Bill No 73, entitled "An act relative to the payment of forged checks"

The bill not only reduces the time of liability of banks for payment by aid of a forged or raised check from six years to one year, which is in my judgment too great a reduction, but it further provides that the act should go into effect immediately Changes in the law affecting punishment or liability should become effective some time subsequent to the passage of the act, in order that no one may be taken by surprise

Respectfully,

E C STOKES,

Governor

June 18th, 1907

To the House of Assembly

I herewith return, without approval, Assembly Bill No 132, entitled "An act to facilitate the transaction of municipal business in cities of this State," because of its unconstitutionality, for the reasons set forth in the opinion of the Attorney-General, of which the following is a copy

TRENTON, N J, May 14th, 1907

Hon E C Stokes, Governor, &c

DEAR SIR—I have examined Assembly Bill No 132, and in my judgment the same is unconstitutional, for two reasons—*first*, because while the title of the act is apparently general the body of the act limits its application to cities in which there is now a requirement of law that the body having control and charge of streets, &c, shall first obtain the concurrent act of any other co-official board or body prior to the becoming effective of any resolution authorizing work to be done, &c, and *second*, because the body of the act limits its application to cities now having certain requirements, thereby excluding cities which may hereafter have the same requirements

Very truly yours,

(Signed) ROBERT H McCARTER,

Attorney-General.

Respectfully,

E C STOKES,

Governor

June 18th, 1907

To the House of Assembly

I herewith return, without approval, Assembly Bill No 169, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable the boards of chosen freeholders of any of the several counties of this State to construct and reconstruct bridges over and across navigable rivers or streams therein in certain cases, and providing for the regulation thereof,' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand

eight hundred and ninety-two," because of the erasure in line fifteen of the body of the bill changing the rate per cent on the bond issue herein provided for without certification in the jurat of the bill that such erasure was ordered by the Legislature or was the result of an amendment

Respectfully,

E C STOKES,

Governor

June 18th, 1907

To the House of Assembly

I herewith return, without approval, Assembly Bill No 190, entitled "An act to annex to the borough of Bradley Beach a portion of the borough of Neptune City, in the county of Monmouth"

This act is ineffective by reason of the fact that the provisions to be operative must be voted on at a special election to be held on the 15th of May Measures of this character should not only contain the proper referendum but they should not provide for special elections so near the date of the adjournment of the Legislature A mass of bills confront the Governor, and before he can reach all of them in orderly consideration the time for effective action may have expired This bill is a case in point It is a special bill requiring advertising of the intention before introduction into the Legislature Proof of such publication must accompany the bill before it can be approved by the Executive The special election provided for herein was to have occurred on the 15th of May, due notice of which was to be given ten days prior to this date The bill therefore should have been signed, to be effective, some time prior to the 5th of May Not only no proof of publication of the intention to introduce this act as required by law accompanied the bill, nor has it been furnished at the present time, so that the Executive's approval was impossible, if wise

Respectfully,

E C STOKES,

Governor

June 18th, 1907

To the House of Assembly

I herewith return, without approval, Assembly Bill No. 205, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," because the objects aimed at in this bill were obtained in an act passed at the present session of the Legislature, which is now chapter 57 of the laws of 1907.

Respectfully,

E C STOKES,

Governor

June 18th, 1907

To the House of Assembly

I herewith return, without approval, Assembly Bill No 208, 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 88, which is now chapter 177 of the laws of 1907, contains precisely the same provisions of this bill in a more guarded form It is useless to put two laws of the same purport upon the statute books

Respectfully,

E C STOKES,

Governor

June 18th, 1907

To the House of Assembly

I herewith return, without approval, Assembly Bill No 255, entitled "An act to empower municipalities to establish and maintain plants for the treatment, disposal or rendering of sewerage"

This bill was known as the companion bill to the trunk sewer bill and is part of the agreement made between Paterson and Passaic on this subject The bill, however, was so amended as to render it useless for the purposes of the city of Paterson, for which

it was drawn As the measure therefore serves no purpose, it is not worth while to add it to the statute laws of the State.

Respectfully,

E C STOKES,

Governor

June 18th, 1907

To the House of Assembly

I herewith return, without approval, Assembly Bill No 272, entitled "An act to further amend section one of chapter one hundred and twenty-five of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, entitled 'An act to authorize towns to renew matured and maturing bonds,' approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, as the same was amended by chapter two of the laws of one thousand nine hundred"

The objects aimed at in this bill are already provided for by Chapter 3 of the Laws of 1901 I deem this measure unnecessary

Respectfully,

E C STOKES,

Governor

June 18th, 1907

To the House of Assembly

I herewith return, without approval, Assembly Bill No 278, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled '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-third, one thousand nine hundred"

This bill omits from the original act the provision that no trough for watering shall be maintained at public expense which may be used in connection with an inn or a tavern The present act, I think, distinguishes very properly between a watering trough used in connection with a place of business which may attract patronage and trade and one which is set up by the wayside by some individual solely for the public convenience

This bill would change that very proper distinction, and therefore seems to me to be unwise

Respectfully,

E C STOKES,

Governor

June 18th, 1907

To the House of Assembly

I herewith return, without approval, Assembly Bill No. 290, entitled "An act concerning the admittance of children under the age of fourteen years to dance houses, concert saloons, museums, skating rinks, places wherein theatrical performances are being presented by paid performers, or places of entertainment that may be injurious to their health or morals"

The object of this bill is most worthy, and a similar bill last year reached me in such phraseology as to include innocent places of amusement with places from which children should be prohibited I, at that time, called attention to this defective classification

The measure this year still fails to eliminate that objectionable feature It classes dance houses, concert saloons, museums places where theatrical performances are being presented by paid performers in the same category without any definition as to the meaning of these terms A museum may or may not be objectionable In many cases they are not only not objectionable but are educational and helpful in character The museum in the State House has on exhibition the natural resources of our State, the different kind of birds and animals with their habits of life illustrated, and the various minerals and woods produced in New Jersey School children visit this room daily, as they properly should, for purposes of information Under this bill the admission of children to this department of the State House without the presence of a parent or a guardian would be a misdemeanor Places wherein theatrical performances are being presented by paid performers is too broad an expression for criminal law It might include a church or Sunday school entertainment where scenery and costumes and paid performers are employed

A criminal statute should be so carefully drawn that it would not be open to such interpretation as would put innocent amusement and educational museums under the ban

This is properly a police regulation, and its administration should therefore be left largely to the municipalities I suggest the enclosed law as a substitute for this bill

Respectfully,

E C STOKES,

Governor

An Act prohibiting, in certain cases, the admittance of children under the age of fourteen years to dance houses, concert saloons, museums, skating rinks, places wherein theatrical performances are presented by paid performers, or any other place of entertainment of any kind or character

BE IT ENACTED *by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey*

1 Any owner, lessee or manager of any dance house or concert saloon who shall admit thereto any child under the age of fourteen years, unless accompanied by its parent or guardian, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor

2 If in any municipality in this State the governing body thereof shall duly pass a resolution declaring that any dance house, concert saloon, museum, skating rink, place wherein theatrical performances are presented by paid performers, or any other place of entertainment of any kind or character, in said municipality, is injurious to the health or morals of children under the age of fourteen years, the owner, lessee or manager of any such dance house, concert saloon, museum, skating rink, place wherein theatrical performances are presented by paid performers, or any other place of entertainment of any kind or character, so declared by resolution to be injurious to the health or morals of children under the age of fourteen years, who shall admit thereto, after service of a copy of said resolution, any child under the age of fourteen years, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor

3 This act shall take effect immediately

June 18th, 1907

To the House of Assembly

I herewith return, without approval, Assembly Bill No 294, entitled "An act authorizing boroughs to issue bonds to redeem improvement certificates issued for the payment of the cost of public improvements," because of its unconstitutionality, for reasons set forth in the opinion of the Attorney-General, of which the following is a copy

TRENTON, N J, May 21st, 1907

Hon E C Stokes, Governor, &c

DEAR SIR—I have examined Assembly Bill No 294, and in my opinion the same is special and unconstitutional

Section 44 of the Borough act of 1897 authorizes the common council of any borough to issue improvement certificates to the amount of eighty per centum of the work done on any street, sewer or other improvement

Assembly Bill No 294, however, only empowers council to issue bonds to redeem, cancel and discharge improvement certificates *heretofore* issued thus excluding the redemption, by issue of bonds, of improvement certificates which may hereafter be issued by boroughs This, in my judgment, makes the act special.

It seems to me that under the provisions of chapter 110 of the laws of 1899, and the amendments thereof, improvement certificates issued by boroughs may be redeemed by bond issue

Very truly yours,

(Signed) ROBERT H McCARTER,

Attorney-General

Respectfully,

E C STOKES,

Governor

June 18th, 1907

To the House of Assembly

I herewith return, without approval, Assembly Bill No 307, entitled "An act concerning the overseer of the poor and assistant to the overseer of the poor in cities of the first class"

The civil service feature of this bill, providing that the overseer and assistant overseer of cities of the first class should hold office during good behavior, is most excellent It is to be regretted that such an excellent feature is associated with a mandatory salary provision The salaries of municipal officers should be determined by the municipalities themselves A legislative act which takes from a municipality the right to fix compensation of its officials and compels that municipality to pay such official a fixed sum, without discretion, violates every principle of local government, and is a wrongful policy in that it tempts municipal officers to come to the Legislature for increased compensation

Respectfully,

E C STOKES,

Governor

June 18th, 1907

To the House of Assembly

I herewith return, without approval, Assembly Bill No 322, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'Supplement to the act entitled "A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),"' approved April nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six",

This bill amends section one of a supplement to the general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897), which supplement was approved April nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six, by authorizing the submission by counsel of the question of the purchase of a suitable plant, works and machinery for supplying light, for public or private use, in addition to the other expense now authorized to be submitted to the people for approval or disapproval The supplement of last year was required to be submitted at two elections, namely, the question of the construction or purchase of a system of water works or of sewers and the issue of bonds for the cost thereof This bill erroneously amends the method of procedure instead of amending section 90 of the general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897), which authorizes the submission of certain questions If this bill were to become a law it would merely state that the question of the construction or purchase of a plant for supplying light for public or private use and the issue of bonds for the cost thereof may be submitted at one and

the same election, but it would not confer any authority upon the borough council to submit such question at all In other words, it specifies the method of procedure for a proposition which has not yet been authorized by the Legislature To make this bill effective section 90 of the Borough act should have been amended so as to include the purchase or construction of a suitable water plant, works and machinery for supplying light for public or private use

Respectfully,

E C STOKES,

Governor

June 18th, 1907

To the House of Assembly

I herewith return, without approval, Assembly Bill No 347, entitled "An act to authorize the construction and establishment of public docks and the shipping facilities connected therewith, and the purchasing and acquiring of riparian lands and rights and other lands and rights in lands necessary therefor or incident thereto, and for the regulation of the same in cities fronting on navigable waters of this State"

While this act contains a referendum and does not become operative until voted on by the people, it provides for the expenditure of limited sums of money, provided such expenditure does not exceed one-half million dollars a year For a definite object a definite sum should always be appropriated or provided, as the expenditure of limitless sums leads ultimately to carelessness and extravagance I deem it unwise to encourage such policies by legislative act

Moreover, the bill makes it mandatory upon the riparian commissioners to sell a municipality in fee simple any riparian rights it may require for the purpose of this act This would undoubtedly deprive the owner of the ripa of his rights thereto, and, as the bill empowers the municipality to lease such grants, the abutting property owner might be shut off from the water front not only by the municipality but by its lessee

Respectfully,

E C STOKES,

Governor

June 18th, 1907

To the House of Assembly

I herewith return, without approval, Assembly Bill No 374, entitled "An act to aid by an appropriation of State funds the erection and dedication of a monument to commemorate the services rendered by Abraham Clark, one of the New Jersey signers of the Declaration of Independence," because of its unconstitutionality, for reasons given in the opinion of the Attorney-General, of which the following is a copy, and the fact that it constitutes one of an excessive number of measures of such a character this year

TRENTON, N J, May 1st, 1907

Hon E C Stokes, Governor, &c

DEAR SIR—I have before me Assembly Bill No 374, appropriating the sum of $5,000 for the purpose of aiding in the erection and dedication of a monument at Rahway to commemorate the services rendered by Abraham Clark, one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence

As the bill recites that the "Abraham Clark Monument Association" is securing funds for the erection of said monument, and that the said monument, when completed, shall be under the care and supervision of the mayor and council of the city of Rahway, I am of the opinion that the same is unconstitutional as contravening the provisions of section 20 of article 1 of our constitution

Very truly yours,

(Signed) ROBERT H McCARTER,

Attorney-General

Respectfully,

E. C STOKES,

Governor

June 18th, 1907

To the House of Assembly

I herewith return, without approval, Assembly Bill No 385, entitled "An act to authorize the erection of a tablet or monument on the battleground of Chestnut Neck, in the State of New Jer-

sey, and to appropriate money to pay the cost of the erection and dedication of the same," for reasons contained in the opinion of the Attorney-General, of which the following is a copy

TRENTON, N J, May 21st, 1907

Hon E C Stokes, Governor, &c

MY DEAR GOVERNOR—I have before me Assembly Bill No 385, authorizing the erection of a tablet or monument on the battlefield of Chestnut Neck, in the State of New Jersey, and appropriating the sum of two thousand dollars for that purpose

As this bill provides that the General Lafayette Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution shall erect the tablet or monument on lands at Chestnut Neck, now owned by the said Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution, I am of the opinion that the act violates section 20 of article 1 of the constitution, which provides that "no donation of land or appropriation of money shall be made by the State * * * to or for the use of any society, association or corporation"

Very truly yours,

(Signed) ROBERT H McCARTER,

Attorney-General

Respectfully,

E C STOKES,

Governor

June 18th, 1907

To the House of Assembly

I herewith return, without approval, Assembly Bill No 390, entitled "An act to enable boards of chosen freeholders of counties of the first class to accept roads or sections of roads in cities, towns, townships or boroughs in counties of the first class and to maintain the same as county roads," because of its unconstitutionality for the reasons assigned in the opinion of the Attorney-General, of which the following is a copy

TRENTON, N J, May 14th, 1907

Hon E C Stokes, Governor, &c

DEAR SIR—I have examined Assembly Bill No 390, entitled "An act to enable boards of chosen freeholders of counties of the first class to accept roads or sections of roads in cities, towns, townships or boroughs in counties of the first class and to maintain the same as county roads, and in my judgment the same is unconstitutional for the reason that I do not think there can be any classification of counties with respect to the acceptance and maintenance of county roads

Very truly yours,

(Signed) ROBERT H McCARTER,

Attorney-General

Respectfully,

E C STOKES,

Governor

June 18th, 1907

To the House of Assembly

I herewith return, without approval, Assembly Bill No 393, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning disorderly persons (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight"

The provisions of this bill would permit a person apprehended under the act concerning disorderly persons (Revision of 1898) to demand a trial by jury, provided he pay the costs of the same If the accused is to have the right of trial by jury he ought, as a matter of policy, to be entitled to it by right and not by virtue of his ability to pay the costs incurred thereby Such a policy discriminates between the complainant or accused who has means and the complainant or accused who is without financial resources Proceedings in the courts of justice should not be determined by the capacity to pay Moreover, if the Legislature should decide to adopt this questionable policy, this bill makes no provision for security for the payment by the complainant or accused of the

costs incurred when a jury is demanded The bill therefore imposes an obligation without providing means for securing its payment

Respectfully,

E C STOKES,

Governor

June 18th, 1907

To the House of Assembly

I herewith return, without approval, Assembly Bill No 424, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the fire departments in cities of the first class,' approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three"

This bill makes it mandatory upon a municipal board to pay, without discretion, salaries to certain municipal employes as fixed by the Legislature The policy of fixing salaries of municipal officers without the concurrence of municipal authorities or the citizens of a municipality is a direct violation of the principles of local government

Respectfully,

E C STOKES,

Governor

June 18th, 1907

To the House of Assembly

I herewith return, without approval, Assembly Bill No 441, entitled "An act respecting theatres and show licenses in municipalities of this State"

This bill provides that the licenses from theatres and shows should be turned into the local pension fund of the firemen The state has already shown its kindly disposition toward this class of its citizens by increases in their salaries, one increase having been provided for at this session The amount involved in this bill, however, would seem to be too small to compensate for its manifest violation of the principle of local self-government The state should not interfere with the revenues of a municipality or specify the special objects to which certain revenues should be ap-

plied If the state should say that the municipal revenues from one source should be applied to one set of beneficiaries, it not only could, but must, with equal propriety and justice, insist that the revenues from another source should be applied to the beneficial funds of another set of beneficiaries, as, for instance, the police, and that another set of municipal revenues should be applied to another set of beneficiaries, as, for instance, the retirement fund for school teachers, and so on, until all the revenues were impaired The indefiniteness of the amount of this proposed diversion of revenue is a serious objection to the measure

If a municipality desires to aid the pension fund of firemen it should do so by definite and specific amounts, otherwise the public would have no means of ascertaining the amount of its expenditures for this purpose All municipal revenues should be turned into the municipal treasury and from thence diverted, not by legislative direction, but by direction of local authorities

Respectfully,

E C STOKES,

Governor

June 18th, 1907

To the House of Assembly

I herewith return, without approval, Assembly Bill No 443, entitled "An act to provide for the attendance of a part of the National Guard of New Jersey at the unveiling of a monument to the soldiers of the revolution, at Orange, in the county of Essex"

No appropriation was made for this purpose in either the supplemental or the annual appropriation bill

Respectfully,

E C STOKES,

Governor

June 18th, 1907

To the House of Assembly

I herewith return, without approval, Assembly Bill No 449, entitled "An act to consolidate with and annex to the town of Mont-

clair, in the county of Essex, the territory embraced within the township of Verona, in the county of Essex, provided a majority of the votes cast in said town and in said township upon the question of such annexation and consolidation shall be in favor thereof, and to provide for the submission of the said question to the voters of said town and of said township"

This bill is a special act and requires notice of intention to be legally advertised prior to the introduction of the bill No proof of such publication reaches me with the bill, and the measure is therefore defective in that respect

Respectfully,

E C STOKES,

Governor

June 18th, 1907

To the House of Assembly

I herewith return, without approval, Assembly Bill No 453, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the planting and care of shade trees on the highways of the municipalities of this State,' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three"

This act provides that the shade tree commissioners now appointed by the mayor in cities and by the chairman or president of the board of trustees in villages or boroughs shall hereafter in cities be made by the board of aldermen or common council thereof, in townships by the township committee and in villages and boroughs by the board of trustees or their governing body I see no reason for taking out of the hands of the mayors of cities the power now exercised to appoint these commissioners, and investing the same in the board of aldermen or common council thereof

Respectfully,

E C STOKES,

Governor

Mr Perkins moved that the veto messages be read and spread in full upon the minutes, which motion was carried

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following resolution

Resolved, That the President of the Senate be authorized to appoint three Senators a committee to confer with a like number of the members of the House of Assembly with authority to agree in conference, and report to the Senate and the House of Assembly as to the procedure of both Houses under the recess resolution heretofore adopted

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

HOWARD L TYLER,

Secretary of the Senate

A message was received from the Governor, by the hands of Mr Gray, his Secretary, as follows

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

TRENTON, June 18th, 1907

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Assembly

The United States government authorities have decided that our present organization of the National Guard does not conform to an act passed by Congress January twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and three, known as the "Dick Bill" Unless provisions are made at once to bring the organization of the guard in conformity with the "Dick Bill," as interpreted by the United States authorities, the revenue which the State receives from the United States government, amounting to forty-six thousand dollars a year, will cease The importance of immediate action upon this matter is therefore apparent

Yesterday, the State Military Board, at a meeting, discussed the situation and prepared amendments to the present National Guard law, and recommended the passage thereof

These amendments are ready for your consideration

Respectfully,

E C STOKES,

Governor

AN ACT to amend an act entitled "An act concerning the militia of the State," approved May sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six"

BE IT ENACTED *by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey*

1 From and after the passage and approval of this act, paragraph seven of said act shall be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

7 The staff of the Governor shall consist of one adjutant-general, with the rank of brigadier-general, one quarter-master-general, with the rank of brigadier-general, who shall be commissary-general, paymaster-general, chief medical purveyor and medical storekeeper, one surgeon-general, with the rank of brigadier-general, one inspector-general, with the rank of brigadier-general, one chief of ordnance, with the rank of brigadier-general, one judge advocate-general, with the rank of brigadier-general, one chief of engineers, with the rank of brigadier-general, one chief signal officer, with the rank of brigadier-general, six aides-de-camp, whose terms of service shall expire with that of the Governor who shall have appointed them, one of whom may be appointed by the commander-in-chief as his personal aide, with the rank of colonel, the other five aides-de-camp shall be appointed by the commander-in-chief from the commissioned officers of the national guard, holding commissions on the active list of a grade below that of colonel, and their appointment shall operate as a commission as aides-de-camp, but shall not add to the actual grade of the officers so appointed,

such aides-de-camp shall not be relieved from duty with their respective organizations when such organizations shall be performing any ordered duty There shall be appointed and warranted with the rank of sergeant, one standard bearer, one bugler, and one orderly, who shall report to the adjutant-general and perform such duties as he may direct

2 From and after the passage and approval of this act, paragraph seventy-eight of said act shall be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

78 The national guard of the State shall consist of a major-general, two brigadier-generals, an adjutant-general's department, an inspector-general's department, a judge advocate-general's department, an ordnance department, a quartermaster-general's department, a subsistence department, a corps of engineers, a pay department, a medical department, a naval reserve, a signal corps, a hospital corps, the existing military organizations, and such others as may be organized hereafter, and such persons as may be enlisted or commissioned therein, the military organizations of the national guard shall constitute a division and the present brigades, regiments, battalions of naval reserve, troops, batteries, companies and signal corps shall remain as now established, but the Governor shall have the power to alter, divide, annex, consolidate, disband or reorganize the same and create new organizations whenever, in his judgment, the efficiency of the national guard will be thereby increased, and he shall at any time have power to change the organization of the staff departments, regiments, battalions, squadrons, troops, batteries, companies and signal corps of the national guard, so as to conform to any organization, system of drill or instructions now or hereafter adopted for the armies of the United States of America, and for that purpose the number of officers and enlisted men of any grade in the staff corps, regiments, battalions, squadrons, troops, batteries, companies and signal corps of the national guard, may be diminished or increased to the extent made necessary by such organization

The adjutant-general's department shall consist of the commissioned officers of proper grades necessary to perform the duties of the assistant adjutant-general on the staffs of the brigadiers and of the division

The medical department shall consist of the officers of the proper grades necessary to perform the duties of surgeons and assistant surgeons on the staffs of the brigades and of the division, of the surgeons and assistant surgeons filling the position in the regiments, of the additional medical officers necessary to assign to separate battalions, squadrons, companies, troops and batteries, and of the medical officers necessary for the organization of such ambulance companies and field hospitals as may be deemed necessary, and of the hospital corps

The inspector-general's department, the judge advocate-general's department, the ordnance department, the quartermaster-general's department, the subsistence department, the corps of engineers and the signal corps shall each consist of the officers of the proper grades necessary to perform the indicated staff and other duties prescribed

Ordnance officers, in addition to their other duties, may be detailed to act as inspectors of small arms practice The quartermasters, in charge of the means of transportation of the ambulance companies and field hospitals, shall be officers of the quartermaster's department

The Governor shall have the power to prescribe by order the number and grade of officers in all staff departments and to assign them to such duties as he may prescribe In all organizations of the line and staff of the national guard, the various grades must conform to those of the regular army of the United States of America

The Governor shall have power in case of war, insurrection, invasion or imminent danger thereof, to increase the force beyond the maximum now established by law, and to organize the same with the proper officers, as the exigencies of the service required

3 Paragraph thirty-five of said act shall be and the same is hereby repealed

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That when the House adjourn it be to meet to-morrow morning at 10 30 o'clock

The House then adjourned

WEDNESDAY, June 19th, 1907

House met at 10 30 o'clock A M

Prayer was offered by the Rev M S Waters, of Newark, N J

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Metz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —52

Absent—

Messrs Alexander, Barber, Elvins, Klenert, Lillagore, Tillman —6

On motion of Mr Klenert, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with

On motion of Mr Sullivan, the House then took a recess until 2 P M

AFTERNOON SESSION

The House reconvened at 2 o'clock P M

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr., Drake,

Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Rioidan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —55

Absent—

Messrs Elvins, Pawelski, Tillman—3

The Governor's veto messages were then taken up, and on motion of Mr Olwell,

Assembly Bill No 453, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the planting and care of shade trees on the highways of the municipalities of this State,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three,

Was taken up, and the Speaker put the question, "Shall this bill pass, notwithstanding the Governor's veto?"

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Rioidan, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—25

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Buck, Buik, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Davison, Devine, Jr, Fake, Gibbs, Irick, Jess, Lewis, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor Thompson—22

The Speaker declared the motion lost

Assembly Bill No 443, entitled "An act to provide for the attendance of a part of the National Guard of New Jersey at the unveiling of a monument to the soldiers of the revolution, a Orange, in the county of Essex,"

With the Governor's veto message, was taken up and read

Mr Lane said he did not desire any action taken

Assembly Bill No 441, entitled "An act respecting theatre and show licenses in municipalities of this State,"

With the Governor's veto message, was taken up and read

Mr Merz said he did not desire any action taken

Assembly Bill No 385, entitled "An act to authorize the erection of a tablet or monument on the battle ground of Chestnut Neck, in the State of New Jersey, and to provide money to pay the cost of the erection and dedication of the same,"

With the Governor's veto message, was taken up and read

Mr Perkins said he did not desire any action taken

Assembly Bill No 374, entitled "An act to aid by an appropriation of State funds the erection and dedication of a monument to commemorate the services rendered by Abraham Clark, one of the New Jersey signers of the declaration of independence,"

With the Governor's veto message, was taken up and read

Mr Tillman said he did not desire any action taken

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 347, entitled "An act to authorize the construction and establishment of public docks and the shipping facilities connected therewith, and the purchasing and acquiring of riparian lands and rights of other lands and rights in land necessary therefor or incident thereto, and for the regulation of the same in cities fronting on navigable waters of this State,"

Was taken up, and the Speaker put the question, "Shall this bill pass?" notwithstanding the Governor's veto?" on which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Riordan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—26

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Davison, Devine, Jr, Fake, Gibbs, Jess, Lewis, Manson, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson—22

The Speaker declared the motion lost

Assembly Bill No 294, entitled "An act authorizing boroughs to issue bonds to redeem improvement certificates issued for the payment of the cost of public improvements,"

With the Governor's veto message, was taken up and read

Mr Perkins said he did not desire any action taken

Assembly Bill No 322, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'Supplement to the act entitled "A general act relative to boroughs (Revision of 1897),"'" approved April nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

With the Governor's veto message, was taken up and read

Mr Chaplin said he did not desire any action taken

Assembly Bill No 307, entitled "An act concerning the overseer of the poor and assistant to the overseer of the poor in cities of the first class,"

With the Governor's veto message, was taken up and read

Mr Lane said he did not desire any action taken

On motion of Mr Brady,

Assembly Bill No 290, entitled "An act concerning the admittance of children under the age of fourteen to dance houses concert saloons, museums, skating rinks, places wherein theatrical performances are being presented by paid performers, or place of entertainment that may be injurious to their health or morals,"

Was taken up, and the Speaker put the question, "Shall this bill pass, notwithstanding the Governor's veto?" on which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker Blohm, Brady, Bruning, Cornish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger

Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Manson, Merz, Olwell, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—28

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Davison, Devine, Jr, Fake, Gibbs, Haines, Irick, Jess, Lewis, Mead, Morris, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Wright, Jr—22

The Speaker declared the motion lost

On motion of Mr Morris,

Assembly Bill No 278, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled '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-third, one thousand nine hundred (Pamph L 1900, p 324),

Was taken up, and the Speaker put the question, "Shall this bill pass, notwithstanding the Governor's veto?" on which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Backus, Baker, Daab, Groel, Holcombe, Klenert, Lane, Mead, Morris, Olwell, Tumulty, Wright, Jr—13

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Davison, Devine, Jr, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Manson, Merz, Perkins, Potter, Stille, Taylor, Thompson—22

The Speaker declared the motion lost

Assembly Bill No 272, entitled "An act to further amend section one of chapter one hundred and twenty-five of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, entitled 'An act to authorize towns to renew matured bonds,' " approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, as the same was amended by chapter two of the laws of one thousand nine hundred,

With the Governor's veto message, was taken up and read

Mr Gioel said he did not desire any action taken

Assembly Bill No 255, entitled "An act to empower municipalities to establish and maintain plants for the treatment, disposal or rendering of sewage,"

With the Governor's veto message, was taken up and read

Mr Kleneit said he did not desire any action taken

Assembly Bill No 208, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning townships (Revision of 1899),'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

With the Governor's veto message, was taken up and read

Mr Backus said he did not desire any action taken

Assembly Bill No 190, entitled "An act to annex to the borough of Bradley Beach, a portion of the borough of Neptune City, in the county of Monmouth,"

With the Governor's veto message, was taken up and read

Mr Lillagore said he did not desire any action taken

Mr Tumulty moved that

Assembly Bill No 169, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable the boards of chosen freeholders of any of the several counties of this State to construct and reconstruct bridges over and across navigable rivers or streams therein, in certain cases, and providing for the regulation thereof,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two,

Be temporarily laid over,

Which motion was carried

Assembly Bill No 132, entitled "An act to facilitate the transaction of municipal business in cities of this State,"

With the Governor's veto message, was taken up and read

Mr Hendrickson said he did not desire any action taken

Assembly Bill No 73, entitled "An act to amend the negotiable instrument law relative to the payment of forged checks,"

With the Governor's veto message, was taken up and read

Mr Hendrickson said he did not desire any action taken

Assembly Bill No 68, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

With the Governor's veto message, was taken up and read

Mr Wright said he did not desire any action taken

Assembly Bill No 56, 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,

With the Governor's veto message, was taken up and read

Mr Jess said he did not desire any action taken

Assembly Bill No 55, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),'" approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

With the Governor's veto message, was taken up and read

Mr Jess said he did not desire any action taken

Assembly Bill No 48, entitled "An act regulating the salaries of members of the boards of council or other governing bodies of towns, incorporated as such, in this State,"

With the Governor's veto message, was taken up and read

Mr Eppinger said he did not desire any action taken

Mr Tumulty moved that

Assembly Bill No 390, entitled "An act to enable boards of chosen freeholders to accept roads or sections of roads in cities, towns, townships or boroughs, and to maintain the same as county roads."

Be temporarily laid over,

Which motion was carried

Assembly Bill No 449, entitled "An act to consolidate with and annex to the town of Montclair, in the county of Essex, the territory embraced within the township of Verona, in the county of Essex, provided a majority of the votes cast in said town and in

said township upon said annexation and consolidation shall be in favor thereof, and to provide for the submission of the said question to the voters of said town and said township,"

With the Governor's veto message, was taken up and read

Mr Brady said he did not desire any action taken

Mr Baker moved that

Assembly Bill No 424, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the fire departments in cities of the first class,'" approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Be temporarily laid over,

Which motion was carried

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Conference Committee, reported that the said committee failed to agree

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That when the House adjourn it be to meet to-morrow morning at 10 30 o'clock

The House then adjourned

THURSDAY, June 20th, 1907

House met at 10 30 o'clock A M

Prayer was offered by Rev I W L Roundtree, of Trenton, N J

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Daab, Devine, Jr , Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Hahn, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr , Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Ridgway, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —45

Absent—

Messrs Buck, Chaplin, Corish, Davison, Elvins, Gibbs, Groel, Lillagore, Pawelski, Potter, Riordan, Stille, Tillman—13

On motion of Mr Klenert, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with

Mr Hahn, Chairman of the House Investigation Committee, submitted the following report

To the Honorable the General Assembly of the State of New Jersey

By virtue of and pursuant to the directions of the resolution of your honorable body, passed April 12th, 1907, to inquire into and investigate the subject of State expenditures, your committee thereunder appointed reports that within the limited time allotted for that purpose it has been able to make only a cursory examination of some of the departments, institutions and commissions of State government (media of expenditures of public funds) In many of them your committee has discovered, and has publicly made known, a studied indifference and disregard of official duty, as well as wanton, wasteful and reckless expenditure of public funds—in some instances involving moral obliquity and corrupt practices—matters which call for immediate correction at the hands of the Legislature

In the initial step of the inquiry the Commissioner of Banking and Insurance confessed that he kept on deposit the funds of his department without exacting interest These moneys frequently aggregated more than $100,000 The moneys were deposited in two banks in the home town of the commissioner, located far from the seat of government In each of the banks he was a stockholder In one he was a director, and to the other he acted as counsel Some of the moneys so deposited were withdrawn by him from an institution paying interest In the opinion of your committee, the commissioner was unmindful of his trust His conduct was a violation of the spirit of the law, resulting in large profits to the banks in which he was personally interested, and in the loss of many thousands of dollars of revenue to the State It also appeared by the commissioner's testimony that according to the act under which his department is operating he remits his receipts

to the State Treasurer in quarterly payments only It further appeared that the amount of his bond to the State for the faithful performance of his duties is the penal sum of $20,000, which he conceded is greatly out of proportion to the sum of money constantly passing through his hands Your committee recommends that the law be changed, compelling the commissioner to make monthly remittances of the State's funds, and that he give a bond, with sufficient surety, in the penal sum of $75,000

The Commissioner of Banking and Insurance does not stand alone in the failure to collect interest Although the various heads of other departments make monthly returns of the income of their offices, the daily balances are not interest-bearing It is common knowledge that substantial banking institutions of the State pay interest upon daily balances This revenue should be as available to the State as it is to private depositors By way of remedy, your committee advises legislation that all public funds, collected on behalf of the State, be deposited in banking institutions paying interest on daily balances, and that the accretions enure to the State

From the testimony of the State Treasurer it appeared that he carries on deposit on an average of upwards of one-half a million dollars in moneys known as the "Railroad Fund" These moneys are held by the Treasurer, having been deposited as an evidence of good faith for the construction of railroads These moneys are, it is true, the property of the railroad companies, but for the performance of the trust by the Treasurer no remuneration is paid to the State The fund is distributed by the Treasurer among favored banks of the State No interest is demanded These sums so held should be made a source of revenue to the State, as a compensation for the State's services in administering the trust Your committee advises legislation compelling the Treasurer to deposit these, as well as all other moneys, in banks paying interest of not less than two per cent per annum, the accretions to go to the State By the first section of Chapter 235, Laws of 1902, page 695, the State Treasurer is directed to deposit all public moneys with banks which allow interest "not exceeding" two per cent per annum The Treasurer carries many so-called "inactive" accounts Upon like accounts, it is well known, that banks throughout the State are paying interest at the rate of three per cent per

annum This section of the law, in the opinion of your committee, should be so changed that the State shall receive interest at the rate paid other depositors on similar accounts, to wit, "not less than" two per cent per annum

There still remains in this State some thirty departments, institutions and commissions, to which are paid, directly and in bulk, their annual appropriations for their maintenance and support, as testified by the Comptroller of the Treasury Certain appropriations are paid in equal monthly installments, others in such installments as exigencies may require In turn, they are disbursed by the respective managements without supervision, guard or check upon the part of the State Many of the institutions have earning capacities and sources of income, in addition to their appropriations These moneys are spent in like manner

In some of the institutions, into the management of which your committee has investigated, this system has been productive of vicious practices, and the door is left open for further predations In the opinion of your committee, the policy of permitting recipients of State appropriations to spend at will, without State supervision, is not compatible with good business methods, and harmful to the public welfare For remedy, your committee recommends that all incomes, from whatever sources, received by departments, institutions and commissions, be paid to the State Treasurer monthly, and that debts contracted by them be first submitted to the Comptroller of the Treasury, under oath, and paid by his warrant upon the Treasurer Your committee is not unmindful of the fact that in the management of many of these governmental departments, men and women of the highest type of honor, and possessing a rare appreciation of their grave responsibility, are giving gratuitously and unstintedly their best judgment and services to the State, and that the course indicated may hamper them for a time in their good work However, in view of the shortcomings of a few, your committee is firmly of the opinion that, in order to better conserve the State's financial interests, and avoid repetition of official mismanagement, there should be but one State purse and that one amply safeguarded

During the past decade a harmful system in the administration of public office has gradually arisen and is now firmly established—that of high-salaried State officials absenting themselves

from their posts of duty An examination of the important State departments revealed the fact that, with but a few exceptions, the heads of the departments are seldom at their offices in the State House oftener than once or twice a week This custom of official absenteeism has not only an evil tendency, but makes such a patent case of non-feasance as to warrant the most severe condemnation at the hands of the Legislature The direct effect has been to create a spirit of indifference among the subordinates, necessitating larger clerical forces, and thereby very greatly increasing the cost of State government The mere fact that the State is rich is no excuse for converting public offices into "private snaps" The money, in excess of what is needed for a businesslike administration of the State government, belongs to the people, and should be returned to them in reduced taxation

Another evil that has come to the attention of your committee is the practice of State officials holding more than one position in the public service This deplorable condition has a disastrous influence on those employed in minor places. The State Treasurer frankly declared that he held another office, that of clerk of the county of Morris The latter office, he said, "runs itself" The Chief of the Department of Labor is also secretary of the Jamestown Exposition Commission The Assistant Secretary of State is Chief of the Motor Vehicle Department Each of these officials draws two salaries from the State, and it is but natural that with such conspicuous precedents, employes of a minor character should be constantly on the alert seeking to get additional offices with additional compensation In this connection your committee calls your especial attention to a peculiar existing situation It is that of a member of the State Board of Education occupying at the same time the position of Curator of the State Museum The State Superintendent of Public Instruction, who, under the law, is secretary of the State Board of Education, and thereby becomes a subordinate of that body, is a member of the commission having charge of the State Museum and the employment of the State Curator That a public servant of a subordinate character should employ his official superior for service in another branch of the State government, reveals a condition baneful to good government and clearly in violation of the policy of the law This abnormal situation is further intensified by the fact that a son

of the Curator-Educator is likewise a dual officeholder under the State government The son holds office under the State Superintendent of Public Instruction, being chief of the School Census Bureau He likewise holds office under the State Board of Education, being chief of the Teachers' Bureau of Information, a position directly in charge of a committee of which his father is chairman So far as your committee was able to discover, the work of the State Curator, the Chief of the School Census Bureau and the Teachers' Bureau of Information, could all be readily performed by the State Superintendent of Public Instruction and his clerical force Your committee recommends that all three places be abolished and the work placed in the Department of Public Instruction This would not only be a move in the interest of economy, but ought to result in more efficient service

Your committee recommends the enactment of a law that will effectively put an end to dual office-holding, either directly or indirectly, in the State service. Your committee also respectfully and earnestly urges that the Legislature give favorable consideration to a measure that will remove the selection of employes of all State departments and institutions from all influences other than that of merit The employment of subordinates on any other basis demoralizes the public service In other States the "spoil system" has long since been abolished, and the sentiment in this State seems to strongly favor the placing of the State service on the merit system Your committee recommends the creation of a civil service commission having supervision of the entire State service Elsewhere the competitive system of appointments to public office has resulted not only in great economy, but in greater efficiency

The work of the Department of Motor Vehicles properly belongs to the State Road Department Your committee respectfully recommends that it be transferred from the Secretary of State's office to the Road Department This will effect a saving of $1,500 in the salary of the chief, and may result in more efficient service

The work of the Bureau of Labor Statistics and of the Department of Labor should be combined The heads of these two departments admitted that they spent but one or two days a week at

their offices The Bureau of Statistics costs the State upwards of $11,000 annually, and there is no sufficient reason for its existence The work that it purports to do is done in a large measure by the federal government, and a properly conducted labor department would be better fitted to gather New Jersey industrial statistics than the present bureau Your committee recommends that the Bureau of Statistics and Department of Labor be merged into one department

Two taxing boards of four members each are now supported by the State Each costs $25,000 annually to maintain At present each of these boards meets but once a week The work that the laws creating these boards contemplates is of the highest importance Under the practices of the present State Board of Assessors, the State, in the judgment of your committee, is annually losing vast sums of money The railroad companies virtually make out their own assessments The assessors do not assess The work is left to the clerical force of the board The evidence is that in nearly all cases the assessors accept the figures compiled by the railroad companies Since the first railroad assessment was made in 1884, under the Railroad Tax law of that year, railroad "main stem" property has been increased by the board a little more than two per cent When compared with the increased assessments on private property throughout the State, which has been upwards of one hundred per cent, the showing is extraordinary During twenty-two years, since the first assessment was made, there has been a vast increase in the value of the terminal lands of the railroad companies, as well as in franchise values Compared with the natural increases in assessment in other lines of property, the delinquency on the part of the State Board of Assessors has cost the State many millions of dollars Your committee believes that a reorganization of the Board of Assessors and the Board of Equalization of Taxes into one board of assessment and taxation would not only save the State annually the cost of the extra board ($25,000), but would result in proper assessments, if laws were so framed as to make it obligatory on the part of the members of the board to actually perform the work of assessing railroad property Your committee so recommends

Many of the boards and commissions now occupy rented quarters in cities other than Trenton, the seat of government and the

legal headquarters for all the departments, where they can be under the supervision of the Governor, one of whose duties is to "take care that the laws be faithfully executed" Scandals have developed in several of these boards which disregarded the propriety of things to suit the personal convenience of their members A law should be enacted requiring every State board and commission, outside of those having charge of State institutions, to maintain their headquarters at the State House, in Trenton

There can be no justification for the existence of the State Sewerage Commission and the Passaic Valley Sewerage Commission The work that these commissions are supposed to perform for the State properly belongs to the State Board of Health In the six years from 1900 to 1906, inclusive, the State Sewerage Commission has cost the State $66,973 92, principally for salaries, and the Passaic Valley Sewerage Commission costs the State $2,500 annually In the judgment of your committee, there should be a reorganization of the State Board of Health on a governmental basis, whose powers shall include all matters affecting the public health The present board is an honorary body, whose members serve the State without pay While the board has accomplished much that is beneficial, nevertheless the health affairs of the State have become so extensive as to make necessary a body of properly-paid officials who will conduct this branch of the affairs of the State on a business basis Your committee recommends the creation of a board of three members, to have jurisdiction over all matters affecting the public health

During the twelve years of its existence, the State Board of Arbitration has cost the State $74,000 For this large sum absolutely no service has been given to the State There is an overwhelming public sentiment against the continuance of this body, and your committee most earnestly recommends its abolishment

In 1902 the Legislature created a "Voting Machine Commission" of three members and imposed upon the voters of this State the distasteful and unpopular voting machine The State now possesses 361 of these mechanical contrivances, for which it paid $500 a piece The cost to the State of this commission, including the machines to the end of the last fiscal year, was $200,809 48 In view of the fact that we have 1,235 voting precincts

in the State and so few machines installed, it is but fair to assume that those we possess are being used experimentally upon the voters, and that further purchases may be contemplated A great majority of the voters have resented and continue to resent the imposition upon them of this mechanical device as a means of giving expression to their choice in the exercise of their franchise The committee recommends that the "Voting Machine Commission" be abolished and that the powers of the commission be lodged in the office of the Secretary of State, where all other matters concerning State elections are now vested Your committee further recommends that, notwithstanding the enormous charges to the State for these machines, the Legislature seriously consider their abandonment in the interest of honest and intelligent elections

The expenditures by the State in the erection of public buildings forms one of the elements which materially added to the yearly growth of State appropriations With this thought in mind your committee investigated the costs of the buildings in and about the State House, viz The Administration Building, the new Senate Chamber, the New East wing, the so-called "extras" attending the same, and also the costs of repairs in and about the State House These operations were all in charge of the State House Commission In all of them there figured a single contractor, Lewis Lawton, of the firm of Lewis Lawton & Son, a single sub-contractor for the plumbing and gas fitting, George J Tobin, and an architect, George H Poole, who in two instances was the architect in chief, and in the third was the supervisor in the pay of the State under another architect

That in these operations there was combination and collusion between the three named, that the State House Commission was imposed upon, and that the State was systematically defrauded is the conviction of your committee

Lawton, the contractor, also built the recently-completed cottage at the State Home for Girls, and is the main sub-contractor for the erection of the State Prison wing now in the course of construction The same George J Tobin had the contract for the plumbing and gas-fitting in each

The contract prices of the three buildings at the State House amount to $275,203 The "extras" to the contractor attending the same and the work in and about the State House amounts to $69,932 46, this is a total of $345,135 46, and is exclusive of the extra work paid to the plumber referred to, whose total charge was $7,090 52

To ascertain and sift to the bottom the means by which a single contractor could successfully compete against other bidders and secure from the State nearly all of the State's work for the past seven years, was part of the mission of your committee Its efforts were thwarted in a measure at the outset by the contractor, Lawton, who testified before your committee that all of his books containing records of his transactions and dealings with the State prior to January 1st, 1907, and involving a vast sum of money, were deliberately burned and destroyed by him in the early part of the present year His excuse for this remarkable and amazing act was that he "had no further use for them" With considerable hesitancy, he presented to your committee a ledger with entries beginning January 1st, 1907 There he had recorded the balances carried over from the destroyed books under the words "To balance" and "By balance" These balances aggregated the enormous sum of $646,803 58 He sought to have your committee believe that the records of the items forming these balances were out of existence An examination of his cash book, containing records of moneys received by him from the State, disclosed that he paid out on

October 22d, 1904	$250 00
February 15th, 1905	150 00
January 20th, 1906	1,000 00
December 14th, 1906	1,000 00
	$2,400 00

The name of the person to whom these amounts were paid, with a cross reference to a page in the alleged destroyed ledger, were erased, and the letters "L L & S" (meaning Lewis Lawton & Son) were written over the erasures In one instance the reference to the ledger page, for some inexplicable reason, remained untouched This read "199" A further examination of the cash-book, disclosed that the account of dealings between Contractor

Lawton and Architect Poole were recorded on page 199 of the alleged destroyed ledger Bank checks corresponding with the dates and the amounts as above were produced They were drawn to the order of the contractor and cashed by him The stubs of the book from which these checks were taken bore erasures of the record of the use to which the money had been put The contractor refused to divulge to whom the money had been given, claiming that "it was his private business" It may have been a mere coincidence, but it appears by the cash-book that these checks were each drawn within two or three days after the contractor had drawn heavily from the State's funds upon his contract with the State, and upon the certificate of the self-same architect It was further observed by the committee that the cash-book contained no other erasures of a name therein except where, over the erasures, the letters "L L & S" appeared The contractor and his bookkeeper both stated positively that there was no ledger account under the title of Lewis Lawton & Son on the alleged destroyed ledger to which the items could refer The bookkeeper, although she testified that she balanced her books at the end of the year 1906, could not explain how she could do so with a discrepancy of $2,400 between the cash-book and the alleged destroyed ledger The architect, although in the State House, during the sitting of your committee, failed to vindicate himself

That there was collusion in the awarding of the contract for the new east wing of the State House is quite apparent to your committee The Legislature of the year 1906 appropriated $100,000 for the construction of this building The plans and specifications were drawn by the State architect, George E Poole, and upon competitive bidding one William Johnston, a reliable bidder, offered to do the work for $89,990 The bid of Lewis Lawton & Son was $92,250 State Architect Poole testified before the committee that the bids were rejected because he afterwards discovered that it would require $15,000 to furnish the building which would necessarily limit the cost of construction to $85,000 so as to come within the appropriation He redrafted the plans and upon a bid of $82,997 the contract was awarded to the favored contractors, Lawton & Son Johnston, the successful bidder upon the first competition, stated, under oath, that he had been informed that the State architect had "fixed it" for Lawton

That the State architect was not sincere in changing the plans and readvertising so as to reduce the cost of construction to a sum less than $85,000, is manifest from the fact that the State House Commission, after the award of the contract to Lawton, entered into one for "extras" with the same contractor, upon the same work, for the sum of $3,427 This brought the total for the construction of this building to the amount of $1,224 in excess of the architect's estimate of $85,000 It will be recalled that the architect rejected the Johnston bid because it exceeded $85,000

In awarding the contract for the new wing at the State Prison, now in progress, the contract was refused the lowest responsible bidder and awarded by the State Prison Building Commission to the Pauly Jail System Company, at an advance of $7,225, although the commission had a certified check from the lowest bidder, for the sum of $10,000, for the faithful performance of his bid The State architect, George E Poole, drew the plans for this building, Lewis Lawton & Son became the main sub-contractors, and George J Tobin was, by Lawton, awarded the contract for heating and plumbing According to the testimony of Lawton, the bid of Tobin, for heating and plumbing, was $23,000, that he (Lawton) had received another bid for the same work from a firm in Trenton (to whose stability and efficiency he testified) for $11,000 He cast the latter aside and gave it to the former upon a second bid of $20,000 Just why Lawton preferred to present Tobin with $9,000 in cold cash he refused to explain, contenting himself with saying that "it does look unusual" What he would have said, had he spoken the truth, can only be surmised

The moneys paid, without competitive bidding, by the State House Commission for "extras" to the contractors, Lawton & Son, as we have already shown, amount to $69,932 46 It is made up in numerous contracts, one of which exceeds the sum of $21,000 All of these were awarded, entered into and paid for, without the slightest attempt at competition Plans and specifications of the work, in some instances, were prepared, upon which Contractor Lawton was requested to submit his price Without further ado, the architect in the employ of the State approved the bid and the State House Commission paid the bills The same practice pre-

vailed in the contracts awarded to Plumber Tobin, amounting to $7,090 52

Many of the "extras" were made necessary by reason of defects (designedly created or otherwise) in the architect's plans for the construction of the Senate chamber No means of entrance had been provided—the corridor was "extra" It was found necessary to raise the dome and to widen the press gallery, in which no newspaper man has since sat These items and many others, including the "bathroom" adjoining the Executive chambers, constructed at a cost of nearly $5,000, entailed heavy, and in some instances, unnecessary drafts upon the exchequer The State House Commission is, in a great measure, responsible for this state of affairs In the judgment of your committee the State House Commission should have foreseen that competitive bidding upon these large contracts would have been of great value and saving to the State Therefore the committee recommends legislation to the end that all departments, commissions or institutions, having power to purchase and contract on behalf of the State and charge the State therewith, be compelled to award contracts to the lowest responsible bidder, after competitive bidding, duly advertised, where the amount involved exceeds the sum of $500

Another costly and extravagant charge upon the treasury was the large amount of money paid to the architect of the Senate chambers, Mr Arnold H Moses He was paid as architect and for supervision the full professional price of 5 per cent, or a total of $8,676 13 For supervising, for which he was paid, the State House Commission employed an inspector, Mr George H Poole, at a salary of $150 per month While so engaged as architect, Mr Moses drew 5 per cent, or a total sum of $4,267 65 upon "extra" work The architect drew commissions for most trifling services, as, for instance, on "gilding the dome," on "reupholstering seventy-three chairs," on "granolithic walk," on "locating twenty-eight closets" which were to be set in place of those removed

The management of the Board of Fish and Game Commissioners has for some years past been a public scandal and disgrace The committee had before it three of the members of the board, whose testimony is replete with accusations and recriminations The president for some years past has also been the treasurer and secretary, autocratically shaping and controlling the policy of the

board and its methods The board has its headquarters in the president's office at Long Branch The president's stenographer is the board's stenographer, paid by the board, along with many "extras" An examination into the affairs of this department disclosed to your committee malfeasance and misfeasance of an appalling character, pernicious, corrupt and criminal practices by some of its members were indulged in, spurious, fictitious and false bills for expenses alleged to have been incurred by the commissioners were rendered monthly and paid without challenge This was undoubtedly due to the fact that they all participated at the same feast This reprehensible conduct disorganized the forces of the commission and permeated the action of the subordinates, the twenty-one wardens The wardens, by law, are paid a salary of $50 per month to patrol their assigned districts, their expenses in the discharge of these duties are likewise allowed Monthly they made requisitions upon the board, for their alleged past expenses, and were paid without question A mere glance at some of them discloses the spirit of dishonesty and graft which prevailed In one month one of the wardens charged $63 50 for "tips" and was paid "Tips" does not mean fish or game The wardens' expense account, paid without examination, frequently trebled the monthly salaries Wardens known to the commission to be permanently out of their districts during the periods covered by their statement of expenses were paid without criticism, both as to salary and expenses It would be of slight benefit to record the numerous instances of petty peculations, in all aggregating a large sum of money In 1906 the wardens and protector were paid for expenses $7,732 96 without any investigation by the board into the correctness of the expenditures Although receiving $50 a month for patrolling the State within their district, it was shown that one of the wardens was a lawyer with an office in New York, another one was a superintendent of a printing establishment in the same city, a third the proprietor of a beer saloon to which he devotes his time, while another ran a hotel Many of the wardens added to their income by collecting from the State two-thirds of the fine allowed to informers on violations of the fish and game laws In one instance, three wardens divided two-thirds of a two-thousand-dollar

fine collected In the opinion of your committee it was never intended that the wardens in the pay of the State should, as informers, be allowed this additional spoil Suffice it to say, that this is one of the boards to which is paid an annual appropriation in bulk in monthly installments In addition to this appropriation, this board collected license fees and fines, all of which was spent at the will of the board

During the past nine years this commission had from the State, by way of appropriations and from fines and licenses collected, $368,544 58, which sum your committee charges has been in part wantonly, recklessly and extravagantly disbursed The committee is of the opinion that the commission should be dissolved and its powers lodged in a bureau having control of fish game and oysters

We have in this State seven commissions, paid by the State and on behalf of the State, nurturing the oyster industry, which commissions for the year 1906 drew from the treasury of the State the following moneys

Bureau to Investigate the Salt Fishing	$498 50
Bureau of Shell Fisheries	2,074 01
Oyster Propagation	300 00
Oyster and Clam Commission (Shark river)	116 00
Oyster Commission (Atlantic county)	5,785 25
Oyster Commission (Delaware bay)	14,294 00
Oyster Commission (Ocean county)	3,275 00
A total cost of	$26,342 76
In addition to this the Fish and Game Commission, during the same year, cost the State	34,935 57
Making a grand total of	$61,278 33

In the opinion of your committee the undertaking of the State was one purely and solely of police regulation, and that there is no need for these many boards, nor any of them Your committee recommends that they all be abolished and the powers of the respective boards be vested in a bureau with one chief and the necessary assistants in the various parts of the commonwealth to carry out and enforce the assumed labors of the State as evinced by existing legislation

The resolution by which your Honorable Body appointed this committee directed an investigation of the legislative incidental bills for the years 1904 to 1907, inclusive

The lawmaking body of this State, by chapter No 410, Pamph L 1895, p 794, enacted that the officers of the Senate and General Assembly shall be those therein mentioned "and no others," and it also provided for their compensation In 1900 the Legislature readjusted the officers of each house and fixed their salaries Upon solemn reflection is it regrettable to note that the Legislature has persistently violated its own enactment above referred to, with but one exception, in the year 1896

In the year 1904 the Senate offended to the extent of $6,900 and the Assembly to the amount of $7,900 in the employment of officers not authorized

In the year 1905 the Senate unlawfully expended $7,050 and the Assembly $6,225 in the appointment of extra clerks, doorkeepers and pages

In the year 1906 the Senate again digressed to the amount of $6,863 and the Assembly to the extent of $2,200 in its unlawful appointment of clerks

In the year 1907 the aggregate of the Senate's requisition for officers not authorized amounts to the sum of $6,840 and that of the Assembly of $4,960

Laws are made to be obeyed and lawmakers should be exemplars Your committee suggests that if the present law is onerous, in that the officials thereby provided are not sufficient to accomplish the work, that the law be repealed and another enacted to be thenceforth observed The creation of useless clerkships to committees, and the appointment of extra doorkeepers, pages and postmasters, who do not serve, even for the handsome compensations they receive, have been great drains upon the public coffers It ought to be stopped and at once

Your committee further calls your attention to the supplies annually furnished the Legislature In description, some of the articles furnished were ridiculous—in numbers, amazing and in many instances the cost extravagant For these supplies "extraordinary," paid for by the State, there is no justification The

Legislature of 1904 spent $3,894 07, in 1905, $3,769 21, in 1906, $3,758 33, and in 1907, $4,699 99 There are but eighty-one members of the Legislature, and if the supplies charged to the State were actually furnished to them, each member would, at each session, be using one-half dozen combs and a like number of whisk brooms, hair, hat, coat, nail and tooth brushes

The following is a list of the articles "extraordinary" furnished during the four years investigated by your committee

LEGISLATIVE SUPPLIES—1904

Furnished by

	Senate		*House*		*Custodian*		*Total*	*Total*
Articles	*No*	*Cost*	*No*	*Cost*	*No*	*Cost*	*No*	*Cost*
Combs	48	$10 00	216	$45 00	180	$37 50	444	$92 50
Hair brushes	48	48 00	168	168 00	72	54 00	288	270 00
Whisks	48	16 00	180	60 00	144	28 50	372	104 50
Hat and Coat brushes	48	66 00	144	198 00			192	264 00
Nail brushes	48	24 00	168	84 00			216	108 00
Tooth brushes	48	16 00	192	64 00			240	80 00
Towels	132	33 00	264	79 20	24	4 50	420	116 70
Toilet soap	72	6 00	216	18 00	288	19 00	576	43 00
Shears	58	54 25	128	69 25			186	123 50
Fountain pens,	44	137 00	134	548 00			178	685 00
Inkstands	68	63 75	3	14 25			71	78 00
Pass cases			140	306 67			140	306 67
Wallets			27	60 75			27	60 75
Knives and pouches			132	345 60			132	345 60
Calendars	8	12 50	3	5 25			11	17 75
Soap cups			144	27 00			144	27 00
Scales	5	8 75					5	8 75
Letterheads and envelopes		490 75		458 10				948 85
Blacking stool,	1	7 00	1	7 00			2	14 00
Postage stamps (Clerk of the House)				5 00				5 00
Typewriter	1	106 75	1	87 75			2	194 50
		$1,099 75		$2,650 82		$143 50		$3,894 07

LEGISLATIVE SUPPLIES—1905

Furnished by

	Senate		*House*		*Custodian*		*Total*	*Total*
Articles	*No*	*Cost*	*No*	*Cost*	*No*	*Cost*	*No*	*Cost*
Whisks	48	$16 00	180	$56 25	144	$39 00	372	$111 25
Hair brushes	48	48 00	180	177 00	216	130 50	444	355 50
Nail and hand brushes	48	24 00	180	90 00	12	10 00	240	124 00
Toilet soap	72	6 00	216	18 00	288	19 00	576	43 00
Tooth brushes	48	16 00	192	64 00			240	80 00
Combs	48	10 00	216	45 00			264	55 00
Hat and coat brushes	72	99 00	144	198 00			216	297 00
Towels	132	39 60	264	79 20			396	118 50
Pass and card cases	69	118 20	150	300 00			219	418 20
Knives	71	130 75	156	408 00			227	538 75
Fountain pens	50	196 00	152	277 00			202	473 00
Shears	64	53 50	132	67 25			196	120 75
Inkstands	16	26 50	9	13 75			25	40 25
Wallets	21	115 50					21	115 50
Bill-books			30	27 00			30	27 00
Soap cups			168	35 00			168	35 00
Scales			2	3 50			2	3 50
Blacking stool	1	7 00	1	7 00			2	14 00
Letterheads		368 00		420 71				788 71
Postage stamps (Clerk of the House)		10 00						10 00
		$1,284 05		$2,286 66		$198 50		$3,769 21

LEGISLATIVE SUPPLIES—1906

Furnished by

	Senate		*House*		*Custodian*		*Total*	*Total*
Articles	*No*	*Cost*	*No*	*Cost*	*No*	*Cost*	*No*	*Cost*
Hair brushes	72	$72 00	168	$168 00	144	$111 00	384	$351 00
Whisks	72	24 00	180	60 00	144	39 00	396	123 00
Combs	72	15 00	216	45 00	144	30 00	432	90 00
Tooth brushes,	72	24 00	192	64 00	144	68 00	408	156 00
Nail brushes	72	36 00	180	90 00	144	72 00	396	198 00
Toilet soap	96	8 00	216	18 00	277	19 60	589	45 60
Calendars	9	18 00	5	10 00	3	4 25	17	32 25
Towels	96	28 80	240	72 00	96	8 93	432	109 73
Soap cups			168	35 00	120	19 00	288	54 00
Hat and coat brushes	72	99 00	144	198 00			216	297 00
Fountain pens,	6	21 50	156	474 00			162	495 50
Shears	48	34 25	95	49 25			143	83 50
Pass cases	40	50 00	65	130 00			105	180 00
Wallets	22	110 00	30	27 00			52	137 00
Knives	78	199 50	144	288 00			222	487 50
Inkstands	58	31 50	3	5 75			39	37 25
Letter cases	24	120 00					24	120 00
Purses	6	7 50					6	7 50
Blacking stool,	1	7 00	1	7 00			2	14 00
Letterheads and envelopes		280 25		391 75				672 00
Scales	5	9 75					5	9 75
Stamp racks	3	7 75					3	7 75
Mucilage	48 qts	36 00					48 qts	36 00
Paste		14 00						14 00
		$1,253 80		$2,132 75		$371 78		$3,758 33

LEGISLATIVE SUPPLIES—1907

Furnished by

Articles	Senate No	Senate Cost	House No	House Cost	Total No	Total Cost
Fountain pens	66	$198 00	150	$601 00	216	$799 00
Knives	66	146 10	156	312 00	222	458 10
Pass-cases	24	84 00	152	304 00	176	388 00
Pass-books						
Bill-books						
Letter-cases	24	117 60	30	40 50	74	158 10
Card-cases	42	31 50	27	54 00	69	85 50
Hair brushes	72	78 00	216	180 00	288	258 00
Nail brushes	72	36 00	216	108 00	288	144 00
Tooth brushes	72	24 00	216	72 00	288	96 00
Tooth brush guards			216	63 00	216	63 00
Clothes brushes	72	98 00	216	135 00	288	233 00
Hat brushes			216	171 00	216	171 00
Combs	72	15 00	240	60 00	312	75 00
Whisks	72	24 00	216	72 00	288	96 00
Towels	96	28 80	240	77 20	336	106 00
Shears	63	44 90	92	67 40	155	112 30
Inkstands	13	38 75	12	51 45		90 20
Soap	72	10 75			72	10 75
Soap cups			216	54 00	216	54 00
Typewriter and desk	1	100 00	1	117 25	2	217 25
Letterheads		235 00		392 75		627 75
Pelham press				254 19		254 19
Postage stamps		191 20				191 20
P Anthony Block		11 65				11 65
		$1,513 25		$3,186 74		$4,699 99

Under the present system the Custodian of the State House supplies, in anticipation of the legislative session, a sufficient number of toilet articles to gratify the most fastidious, after the convening of that body the respective Sergeants-at-Arms feels obliged, in the exercise of his office, to add thereto, supplementing the already over-abundance, the chairman of the Committee on Stationery of either house again makes purchases Hence the result

The committee has no hesitancy in denouncing and condemning this base and debasing practice, which has existed for time immemorial A halt should be called Your committee recommends

the following legislation—that the State House Commission furnish all necessary supplies to the Legislature, to be obtained from the lowest responsible bidder, after competitive bidding

The committee begs to remain your obedient servants,

SIMON HAHN, *Chairman,*
MARK A SULLIVAN,
JOHN D VANBLARCOM

Messrs Barber and Gibbs, minority members of the House Investigation Committee, submitted the following report

To the Honorable the General Assembly of the State of New Jersey

The undersigned, members of a committee appointed by virtue of the directions of the resolutions of your Honorable Body, passed April 12th, 1907, to inquire into and investigate the subject of State expenditures, do not agree in many particulars with the report signed by a majority of the members of the committee The majority states, referring to the departments, institutions and commissions of the State government "In many of them your committee has discovered and has publicly made known a studied indifference and disregard of official duty, as well as wanton, wasteful and reckless expenditure of public funds"

In any organization so large as a State government it is natural that a rigid investigation conducted with the purpose of disclosing defects would result in the discovery of some matters which might properly be changed, but we consider that the above statement is not borne out by the facts laid before your committee While we endorse some of the recommendations made by the majority, these recommendations are frequently accompanied by conclusions purporting to be drawn from the testimony, which we believe to be misleading and which we cannot endorse

We approve of the recommendation of the majority that "all public funds collected on behalf of the State be deposited in banking institutions paying interest on daily balances, and that the accretions inure to the State"

With respect to the collection of interest on moneys known as the railroad fund, while it would be desirable for the State to

obtain revenue from this source, the State Treasurer was advised by the late Attorney-General Grey to the effect that the State could not lawfully collect such interest Nothing has been disclosed to your committee to indicate that the opinion of the Attorney-General was incorrect, and in view of this it would hardly seem fair to criticise the State Treasurer for acting in accordance with the advice of the legal adviser of the State

We agree with the majority that it would be better practice if the moneys appropriated for the maintenance and support of the various departments, institutions and commissions of the State should be paid by the Treasurer only upon the warrant of the Comptroller, and that appropriations in bulk should not be made

We also believe that any moneys collected by any commission, department or institution should be turned over to the Treasurer to be deposited in the general State fund We endorse the statement of the majority that in the management of our State institutions "men and women of the highest type of honor and possessing a rare appreciation of their grave responsibility are giving gratuitously and unstintedly their best judgment and services to the State" We feel that the people of the State may be congratulated upon the results of their management We believe, however, that a change in the method of making appropriations is desirable, and we agree with the majority, with respect to one commission, that the method of using directly moneys collected and of having appropriations made in bulk has not been productive of good results

We believe that the heads of the State departments should give to their official duties all the time required to exercise a close supervision over their departments, and to maintain a high standard of efficiency in the offices under their control The testimony taken by your committee showed that the increase in business of the various departments has been very large, while the increase for clerical expenses has been slight To manage his department efficiently and economically should certainly be the aim of its official head, and no private business should be permitted in any way to interfere with the proper performance of the public duties imposed upon him It should, of course, be remembered, in considering the number of hours which the head of a department

should spend at the State Capitol, that the public duties of many of these officials frequently call them to different parts of the State

The policy of one official holding two positions does not seem to us to be reprehensible, unless the positions are of such a nature that their duties conflict, or that the combined salaries are larger than the services of the official would justify. While it may be argued that the curator of the State Museum should not be a member of the State Board of Education, and that the chief of the Teachers' Bureau of Information should perform no other work for the State, it has not been disclosed to your committee that the holders of these positions have been in any way remiss in the proper performance of their duties. Should, however, in the judgment of the Legislature, it seem to be inadvisable that two offices should be held by one official when the duties are analogous, this could be easily corrected by legislation, and in case of the creation of some new bureau or department in the public interest, it could be provided that the additional duties should be performed by an official holding a position already in existence.

The majority of the committee seemed to have had this in mind when they recommended the transfer of the Department of Motor Vehicles from the Secretary of State's office to the Road Department. We do not endorse this recommendation. The Secretary of State's office is the license bureau of the State. The Legislature has deemed it wise to enact a law for the regulation of motor vehicles, imposing upon the drivers as a penalty, revocation of licenses for certain offenses. All records pertaining to motor vehicles are kept in this department, and the compensation of $1,500 allowed the chief was by an act of the Legislature, which made him head of the motor vehicle department. We believe that there should be a responsible head of this department, and that his duties may be properly exercised in connection with duties which regularly come into the Secretary of State's department. If it is considered that the Legislature acted unwisely in allowing a compensation for this work, the law might be repealed, but we should hesitate to recommend any change which would tend to impair the efficiency of this department.

We agree with the majority of the committee that the work of

the Bureau of Labor and Statistics and of the Department of Labor might properly be combined within one department We believe that the work done by each of these departments is of benefit, but we see no good reason why separate departments should be maintained

The majority report states

"Two taxing boards of four members each are now supported by the State" By this is meant the State Board of Assessors and the State Board of Equalization of Taxes We do not agree that these are both taxing boards The State Board of Assessors imposes taxes upon the main stem and franchises of railroad properties, upon the franchises of public utility corporation and upon miscellaneous corporations The State Board of Equalization is a board to which appeals are made in cases of dispute between the property holder, whether individual or corporate, and the taxing authority, whether local or State To vest in the Board of Equalization the power to make assessments would, it is obvious, destroy its function as a Board of Appeal and Review We believe that these separate boards should be maintained We do not consider that the duty was imposed upon your committee to investigate the problem of railroad taxation This has already been the subject of exhaustive legislative inquiry, and our present laws have been adopted as the result of careful study and deliberation on the part of successive Legislatures The laws enacted by the Legislature of 1906 will result in a large increase in railroad taxation, and we believe that it would be well to let these laws remain until it can be more clearly demonstrated than has yet been shown that they can be changed to the advantage of the public

The claim of the majority of the committee that the railroad companies virtually make their own assessments and that the assessors do not assess, we do not consider is borne out by the facts before your committee While railroad companies report annually their holdings and their estimate of valuation of such holdings, an engineering corps (at the head of which is an expert familiar with the railroad construction and railroad properties) is continually employed examining these properties and reporting valuations to the Board of Assessors, these valuations being used as a check upon reports made by the railroad companies, this

being combined with the personal observation of the members of the board

The statement made by the majority of the committee that main stem railroad property has increased but 2 per cent in value during a long period of years is not borne out by the facts In 1886 the valuation of main stem property (including franchises) was $135,556,724, and in 1906 the valuation was $166,746,300, an increase of $31,189,576, to which should be added $2,218,400 of valuations included in the assessment of 1886, which was subsequently set aside by the legal authorities, so that, as a matter of fact, the increase between 1886 and 1906 in the assessed valuation of main stem and franchises was $33,407,976, or 24 6/10 per cent

We endorse the recommendation that the board of health have jurisdiction over all matters affecting the public health, including the problems which arise in various municipalities with regard to the disposition of sewage

We believe that the public is of the opinion that the maintenance of a State Board of Arbitration is not of benefit, and that the board might be abolished in the public interest The failure on the part of the Legislature to vest the existing board with adequate power to be exercised in labor disputes, and the apparent unwillingness of the parties to these disputes to call voluntarily upon the board for its services as arbiters have apparently prevented any important practical benefit as a result of its establishment

The criticism of the voting machine by the majority of the committee as "distasteful and unpopular" is something which, it seems to us, does not come within the scope of our inquiry Differences of opinion exist as to whether or not the merits of the voting machines outweigh their defects Whether or not their use should be discontinued is something for the Legislature to decide We agree, however, that a separate Voting Machine Commission need not be longer maintained, and that the powers of the commission be lodged in the office of the Secretary of State

The majority of the committee dwells at considerable length upon the awarding by the State House Commission of contracts for buildings, stating that it is their conviction that there was combi

nation and collusion between Lewis Lawton & Son, contractors, and George J Tobin, a sub-contractor, and George H Poole, State architect This is a serious charge, involving the honor and professional standing of a trusted public official, and should not be made except upon evidence so strong as to exclude reasonable doubt to the contrary The majority of the committee bases this criminal charge upon the statement of a disappointed and unsuccessful bidder upon State work and upon the fact that certain erasures appeared in the books of Lewis Lawton, a general contractor, which Mr Lawton claimed referred to a private business transaction, the nature of which he refused to divulge Both Mr Lawton and his bookkeeper testified under oath that these erasures did not refer to any account with Mr Poole, and, in our opinion, the circumstances cited by the majority do not justify the charge brought against this official

The testimony taken by your committee shows that contracts for public work have been awarded to the lowest responsible bidder in competition after advertising

Much is made in the majority report of the fact that Lawton, contractor for the new wing at the State prison, used in a bid upon the plumbing work a higher bid from George J Tobin than another contractor offered without solicitation

There was no denial of the fact by Mr Lawton that Mr Tobin had been his sub-contractor for the work, and that he included in his bid Tobin's proposal The awarding by Mr Lawton of a sub-contract to Mr Tobin at a higher price than some other sub-contractor voluntarily offered to perform the work for, does not seem to us to be particularly a matter of State concern The State deals directly with the general contractor and holds the general contractor responsible for the proper performance of his contract We do not see how the State can go beyond the lowest responsible bidder and regulate the awarding of the sub-contracts

The statement of a dissatisfied contractor, referring to the new wing at the State House, that he had been "informed that the State architect had fixed it for Lawton," is quoted It is not stated, however, by the majority of the committee that this dissatisfied contractor later admitted that he could not remember who had told him this, nor do the majority call attention to the fact that the

disappointed contractor, with respect to the State prison work, refused to leave the witness stand until he had paid a tribute to the fair and honorable dealing of the State architect Attention is called by the majority of the committee that the bid of this contractor for the construction of the new wing of the State prison was rejected, although he was the lowest bidder This contractor failed to comply with the specifications upon which bids were requested, and upon an appeal to the Supreme Court the action of the State Prison Commission in rejecting his bid was sustained This contractor admitted that he delayed a year the completion of the State armory building at Trenton for which he was general contractor, and that public dissatisfaction was expressed through the press because of his delay The majority of the members of the committee refer to extra work for which allowances were made by the State House Commission after approval of the contractor's estimate by the State architect The evidence laid before your committee did not show in any way that extortionate prices were received for these extras It is a matter of common knowledge that large buildings are seldom completed without some conditions arising which necessitate changes in the original plans, and that the contractor, where extra expense is incurred, is compensated We do not believe that the facts before your committee warrant a charge of corruption or extravagance in the way of awarding State contracts The way to determine accurately whether the State has expended more money than it should for buildings constructed for its use would be by a thorough and careful examination by an expert and impartial builder, and we do not believe that it is proper to bring a serious indictment against a public official upon such evidence as that on which the majority of the committee bases its accusation

Attention is called in the majority report to a number of fees collected by Mr Arnold H Moses, architect of the Senate chamber The expense incurred by the charge of architects for fees upon State work led to the employment by the State of a State architect, and the practice which the committee condemns with respect to Mr Moses' charges no longer exists

We agree with the majority of the committee that the affairs of the Fish and Game Commission have not been properly con-

ducted, and we concur in the opinion that the Fish and Game Commission and the various oyster commissions be merged in a bureau having control of fish, game and oysters

We endorse the suggestion of the majority that the Legislature give favorable consideration to a measure that will remove the selection of employes of all State departments and institutions from all influences other than that of merit, and we endorse the recommendation that a Civil Service Commission be appointed, having supervision of the entire State service

We also agree that the practice of the Legislature in employing useless officials is a reprehensible one and should cease

We join the majority in condemning the practice of purchasing large quantities of supplies, such as superfluous brushes, combs, knives, pens, &c, for members of the Legislature

We agree with the majority of the committee that the State House Commission should furnish all necessary supplies to the Legislature, to be obtained from the lowest responsible bidder in competition

THEODORE B GIBBS,
ALFRED N BARBER

On motion of Mr Klenert, the reading of both reports was dispensed with, and the same gentleman moved that 500 copies of the reports be ordered printed

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read, as follows:

WHEREAS, It appearing to the General Assembly that the allegations of waste and extravagance in the expenditure of the appropriations for the various departments of the State, as alleged in the resolution of this body, passed April 12th, 1907, have been fully sustained by the report of the committee appointed thereunder, and

WHEREAS, It further appearing to the General Assembly that the public interest requires a further investigation into the said waste and extravagance, therefore, be it

Resolved, That five members of the General Assembly be appointed by the Speaker to investigate into the subject of State expenditures, wheresoever and by whomsoever made, the said committee to have power to subpœna and swear witnesses, to take testimony, to send for persons, books, papers and documents as in their judgment may seem meet, to employ counsel, clerks, accountants and stenographers, and to do such other things as may be necessary, in their judgment, to fully and in detail advise this body as to the disbursement of the public funds The said committee to have power to sit, if necessary, during the legislative recess and after the adjournment of the Legislature, and to make report to this House at this or the next session of the Legislature

Mr Perkins offered the following amendment to Mr Klenert's resolution

Strike out the prefatory portion of the resolution

The amendment was taken up and lost by the following result:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Barber, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Devine, Jr , Drake, Fake, Haines, Irick, Jess, Lewis, Manson, Moxon, Perkins, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson—18

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr , Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —27

Mr Barber offered as a substitute a concurrent resolution, which the Speaker declared out of order

Mr Perkins offered the following amendment to Mr Klenert's resolution

Strike out the prefatory part and insert therefor, "WHEREAS, The testimony taken before the investigation committee heretofore appointed has not been submitted to the House, and it is desirable that the investigation of the State departments be continued"

The amendment was taken up and lost by the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Barber, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Devine, Jr , Drake, Fake, Haines, Irick, Jess, Lewis, Manson, Moxon, Perkins, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson—18

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr , Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —27

Mr Klenert's resolution was then taken up, and adopted by the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr , Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —27

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Devine, Jr , Drake, Fake, Haines, Irick, Jess, Lewis, Manson, Moxon, Perkins, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson—18

Mr Barber desired his vote changed from nay to aye

Mr Barber moved that the vote by which the resolution was adopted be reconsidered

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Barber, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Devine, Jr , Drake, Fake, Haines, Irick, Jess, Lewis, Manson, Moxon, Perkins, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson—18

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Firth.

Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —27

The Speaker declared the motion to reconsider lost

The Speaker appointed the following members as a committee to investigate into the subject of State expenditures, &c

Messrs Hahn, Sullivan, VanBlarcom, Barbei, Gibbs

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That when the House adjourns it be to meet again on Saturday morning next, at 10 30, and when it then adjourns it be to meet again on Tuesday morning, June 25th, at 10 30, and when it then adjourns it be to meet again on Friday morning, June 28th, at 10 30, and when it then adjourns it be to meet again on Monday morning, July 1st, at 10 30, and when it then adjourns it be to meet again on Wednesday morning, July 3d, at 10 30, and when it then adjourns it be to meet again on Friday morning, July 5th, at 10 30 o'clock

On motion of Mr Klenert, the House then adjourned

SATURDAY, June 22d, 1907

At 10 30 o'clock A M the House met

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names

Messrs Klenert, Lethbridge, Burk

Mr Lethbridge, Speaker, in the chair

There being no quorum present, the Speaker declared the House adjourned until Tuesday morning, June 25th, at 10 30 o'clock

TUESDAY, June 25th, 1907

At 10 30 o'clock A M the House met

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names

Messrs Klenert, Lethbridge, Burk

Mr Lethbridge, Speaker, in the chair

There being no quorum present, the Speaker declared the House adjourned until Friday morning, June 28th, at 10 30 A M

FRIDAY, June 28th, 1907

At 10 30 o'clock A M the House met

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names

Messrs Klenert, Lethbridge, Burk

Mr Lethbridge, Speaker, in the chair

There being no quorum present, the Speaker declared the House adjourned until Monday morning, July 1st, at 10 30 A M

MONDAY, July 1st, 1907

At 10 30 o'clock A M the House met

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names

Messrs Klenert, Lethbridge, Burk

Mr Lethbridge, Speaker, in the chair

There being no quorum present, the Speaker declared the House adjourned until Wednesday morning, July 3d, at 10 30 A M

WEDNESDAY, July 3d, 1907

At 10 30 o'clock A M the House met

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names

Messrs Klenert, Lethbridge, Burk

Mr Lethbridge, Speaker, in the chair

There being no quorum present, the Speaker declared the House adjourned until Friday morning, July 5th, at 10 30 A M

FRIDAY, July 5th, 1907

House met at 10 30 o'clock A M

Prayer was offered by the Rev James J Powers, of Trenton, N J

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Alexander, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Metz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlaicom, Wright, Jr—50

Absent—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Backus, Breunig, Burk, Elvins, Eppinger, Haines, Riordan—8

On motion of Mr Klenert, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with

Mr Barber offered the following resolution, which was read, as follows

WHEREAS, The House of Assembly adopted upon June 20th a resolution providing for the appointment of a committee to investigate the expenditure of State funds, and

WHEREAS, Doubt has been expressed as to whether said committee may lawfully exercise the authority of the House of Assembly, because of the fact that the resolution providing for its appointment was adopted by a majority of a quorum and not by a majority of the members of the whole House, and

WHEREAS, It is important that the authority of the committee should not be questioned on technical grounds, therefore, be it

Resolved, That it is the intention of the House of Assembly that the committee appointed by virtue of the resolution adopted June 20th to investigate expenditures of State funds shall be the agent of the House, and the authority of the House of Assembly is hereby vested in said committee to be exercised, at its discretion, for the purposes expressed in said resolution

Mr Alexander offered the following amendment to the resolution, which was read and adopted

After the word "resolution," at the end, add the words "and for the further purpose of investigating county and municipal expenditures"

The resolution, as amended, was then taken up and adopted by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—49

Mr Klenert moved that the House be placed under call

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—51

Absent—

Messrs Backus, Breunig, Burk, Elvins, Eppinger, Haines, Riordan—7

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

BE IT RESOLVED *by the House of Assembly*, That the following communication be transmitted by the Clerk of this House to the Senate forthwith

To the Senate of New Jersey

GENTLEMEN—The House of Assembly would respectfully call your attention to the fact that in the early part of the present session of the Legislature, among other measures of great public importance, the following bills were passed by this House on the respective dates set after the same and transmitted to your honorable body, and upon which bills no action has been taken by your honorable body

Assembly Bill No 1, by Mr Holcombe, passed by the House March 5th, 1907, providing for the abolition of voting machines

Assembly Bill No 6, by Mr Alexander, passed by the House April 3d, 1907, known as the Corrupt Practices act

Assembly Bills Nos 9 and 10, by Mr Hendrickson, passed by the House April 11th, 1907, providing for the taxation of railroad property by local assessors at local rates

Assembly Bill No 12, by Mr Hendrickson, passed by the House April 3d, 1907, providing for the sale by municipalities of water to adjoining municipalities

Assembly Bill No 20, by Mr Olwell, passed by the House March 20th, 1907, providing that railroad companies shall pay wages to employes every two weeks

Assembly Bill No 221, by the Speaker, passed by the House April 3d, 1907, requiring personal registration in connection with elections

Assembly Bill No 225, by Mr Baader, passed by the House March 26th, 1907, providing for the repeal of what is known as the Meeker act

Assembly Bill No 409, by Mr Baader, passed by the House April 3d, 1907, restoring spring elections, a companion act to No 225

Assembly Bill No 497, by Mr Sullivan, passed by the House April 12th, 1907, providing that railroads shall first obtain the consent of municipalities before tunnelling under the streets of said municipalities

Assembly Bill No 319, by Mr Tumulty, passed by the House April 3d, 1907, known as the Quo Warranto bill

In view of the fact that it would entail considerable expense on the State to have these measures reintroduced in the House and reprinted, we would respectfully request, if the same meets with your approval, that some action be taken by your body for the disposition of these measures

Respectfully submitted,

THE HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY

Mr Barber offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That one thousand copies of the testimony taken by the Assembly Investigating Committee, upon which reports were presented to the Legislature on June 20th, be printed for distribution

On motion of Mr Klenert, the House then took a recess until 2 o'clock P M

AFTERNOON SESSION

The House reconvened at 2 o'clock P M

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlaicom, Wright, Jr—56

Absent—

Messrs Elvins, Haines—2

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
July 5th, 1907

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 370, entitled "An act to abolish the offices of commissioner and assistant commissioner of labor and chief and deputy chief of the bureau of statistics of this State,"

Senate Bill No 371, entitled "An act to abolish the State Board of Voting Machine Commissioners and to cast the duties of said commissioners upon the Secretary of State,"

Senate Bill No 372, entitled "An act relating to the investigation and examination of the government of this State and the various departments thereof,"

Senate Bill No 373, entitled "An act to create a department of labor and bureau of statistics,"

Senate Bill No 374, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the militia of the State,'" approved May sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Senate Bill No 375, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,'" which further supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Senate Bill No 376, entitled "An act to establish a civil service commission and to regulate the appointment of certain public officers in the State of New Jersey and in the cities and counties thereof,"

Senate Bill No 377, entitled "An act relating to the selection, drawing and summoning of grand jurors and the organization of the grand jury in the several counties of this State,"

Senate Bill No 378, entitled "An act regulating the receipt and disbursements of State moneys in certain cases,"

Senate Bill No 380, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the appointment of commissioners for the better protection of the fishing interests of the State of New Jersey,'" approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy,

Senate Bill No 381, entitled "An act ratifying and validating elections held in boroughs of this State on the question of the incorporation as a city,"

Senate Bill No 388, entitled "An act providing for the construction of sewers and sewer systems in cities of this State and the issuance of bonds for the cost thereof, and providing for collecting rentals for the use of such sewers and sewer systems,"

Senate Bill No 390, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the drainage of any pond, artificial reservoir, marsh, swamp, bog, meadow, low or wet lands, where the same is necessary for the public health,'" approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Senate Bill No 395, entitled "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act concerning contagious and infectious diseases among animals, and to repeal certain acts relating thereto,'" approved May fourth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

Senate Bill No 396, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation of the flow of torrential rivers, to protect persons and property from damage by floods, and to provide for the maintenance and regulation of river flood districts when established by law,'" approved April nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

Senate Bill No 393, entitled "An act to provide for Civil War monuments,"

Senate Bill No 394, entitled "An act to abolish the Board of Arbitration of this State,"

Senate Bill No 398, entitled "An act in relation to the furnishing, supplying and use of water within the limits of municipalities in this State, maintaining or operating a public water-supply, whether or not the supply of water furnished by the municipality is obtained by contract or is from a plant owned and controlled by the municipality,"

Senate Bill No 401, entitled "An act to enable boards of chosen freeholders to accept roads or sections of roads in cities, towns, townships or boroughs, and to maintain the same as county roads,"

Senate Bill No 403, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a parole agent for the State prison,'" approved May eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Senate Bill No 406, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide a uniform procedure for the enforcement of all laws relating to fish, game and birds, and for the recovery of penalties for violations thereof,'" approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Senate Bill No 407, entitled "An act for the government of the State prison to better the condition of prisoners upon their discharge,"

Senate Bill No 408, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase of turnpike and macadamized

toll roads,'" approved June nineteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

Senate Bill No 410, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Water-Supply Commission and to define its powers and duties, and the conditions under which waters of this State may be diverted,'" approved June seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,

Joint Resolution No 13, entitled "Continuing the Hudson River Bridge Commission and authorizing the Governor to appoint two additional members,"

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

HOWARD L TYLER,

Secretary of the Senate

The Senate Message was then taken up, and

Senate Bill No 393, entitled "An act to provide for Civil War monuments,"

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 394, entitled "An act to abolish the board of arbitration of this State,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Senate Bill No 398, entitled "An act in relation to the furnishing, supplying and use of water within the limits of municipalities in this State, maintaining or operating a public water-supply, whether or not the supply of water furnished by the municipality is obtained by contract or is from a plant owned and controlled by the municipality,"

Was read for the first time by its title, and the same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended, and that

Senate Bill No 398, entitled "An act in relation to the furnishing, supplying and use of water within the limits of municipalities

in this State, maintaining or operating a public water-supply, whether or not the supply of water furnished by the municipality is obtained by contract or is from a plant owned and controlled by the municipality,"

Be placed on second reading without reference,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Sullivan, the rules were suspended, and

Senate Bill No 398, entitled "An act in relation to the furnishing, supplying and use of water within the limits of municipalities in this State, maintaining or operating a public water-supply, whether or not the supply of water furnished by the municipality is obtained by contract or is from a plant owned and controlled by the municipality,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Senate Bill No 398, entitled "An act in relation to the furnishing, supplying and use of water within the limits of municipalities in this State, maintaining or operating a public water-supply, whether or not the supply of water furnished by the municipality is obtained by contract or is from a plant owned and controlled by the municipality,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Corrish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Stille, Sullivan, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—40

In the negative were—

Messrs Cattell, Chaplin, Davison, Drake, Gibbs, Irick, Jess, Manson, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor, Tillman—15

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No 371, entitled "An act to abolish the State board of voting machine commissioners and to cast the duties of said commissioners upon the Secretary of State,"

Was read for the first time by its title, and the same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended, and that

Senate Bill No 371, entitled "An act to abolish the State board of voting machine commissioners and to cast the duties of said commissioners upon the Secretary of State,"

Be placed on second reading, without reference, which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Klenert, the rules were suspended, and

Senate Bill No 371, entitled "An act to abolish the State board of voting machine commissioners and to cast the duties of said commissioners upon the Secretary of State,"

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amendments, proposed by Mr Alexander, were read and adopted by the following vote

Section 2, add the following words after the word "act," on line 3. *"provided, however,* that for services rendered by the Secretary of State in the performance of the duties herein imposed upon him he shall receive no compensation in addition to his present salary as Secretary of State"

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr., Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Jones, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —55

In the negative was—

Mr Chaplin—1

Mr Kleneit moved that the rules be suspended and that

Senate Bill No 371, entitled "An act to abolish the State boai of voting machine commissioners and to cast the duties of sai commissioners upon the Secretary of State,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Kleneit,

Senate Bill No 371, entitled "An act to abolish the State boai of voting machine commissioners and to cast the duties of sai commissioners upon the Secretary of State,"

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read third time by its title, and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Bake Blohm, Brady, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Firtl Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Ji , Holcombe, Holzapfe Kleneit, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Mo ris, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Riordan, Sullivan, Thom son, Tumulty, VanBlaicom, Wright, Ji —32

In the negative were—

Messis Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Daviso Devine, Jr , Diake, Fake, Gibbs, Irick, Jess, Lewis, Lill gore, Manson, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Still Taylor, Tillman—22

Oideied, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Cle cairy it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House Assembly has passed the same

Senate Bill No 373, entitled "An act to cieate a depaitment labor and buieau of statistics,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a seco ieading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

On motion of Mi Alexandei,

Senate Bill No 374, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled An act concerning the militia of the State,' " approved May sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was read for the first time by its title, and the same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended and said bill be placed on second reading without reference,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Klenert, the rules were suspended, and

Senate Bill No 374, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled An act concerning the militia of the State,' " approved May sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No 374, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled An act concerning the militia of the State,' " approved May sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Biohm, Brady, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Corish, Daab, Davison, Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Riordan, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Thompson, Tillman, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No 375, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,'" which further supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was read for the first time by its title, and the same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended and that said bill be placed on second reading without reference,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No 375, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,'" which further supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was taken up under suspension of the rules, read a second time and the following Assembly substitute, offered by Mr Brady, was read

A FURTHER SUPPLEMENT to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight

BE IT ENACTED *by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey*

1 In any year preceding the election by the Legislature of a United States Senator it shall be lawful, at the primary election of any political party entitled to hold an election under the provision of the act to which this act is a supplement, and the supplement thereto, to select a party nominee for United States Senator, and such nominee so elected in the primary election of any political party shall be entitled to have his name placed on the ballots of his party at the general election The voting upon candidates for United States Senator, in both the primary and general elections shall be solely in an advisory sense, and only as a means for securing expression of party and public opinion, without interfering with the rights and discretion of the members of the Legislature to exercise their full constitutional authority in the election of United States Senators

2 Not less than five hundred (500) voters of such political party in each of at least seven counties of the State may file with the Secretary of State a petition in the form required for the nomination of candidates to be voted for at a primary election by the act to which this is a supplement, and the supplements thereto, endorsing any member of their political party as a candidate for the endorsement of said party for United States Senator It shall not be required that the entire number of signatures required shall be on one or any certain number of petition forms, or that the petitions for each or any candidate must be filed at one time or by one person At least one of the signers of each page or sheet of signatures to any petition shall make oath or affirmation that he witnessed the signing of the names of all the other persons whose names appear on such petition sheet, that each signature there affixed was signed by the person whose name it purports to be, and that all such signers are legal voters and, to the best of the knowledge and belief of the person making the affidavit, are members of the political party in whose primaries the candidate suggested is to be voted for, and that such petition is prepared and filed in absolute good faith for the sole purpose of securing the endorsement of the person named therein by the voters for United States Senator

3 Petitions for endorsement of candidates for United States Senator, as above described, must be filed with the Secretary of State at least thirty days before the date of holding such primary election Not later than twenty days prior to said primary election the Secretary of State shall certify to each county clerk the name or names of all persons who have been endorsed by petitions filed with him as aforesaid, and such county clerk shall certify to each municipal clerk in the county in which he is clerk, not less than ten days prior to said primary election, the name or names aforesaid The municipal clerks, in preparing the official ballot to be used at the said primary election for the said political party, shall insert therein the words

"Favored for United States Senator," and shall place thereunder the names of all persons so certified to said clerk, on the ballots of their respective political parties, arranging the names in alphabetical order

4. Votes cast for candidates for United States Senator at the primary elections of the various political parties shall be counted

by the election officers the same as votes for other nominations, but the result of such voting on candidates endorsed for United States Senator shall be returned to the county clerk separately Each county clerk shall tabulate the vote cast for candidates for endorsement for United States Senator in the primary elections of the several political parties, and not later than ten days after the date of the primary elections, shall transmit such tabulated vote to the Secretary of State, and the Secretary of State shall publicly, on the twelfth day following the primary elections, canvass and announce the result of such vote in the primary elections of the several political parties in the State The candidate of each party who in the primary election of his party throughout the State received the highest number of votes, shall be declared to be the party nominee for endorsement for United States Senator

5 Immediately upon the announcement of the vote in the primary elections upon candidates for endorsement for United States Senator, the Secretary of State shall instruct the clerks of the several counties to print, in the place on the official ballots of each political party and in voting machines where they are used, just before the names of nominees for State, county and municipal offices the line "Endorsed for United States Senator," and beneath this line the name of the candidate for endorsement who received the highest vote in the primary election of his political party in the State

6 Candidates for endorsement at the general election for United States Senator may have their names placed upon official ballots or on voting machines where same are used, by petition, in the same manner as provided by law for the filing of nomination for Governor by petition

7 The vote upon candidate for endorsement for United States Senator at the general election shall be counted and canvassed in the same manner as the vote for Governor, and the result of such vote shall be announced in a proclamation by the Governor Statements of the result of such vote shall be certified to by the Secretary of State, and transmitted by him to the Speaker of the General Assembly and the President of the Senate upon the assembling of the two houses at the opening of the legislative session following the election at which a United States Senator is to be elected

8. Previous to the beginning of balloting for United States Sena

tor, in joint session, the clerk of the joint session shall read aloud the result of the popular vote on endorsement of candidates for United States Senator as contained in the statement made by the Secretary of State

9 In filing his acceptance of a nomination for the office of State Senator or member of the General Assembly a candidate may sign and file a copy of one of the two following statements, copies of which shall be prepared by the county clerks and handed to each nominee for Senator or Member of the General Assembly, and when such statement is signed and filed by the nominee the county clerk shall receive and preserve the same as a public record, and shall publicly announce, as soon as all acceptances of nominations have been filed, what nominees or candidates have signed each form of statement

STATEMENT NO 1

"I further state to the people of New Jersey, as well as to the people of county, that during my term of office I will always vote for that candidate for United States Senator in Congress who has received the highest number of the people's votes endorsing him for that position at the general election next preceding the election of a Senator in Congress, without regard to my individual preference"

(Signature of the nominee)

If any candidate shall be unwilling to sign the above statement, he may sign the following statement

STATEMENT NO 2

"During my term of office I shall consider the vote of the people for United States Senator in Congress as nothing more than a recommendation, which I shall be at liberty to wholly disregard if the reason for so doing seems to me to be sufficient"

(Signature of the nominee)

10 This act shall take effect immediately

Upon the adoption of the Assembly substitute, the result was as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buxton, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr., Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr.—35

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barber, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Davison, Drake, Gibbs, Irick, Jess, Lewis, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Smalley, Thompson, Tillman—17.

The Speaker declared the Assembly substitute adopted

On motion of Mr Brady,

Assembly substitute for

Senate Bill No 375, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,'" which further supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and was ordered to have a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Brady,

Senate Bill No. 375, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "A act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,'" which further supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buxton, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—33

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Davison, Drake, Gibbs, Hick, Jess, Lewis, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Smalley, Thompson, Tillman—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

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Senate Bill No 376, entitled "An act to establish a civil service commission and to regulate the appointment of certain public officers in the State of New Jersey and in the cities and counties thereof,"

Was read for the first time by its title, and the same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended and that said bill be placed on second reading without reference,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Senate Bill No 376, entitled "An act to establish a civil service commission and to regulate the appointment of certain public officers in the State of New Jersey and in the cities and counties thereof,"

Was taken up, under suspension of the rules, read a second time, and the following amendments, offered by Mr Sullivan, were read

Strike out section two and insert in place thereof the following

2 There shall be elected at the general election for members of Assembly next ensuing after the approval of this act, by the legal voters of this State who may be qualified to vote for members of

Assembly, three persons, to serve, one for six years, one for four years and one for two years, as civil service commissioners, and the said three commissioners shall constitute the civil service commission of this State. Every alternate year thereafter there shall be elected, as aforesaid, one person as the successor of the commissioner whose term shall expire, to serve for a term of six years from the date of the expiration of his predecessor's term, and until a successor is appointed and has qualified Any vacancy in such commission shall be filled by appointment by the Governor for the remainder of the term, subject to confirmation by the Senate, but any appointment shall be in full force until acted upon by the Senate The commissioners shall hold no other lucrative office or employment under the United States, the State of New Jersey, or any city or county thereof At any meeting of the commissioners, duly convened, two shall constitute a quorum The said commissioners shall qualify by filing with the Secretary of State an oath to perform faithfully the duties of their office.

Section one, line two, strike out the words "of the first class" and insert in place thereof the word "therein"

Section four, line two, strike out the words "for which civil service rules shall have been prescribed pursuant to this act"

Section four, line six, strike out the word "such" and insert in place thereof the word "its"

Section four, line seven, strike out the word "passage" and insert in place thereof the word "approval."

Section six, line eight, strike out the words "The rules thus prescribed shall have the force and effect of law"

Section six, line thirty-nine, strike out the word "Governor" and insert in place thereof the word "Legislature"

Section seven, line ten, strike out the words "of the first class."

Section eight, line one, strike out the word "passage" and insert in place thereof the word "approval," and after the words "of the," strike out the word "appointment" and insert in place thereof the word "election"

Section eight, line four, strike out the words "for which" and insert in place thereof the word "thereof"

Section eight, line five, strike out the words "civil service rules shall have been prescribed pursuant to this act"

Section eight, line seven, strike out the word "for" and insert in place thereof the word "thereof"

Section eight, line eight, strike out the words "which civil service rules shall have been prescribed pursuant to this act therein"

Section eleven, line two, strike out the words "for which civil service rules shall have been"

Section eleven, line three, strike out the words "prescribed pursuant to this act"

Section twelve, paragraph six, strike out the words "The Secretary of the Senate, the Clerk of the General Assembly and one clerk to each committee of the Legislature," and insert in place thereof the following

6 The officers and employes of the Senate and General Assembly

Section twenty, line three, strike out the words "for which civil service rules shall have been prescribed pursuant to this act"

Section twenty-two, line two, strike out the words "for which civil service rules shall have been prescribed pursuant to"

Section twenty-two, line three, strike out the words "this act"

Section twenty-seven, line two, strike out the words "for which civil service rules shall have been prescribed pursuant"

Section twenty-seven, line three, strike out the words "to this act"

Section thirty-two, line two, strike out the word "immediately" and insert in place thereof the words "February first, one thousand nine hundred and eight"

Upon the adoption of the amendments the vote was as follows.

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Coyish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—32

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Fake, Gibbs, Irick, Jess, Lewis, Manson, Potter, Smalley, Thompson, Tillman—19

The Speaker declared the amendments adopted

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Senate Bill No 376, entitled "An act to establish a civil service commission and to regulate the appointment of certain public officers in the State of New Jersey and in the cities and counties thereof,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and was ordered to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Senate Bill No 376, entitled "An act to establish a civil service commission and to regulate the appointment of certain public officers in the State of New Jersey and in the cities and counties thereof,"

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Baader, Backus Brady, Breunig, Buxton, Corish, Devine, Jr, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Perkins, Smalley, Sullivan, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—26

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Daab, Davison, Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Gibbs, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Lewis, Manson, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Potter, Riordan—24

Senate Bill No 377, entitled "An act relating to the selection, drawing and summoning of grand jurors and the organization of the grand jury in the several counties of this State,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Senate Bill No 378, entitled "An act regulating the receipt and disbursements of State moneys in certain cases,"

Was read for the first time by its title, and the same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended, and that said bill be placed on second reading without reference,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Senate Bill No 378, entitled "An act regulating the receipt and disbursements of State moneys in certain cases,"

Was taken up, under suspension of the rules, read a second time, and the following amendments, offered by Mr Sullivan, were read

Strike out, in section one, after the word "State," in line one, all the words as far as and including the word "supplies," on line four

Section two, strike out the whole of section two after the words "were received," in line six

Section eight, lines two and three, after the words "the sum of," strike out "five thousand dollars ($5,000)" and insert in place thereof "twenty-five hundred dollars ($2,500) "

Upon the adoption of the amendments the vote was as follows

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Bulk, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr , Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Metz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —46

In the negative—None

The Speaker declared the amendments adopted

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Senate Bill No 378, entitled "An act regulating the receipt and disbursements of State moneys in certain cases,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Senate Bill No 378, entitled "An act regulating the receipt and disbursements of State moneys in certain cases,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Devine, Ji , Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr , Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Meiz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —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

A message was received from the Governor, by the hands of his Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
July 5th, 1907.

To the Legislature

Senate Bill No 272, entitled "An act concerning the government of cities of the first class," provides that "In cities of the first class the terms of office of all city officers, members of city boards and other employes appointed by the mayor thereof, whether for

a definite or indefinite term, shall expire with the term of such mayor, and the successors of such officers, members of city boards and employes shall be appointed by the incoming mayor, and shall hold such positions during the term of the mayor so appointing"

The principle of this bill is an excellent one Every administration responsible to the people for the conduct of affairs should have the right to be surrounded by friendly advisers of its own selection, otherwise it may be hampered in its action by a hostile cabinet, the legacy of former administrations, that could thwart its best efforts No business enterprise could succeed if the employes were not in sympathy with the management and worked at cross purposes therewith No more can the mayor of a municipality, which is a business corporation, be expected to successfully carry out his policies if the heads of departments are not of his own choosing and making

The President of the United States would be in a strange position if a large part of his cabinet were selected by his predecessors

The principle of this bill, therefore, would seem to be entirely justifiable and to conserve responsibility in governmental affairs The one proper exception to the principle of this measure would seem to be the financial officers Credit in a municipality is dependent upon the stability, permanence of and confidence in the management of its financial affairs Frequent changes in these officers might therefore be open to objection, and cause confusion and embarrassment in handling the city's finances

The principle of the bill would be preserved if the financial officers of a municipality were exempted from the provisions of the measure

I suggest that the Legislature recall this measure from my hands and make these amendments accordingly

The passage of a civil service act would prevent the sweeping changes among the subordinates and employes of the city government generally This measure affects only heads of departments, and a civil service law would prevent them from making a wholesale change in a department, to the confusion of its business, at every change in administration

Respectfully,

E C STOKES,

Governor

Senate Bill No 380, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the appointment of commissioners for the better protection of the fishing interests of the State of New Jersey,'" approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

On motion of Mr Jess,

Senate Bill No 381, entitled "An act ratifying and validating elections held in boroughs of this State on the question of the incorporation as a city,"

Was read for the first time by its title, and the same gentleman moved the rules be suspended, and that said bill be placed on second reading without reference,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Jess,

Senate Bill No 381, entitled "An act ratifying and validating elections held in boroughs of this State on the question of the incorporation as a city,"

Was taken up under suspension of the rules, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Jess,

Senate Bill No 381, entitled "An act ratifying and validating elections held in boroughs of this State on the question of the incorporation as a city,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Corish, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Frith, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Kleneit, Lane, Leth-

bridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Metz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Smalley, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Lewis,

Senate Bill No 388, entitled "An act providing for the construction of sewers and sewer systems in cities of this State and the issuance of bonds for the cost thereof, and providing for collecting rentals for the use of such sewers and sewer systems,"

Was read for the first time by its title, and the same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended, and said bill be placed on second reading without reference,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Lewis,

Senate Bill No 388, entitled "An act providing for the construction of sewers and sewer systems in cities of this State and the issuance of bonds for the cost thereof, and providing for collecting rentals for the use of such sewers and sewer systems,"

Was taken up, under suspension of the rules, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Lewis,

Senate Bill No 388, entitled "An act providing for the construction of sewers and sewer systems in cities of this State and the issuance of bonds for the cost thereof, and providing for collecting rentals for the use of such sewers and sewer systems,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr, Drake, Ep-

pinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Smalley, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—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

On motion of Mr Fake,

Senate Bill No 390, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the drainage of any pond, artificial reservoir, marsh, swamp, bog, meadow, low or wet lands, where the same is necessary for the public health,' " approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was read for the first time by its title, and the same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended, and that said bill be placed on second reading without reference,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Fake,

Senate Bill No 390, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the drainage of any pond, artificial reservoir, marsh, swamp, bog, meadow, low or wet lands, where the same is necessary for the public health,' " approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was taken up, under suspension of the rules, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Fake,

Senate Bill No 390, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the drainage of any pond, artificial reservoir, marsh, swamp, bog, meadow, low or wet lands, where the same is necessary for the public health,' " approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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 Barber, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Corish, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—36

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Daab, Eppinger, Groel, Lethbridge (Speaker), Olwell—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

Senate Bill No 395, entitled "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act concerning contagious and infectious diseases among animals, and to repeal certain acts relating thereto,'" approved May fourth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

On motion of Mr Perkins,

Senate Bill No 396, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation of the flow of torrential rivers, to protect persons and property from damage by floods, and to provide for the maintenance and regulation of river flood districts when established by law,'" approved April nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

Was read for the first time by its title, and the same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended, and that said bill be placed on second reading without reference,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Perkins,

Senate Bill No 396, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation of the flow of torrential rivers, to protect persons and property from damage by floods, and to provide for the maintenance and regulation of river flood districts when established by law,'" approved April nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

Was taken up, under suspension of the rules, read a second time, and the following amendments, offered by Mr Alexander, were read and adopted

Section one, line one, strike out the words "May first, one thousand nine hundred and seven," and insert in their place "the passage of this act"

On motion of Mr Perkins,

Senate Bill No 396, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation of the flow of torrential rivers, to protect persons and property from damage by floods, and to provide for the maintenance and regulation of river flood districts when established by law,'" approved April nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

As amended,

Was taken up under suspension of the rules, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Perkins,

Senate Bill No 396, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation of the flow of torrential rivers, to protect persons and property from damage by floods, and to provide for the maintenance and regulation of river flood districts when established by law,'" approved April nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—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

Senate Bill No 401, entitled "An act to enable boards of chosen freeholders to accept roads or sections of roads in cities, towns, townships or boroughs, and to maintain the same as county roads,"

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 403, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a parole agent for the State prison,' " approved May eleventh, 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 406, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide a uniform procedure for the enforcement of all laws relating to fish, game and birds, and for the recovery of penalties for violations thereof,' " approved March twenty-ninth, 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 Game and Fisheries

Senate Bill No 407, entitled "An act for the government of the State prison to better the condition of prisoners upon their discharge,"

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 408, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase of turnpike and macadamized toll roads,' " approved June nineteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Senate Bill No 410, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Water-Supply Commission, and to define its powers and duties, and the conditions under which waters

of this State may be diverted,'" approved June seventeenth, 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 Judiciary

Joint Resolution No 13, entitled "Continuing the Hudson River Bridge Commission and authorizing the Governor to appoint two additional members,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Mr Hahn, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 510, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State water-supply commission, and to define its powers and duties, and the conditions under which the waters of this State may be diverted,'" approved June seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Navigation

Mr Wright, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 511, entitled "An act to establish a public service commission and prescribe its powers and duties, and to provide for the regulation and control of certain public service corporations,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, and the same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended and said bill be placed on second reading without reference,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 511, entitled "An act to establish a public service commission and prescribe its powers and duties, and to provide for the regulation and control of certain public service corporations,"

Was taken up under suspension of the rules and read a second time, and the same gentleman then moved that the bill be placed on third reading,

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Fuith, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Metz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlaricom, Wright, Jr —31

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Gibbs, Irick, Jess, Lewis, Manson, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Smalley, Thompson—15

The Speaker declared the motion carried

Mr Klenert, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 512, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide for the amicable adjustment' of grievances and disputes that may arise between employers and employes, and to authorize the creation of a State board of arbitration, approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two," ' and to end the term of office of any person or persons appointed under this act," approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 513, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide for the amicable adjustment of grievances and disputes that may arise between employers and employes, and to authorize the creation of a State board of arbitrators,' " approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, and the supplements thereto,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Mr Lane, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 514, entitled "An act to authorize the construction and establishment of public docks and the shipping facilities connected therewith, and the purchasing and acquiring of riparian lands and rights, and other lands and rights in lands, necessary therefor or incident thereto, and for the regulation of the same in cities fronting on navigable waters in this State,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, and the same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended and that said bill be placed on second reading without reference,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 514, entitled "An act to authorize the construction and establishment of public docks and the shipping facilities connected therewith, and the purchasing and acquiring of riparian lands and rights, and other lands and rights in lands, necessary therefor or incident thereto, and for the regulation of the same in cities fronting on navigable waters in this State,"

Was taken up under suspension of the rules, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 514, entitled "An act to authorize the construction and establishment of public docks and the shipping facilities connected therewith, and the purchasing and acquiring of riparian lands and rights, and other lands and rights in lands, necessary therefor or incident thereto, and for the regulation of the same in cities fronting on navigable waters in this State,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlaricom, Wright, Jr—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 Riordan, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 515, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes,'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Which was read for the first time by its title, and the same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended and that said bill be placed on second reading, without reference,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Riordan,

Assembly Bill No 515, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes,'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was taken up under suspension of the rules, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Riordan,

Assembly Bill No 515, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes,'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buxton, Corish, Daab, Drake, Eppinger, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—34

In the negative was—

Mr Manson—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 Tumulty, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 516, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seven,'" approved May twenty-first, one-thousand nine hundred and six,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Mr Lane, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 517, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the appointment, term of office and salary of assessors in certain cities in this State and prescribing their duties,'" approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Mr Lane, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 518, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to secure the purity of foods, beverages, confectionery, condiments, drugs and medicines, and to prevent deception in the distribution and sales thereof (Revision of 1907),'" approved May twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Mr Tumulty, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 519, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable the boards of chosen freeholders of any of the several counties of this State to construct and reconstruct bridges over and across navigable rivers or streams therein, in certain cases, and providing for the regulation thereof,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Mr Tumulty, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 520, entitled "An act relative to interest on municipal bonds,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations

Mr Klenert, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 521, 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 October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seven,'" approved May twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Which was read for the first time by its title, and the same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended, and that said bill be placed on second reading, without reference,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Assembly Bill No 521, 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 October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seven,'" approved May twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was taken up, under suspension of the rules, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Assembly Bill No 521, 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 October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and

seven,'" approved May twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buxton, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —39

In the negative was—

Mr Moxon—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 Chaplin, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 522, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'Supplement to the act entitled "A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),"' which supplement was approved April nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions

Mr Sullivan, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 523, entitled "An act regulating the expenditures of State funds,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Mr Perkins, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 524, entitled "An act to amend chapter one hundred and thirteen of the session laws of one thousand nine hundred and six, entitled 'An act defining motor vehicles and provid-

ing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof, fixing rules, regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles, defining the amount of license and registration fees, describing 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 thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Which was read for the first time by its title, and the same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended, and that said bill be placed on second reading without reference,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Perkins,

Assembly Bill No 524, entitled "An act to amend chapter one hundred and thirteen of the session laws of one thousand nine hundred and six, 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, defining the amount of license and registration fees, describing 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 thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was taken up, under suspension of the rules, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Perkins,

Assembly Bill No 524, entitled "An act to amend chapter one hundred and thirteen of the session laws of one thousand nine hundred and six, 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, defining the amount of license and registration fees, describing 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 thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Buxton, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlaricom, Wright, Jr —31

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Cattell, Lewis, Morris, Smalley—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 Wright offered the following Concurrent Resolution, No 8, which was read and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

WHEREAS, The government of the United States has lately exhibited in the Circuit Court of the United States a certain suit, entitled "The United States of America against the Reading Company and others," for the purpose of the dissolution, under the terms of the Sherman Anti-trust law, of an alleged criminal conspiracy between certain of the steam railways which traverse the State of New Jersey to monopolize the trade in anthracite coal, and

WHEREAS, It is claimed in the bill of complaint in the aforesaid cause that one of the elements in the said conspiracy is the control by the Reading railroad system of the Central Railroad Company of New Jersey and

WHEREAS, The said control of the said Central Railroad Company of New Jersey by the said Reading railroad system, if such control there be, is in defiance of the injunction issued by the Court of Chancery of New Jersey in the case of John P Stockton, Attorney-General of New Jersey, complainant, against the Port Reading Railway Company and others, defendants, and

WHEREAS, It is also alleged in the said bill of complaint in the said federal suit in Philadelphia that other railroads operating in the State of New Jersey are parties to said criminal conspiracy, and

WHEREAS, The solution of the problems of transportation and industrial monopolies can best be attained by the co-operation of the government of the United States with the governments of the several States, therefore, be it

1 *Resolved* (the Senate concurring), That a joint committee of three members of the Senate and three members of the House of Assembly shall be appointed by the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the Assembly, for their respective houses, to be a joint committee of the Legislature, and that it shall be the duty of the said committee to confer with the President of the United States, and such other federal officials or departments as the President may designate, in order to ascertain in what way the State government of New Jersey can aid the government of the United States in the destruction and abolishment of the said anthracite coal monopoly, and said committee, as soon as practicable, and not later than September third, one thousand nine hundred and seven, shall in detail report the result of such conferences to the Senate and House of Assembly, if in session at that time, if neither house be in session, then said report shall be made to the Governor of New Jersey, and copies thereof shall be furnished for publication

2 The sum of five hundred dollars ($500) is hereby appropriated for the purposes of said committee

3 This resolution shall take effect immediately

Mr Perkins offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That printed copies of all Assembly Bills and amendments thereto, as well as amendments to Senate Bills, be sent to each member of the Senate and House of Assembly

Mr Daab, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 525, entitled "An act to annex to the town of Montclair, in the county of Essex, a part or portion of the townships of Acquackanonk and Little Falls, in the county of Passaic,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Towns and Townships

Mr Daab, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 526, entitled "An act to amend chapter one hundred and thirteen of the session laws of one thousand nine hundred and six, 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, defining the amount of license and registration fees, describing and regulating process and the service thereof, and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act, and penalties for said violations,'"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws

Mr Devine, Jr, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 527, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to facilitate the acquirement of lands and the erection of buildings for county purposes,'" approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and one,

Which was read for the first time by its title, and the same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended and that said bill be placed on second reading without reference,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Devine, Jr,

Assembly Bill No 527, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to facilitate the acquirement of lands and the erection of buildings for county purposes,'" approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and one,

Was taken up, under suspension of the rules, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Devine, Jr,

Assembly Bill No 527, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to facilitate the acquirement of lands and the erection of buildings for county purposes,'" approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and one,

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Barber, Blohm, Brady, Burk, Cattell, Drake, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lewis, Manson, Morris, Moxon, Pawelski, Perkins, Smalley, Taylor, VanBlaricom, Wright, Jr—22

In the negative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Devine, Jr, Olwell, Sullivan—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 Baker moved that the Governor's veto message on

Assembly Bill No 424, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the fire departments in cities of the first class,'" approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Be taken from the table,

Which motion was carried

Mr Baker then moved that the Governor's veto message be sustained,

Which motion was carried

Mr Baader, Chairman of the Committee on Commerce and Navigation, reported

Assembly Bill No 510, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State water-supply commission, and to define its powers and duties, and the conditions under which the waters of this State may be diverted,'" approved June seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Baker, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 528, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the fire departments in cities of the first class,'" approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Mr Lane offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

WHEREAS, There has been filed with the Clerk of this House affidavits charging one John W Hughes, a Justice of the Peace, of Atlantic City, in the county of Atlantic, with extortion and malfeasance in office, and

WHEREAS, Such charges are deemed of sufficient importance for investigation, therefore, be it

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed by the Speaker of this House for the purpose of investigating said charges, and reporting back to the House advising what action, if any, shall be taken

The Speaker appointed Messrs Lane, Pawelski and Irick

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That when the House adjourn, it be to meet on Monday morning, July 8th, at 10 30 o'clock

MONDAY, July 8th, 1907

House met at 10 30 o'clock A M

Prayer was offered by Rev W W Moffet, Princeton, N J

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buxton, Cattell, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe Holzapfel, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Merz, Olwell, Perkins, Riordan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Ji —32

Absent—

Messrs Baader, Backus, Buck, Burk, Chaplin, Corish, Davison, Drake, Elvins, Gibbs, Groel, Haines, Irick, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Mead, Morris, Moxon, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Tillman—26

On motion of Mr Klenert, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Joint Resolution No 13, entitled "Continuing the Hudson River Bridge Commission and authorizing the Governor to appoint two additional members,"

Senate Bill No 395, entitled "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act concerning contagious and infectious diseases among animals, and to repeal certain acts relating thereto,'" approved May fourth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

Senate Bill No 401, entitled "An act to enable boards of chosen freeholders to accept roads or sections of roads in cities, towns, townships or boroughs, and to maintain the same as county roads,"

Senate Bill No. 403, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a parole agent for the State prison,'" approved May eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Senate Bill No 407, entitled "An act for the government of the State prison to better the condition of prisoners upon their discharge,"

Senate Bill No 410, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Water-Supply Commission, and to define its powers and duties, and the conditions under which waters of this State may be diverted,' " approved June seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Klenert, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 529, entitled "An act to empower municipalities to establish and maintain plants for the treatment, disposal or rendering of sewage,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Mr VanBlaicom, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 530, entitled "An act authorizing the division of townships into water districts for the purpose of supplying water within such districts for fire purposes, and the election of water commissioners in said district,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws

Mr Hahn (by request), introduced

Assembly Bill No 531, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof, fixing rules, regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles, fixing the amount of license and registration fees, prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof, and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act, and penalties for said violations,' " approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Mr Wright, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 532, entitled "An act confirming the title to certain real estate, of which James R Smith, late of the county of Essex, in this State, died seized,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, and the same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended and that said bill be placed on second reading without reference,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 532, entitled "An act confirming the title to certain real estate, of which James R Smith, late of the county of Essex, in this State, died seized,"

Was taken up, under suspension of the rules, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Wright,

Assembly Bill No 532, entitled "An act confirming the title to certain real estate, of which James R Smith, late of the county of Essex, in this State, died seized,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buxton, Cattell, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Olwell, Perkins, Riordan, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—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 Hahn moved that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 532, entitled "An act confirming the title to certain real estate, of which James R Smith, late of the county of Essex, in this State, died seized,"

Was passed be reconsidered,

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Cattell, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Hahn, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Merz, Olwell, Perkins, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlaricom, Wright, Jr—30

In the negative—None

The Speaker declared the motion lost

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That Assembly Bill No 511 be made a special order for 2 o'clock, Tuesday, July 9th

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That when the House adjourn, it be to meet to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock

On motion of Mr Klenert, the House then adjourned

TUESDAY, July 9th, 1907

House met at 11 o'clock A M

Prayer was offered by Rev Father Fidelis, of Newark, N J

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr., Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klen-

eat, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Meiz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Ridgway, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlaicom, Wiight, Jr—42

Absent—

Messis Alexandei, Buck, Chaplin, Davison, Diake, Elvins, Gibbs, Haines, Lewis, Lillagoie, Manson, Pottei, Riordan, Smalley, Thompson, Tillman—16

On motion of Mr Kleneit, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with

Mr Kleneit moved that the House be placed under call,

Which motion was carried

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messis Auf dei Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Biady, Bieunig, Buik, Buxton, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Eaile, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gioel, Hahn, Hendiickson, Ji, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Iiick, Jess, Kleneit, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Meiz, Moiris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Peikins, Ridgway, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wiight, Ji—43

Absent—

Messrs Alexandei, Buck, Chaplin, Davison, Diake, Elvins, Gibbs, Haines, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Potter, Rioidan, Smalley, Tillman—15

On motion of Mi Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 510, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State water-supply commission, and to define its powers and duties, and the conditions under which the waters of this State may be diverted,'" approved June seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

The same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended and the said bill be placed on third reading at once,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 510, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State water-supply commission, and to define its powers and duties, and the conditions under which the waters of this State may be diverted,' " approved June seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barbeı, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buik, Cattell, Conish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Iiick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Perkins, Ridgway, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlaicom, Wright, Ji —36

In the negative were—

Messis Devine, Jr, Thompson—2

Ordeied, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk cairy it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein

Mr Backus, Chairman of the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions, reported

Assembly Bill No 522, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'Supplement to the act entitled "A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),"' which supplement was approved April nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mi Kleneit, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Senate Bill No 380, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the appointment of commissioners for the better protection of the fishing interests of the State of New Jersey,'" approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy,

Assembly Bill No 512, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide for the amicable adjustment of grievances and disputes that may arise between employers and employes, and to authorize the creation of a State board of arbitration, approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two,"' and to end the term of office of any person or persons appointed under this act," approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Assembly Bill No 513, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide for the amicable adjustment of grievances and disputes that may arise between employers and employes, and to authorize the creation of a State board of arbitrators,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, and the supplements thereto,

Assembly Bill No 517, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the appointment, term of office and salary of assessors in certain cities in this State and prescribing their duties,'" approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Assembly Bill No 518, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to secure the purity of foods, beverages, confectionery, condiments, drugs and medicines, and to prevent deception in the distribution and sales thereof (Revision of 1907),'" approved May twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,

And

Assembly Bill No 529, entitled "An act to empower municipalities to establish and maintain plants for the treatment, disposal or rendering of sewage,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Auf der Heide, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships, reported

Assembly Bill No 525, entitled "An act to annex to the town of Montclair, in the county of Essex, a part or portion of the townships of Acquackanonk and Little Falls, in the county of Passaic,"

Favorably, without amendment

On motion of Mr Buxton,

Assembly Bill No 522, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'Supplement to the act entitled "A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),"' which supplement was approved April nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

The same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended and said bill be placed on third reading at once,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Buxton,

Assembly Bill No 522, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'Supplement to the act entitled "A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),"' which supplement was approved April nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,"

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Corish, Daab Devine, Jr., Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr., Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Metz, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Ridgway, Stulle, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—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.

On motion of Mr Barber,

Senate Bill No 380, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the appointment of commissioners for the better protection of the fishing interests of the State of New Jersey,'" approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Assembly Bill No 512, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide for the amicable adjustment of grievances and disputes that may arise between employers and employes, and to authorize the creation of a State Board of Arbitration, approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two,"' and to end the term of office of any person or persons appointed under this act," approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

The same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended, and that said bill be placed on third reading at once,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Assembly Bill No 512, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide for the amicable adjustment of grievances and disputes that may arise between employers and employes, and to authorize the creation of a State Board of Arbitration, approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two,"' and to end the term of office of any person or persons appointed under this act," approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Hol-

combe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —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

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Assembly Bill No 513, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide for the amicable adjustment of grievances and disputes that may arise between employers and employes, and to authorize the creation of a State Board of Arbitrators,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, and the supplements thereto,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

The same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended, and that said bill be placed on third reading at once,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Assembly Bill No 513, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide for the amicable adjustment of grievances and disputes that may arise between employers and employes, and to authorize the creation of a State Board of Arbitrators,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, and the supplements thereto,

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Cattell, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Ridgway, Sullivan,

Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —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

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 517, entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the appointment, term of office and salary of assessors in certain cities in this State and prescribing their duties,'" approved March twenty second, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

The same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended, and that said bill be placed on third reading at once,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 517, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the appointment, term of office and salary of assessors in certain cities in this State and prescribing their duties,'" approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Bader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Groel, Hahn, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Metz, Morris, Olwell, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—26

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Burk, Cattell, Devine, Jr, Fake, Hendrickson, Jr, Irick, Morris, Pawelski, Perkins, Ridgway, Taylor, Thompson—13

The Speaker declared the bill lost

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 518, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to secure the purity of foods, beverages, confectionery, condiments, drugs and medicines, and to prevent deception in the distribution and sales thereof (Revision of 1907),'" approved May twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

The same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended and that said bill be placed on third reading,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 518, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to secure the purity of foods, beverages, confectionery, condiments, drugs and medicines, and to prevent deception in the distribution and sales thereof (Revision of 1907),'" approved May twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlaricom, Wright, Jr—32

In the negative were—

Messrs Buck, Buxton, Irick, Moxon, Perkins, Ridgway, Thompson—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.

On motion of Mr Daab,

Assembly Bill No 525, entitled "An act to annex to the town of Montclair, in the county of Essex, a part or portion of the townships of Acquackanonk and Little Falls, in the county of Passaic,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

The same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended and that said bill be placed on third reading at once,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Daab,

Assembly Bill No 525, entitled "An act to annex to the town of Montclair, in the county of Essex, a part or portion of the townships of Acquackanonk and Little Falls, in the county of Passaic,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Eppinger, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Metz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Ridgway, Stille, Sullivan, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—32

In the negative were—

Messrs Burk, Buxton, Earle, Fake, Luck, Moxon, Perkins, Thompson, VanBlarcom—10

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Assembly Bill No 529, entitled "An act to empower municipalities to establish and maintain plants for the treatment, disposal or rendering of sewage,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

The same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended and that said bill be placed on third reading at once,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Assembly Bill No 529, entitled "'An act to empower municipalities to establish and maintain plants for the treatment, disposal or rendering of sewage,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Metz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Ridgway, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlaricom, Wright, Jr—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 Perkins, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Assembly Bill No 516, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seven,'" approved May twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Assembly Bill No 523, entitled 'An act regulating the expenditures of State funds,"

And

Assembly Bill No 528, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the fire departments in cities of the first class,'" approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Favorably, without amendment

On motion of Mr Baker,

Assembly Bill No 528, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the fire departments in cities of the first

class,'" approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

The same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended, and that said bill be placed on third reading at once,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Baker,

Assembly Bill No 528, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the fire departments in cities of the first class,'" approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buik, Buxton, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Gioel, Hahn, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Ridgway, Stalle, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 516, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seven,'" approved May twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

The same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended, and that said bill be placed on third reading at once,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 516, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seven,'" approved May twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Brennig, Buxton, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Gioel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Huck, Jess, Kleneit, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Ridgway, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —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

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Assembly Bill No 523, entitled "An act regulating the expenditures of State funds,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

The same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended, and that said bill be placed on third reading at once,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Assembly Bill No 523, entitled "An act regulating the expenditures of State funds,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Sullivan, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—33

In the negative were—

Messrs Burk, Buxton, Devine, Jr, Irick, Moxon, Perkins, Ridgway—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 Hahn, Vice Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No 530, entitled "An act authorizing the division of townships into water districts for the purpose of supplying water within such districts for fire purposes, and the election of water commissioners in said district,"

Favorably, without amendment

Mr Morris, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No 520, entitled "An act relative to interest on municipal bonds,"

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Assembly Bill No 519, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable the boards of chosen freeholders of any of the several counties of this State to construct and reconstruct bridges over and across navigable rivers or streams therein, in certain cases, and providing for the regulation thereof,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two,

Favorably, without amendment

On motion of Mr VanBlaicom,

Assembly Bill No 530, entitled "An act authorizing the division of townships into water districts for the purpose of supplying water within such districts for fire purposes, and the election of water commissioners in said district,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

The same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended and that said bill be placed on third reading at once,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr VanBlaicom,

Assembly Bill No 530, entitled "An act authorizing the division of townships into water districts for the purpose of supplying water within such districts for fire purposes, and the election of water commissioners in said district,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—33

In the negative was—

Mr Moxon—1

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Senate Bill No 401, entitled "An act to enable boards of chosen freeholders to accept roads or sections of roads in cities, towns, townships or boroughs, and to maintain the same as county roads,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

The same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended and that said bill be placed on third reading at once,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Senate Bill No 401, entitled "An act to enable boards of chosen freeholders to accept roads or sections of roads in cities, towns, townships or boroughs, and to maintain the same as county roads,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buck, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Meiz, Morris, Olwell, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlaicom, Wright, Jr—32

In the negative were—

Messrs Ilick, Moxon, Perkins—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

On motion of Mr Barber,

Senate Bill No 380, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the appointment of commissioners for the better protection of the fishing interests of the State of New Jersey,'" approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

The same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended and that the said bill be placed on third reading at once,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Barber,

Senate Bill No 380, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the appointment of commissioners for the better protection of the fishing interests of the State of New Jersey,' " approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy,

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 Alexander, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Kleneit, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Metz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, Van-Blarcom—37

In the negative were—

Messrs Sullivan, Wright, Jr —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

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 519, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable the boards of chosen freeholders of any of the several counties of this State to construct and reconstruct bridges over and across navigable rivers or streams therein, in certain cases, and providing for the regulation thereof,' " approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

The same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended, and that the said bill be placed on third reading at once,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 519, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable the boards of chosen freeholders of any of the several counties of this State to construct and reconstruct bridges over and across navigable rivers or streams therein, in certain cases, and providing for the regulation thereof,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Eppinger, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—35

In the negative were—

Messrs Burk, Buxton, Moxon, Thompson—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

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 520, entitled "An act relative to interest on municipal bonds,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

The same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended, and that the said bill be placed on third reading at once,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Assembly Bill No 520, entitled "An act relative to interest on municipal bonds,"

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Eppinger, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Morris, Olwell, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—22

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Barber, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Devine, Jr, Hahn, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Merz, Moxon, Pawelski, Perkins, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson—17

The Speaker declared the bill lost

Mr Klenert moved that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 511, entitled "An act to establish a public service commission and prescribe its powers and duties, and to provide for the regulation and control of certain public service corporations,"

Passed third reading be reconsidered, and the bill be placed back on second reading,

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—33

In the negative were—

Messrs Burk, Jess, Moxon, Thompson—4

The Speaker declared the motion carried

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 511, entitled "An act to establish a public service commission and prescribe its powers and duties, and to provide for the regulation and control of certain public service corporations,"

Was taken up on second reading, and the following amendments, proposed by Mr Hahn, were read and adopted

Strike out section sixty-five and insert as section sixty-five

"65 Nothing in this act contained, any provisions to the contrary notwithstanding, shall be construed to affect in any way whatsoever, the right of the State of New Jersey, or any political subdivision thereof, to assess and collect any tax or assessment, levied by agreement or by law, on the rights of way, franchises, contracts, agreements, privileges of any kind heretofore granted to any railroad, street railroad, gas, electric light, electric power, express, telegraph or telephone corporation, which the State of New Jersey, or any political subdivision thereof, now has the right to assess or collect"

Insert as section sixty-six the following

"66 'An act to create a Board of Railroad Commissioners for the State of New Jersey, and to prescribe its powers and duties,' approved May fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seven, and all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act are hereby repealed, and this act shall take effect immediately"

Mr Tumulty offered the following amendments, which were read and adopted

Page three, section two, line six, strike out word "six" and insert "one"

Page three, section two, line six, strike out word "four" and insert "two"

Page three, section two, line six, strike out word "and"

Page three, section two, line seven, strike out word "two" and insert "three"

Page three, section two, line seven, add words "one for four years and one for five years" after the word "years"

Page three, section two, line seven, strike out word "alternate"

Page three, section two, line nine, strike out word "six" and insert "five"

Page three, section two, line ten, strike out word "appointed" and insert in place thereof "elected"

Page three, section two, line fifteen, strike out word "two" and insert in place thereof the word "three"

Page five, section seven, line one, strike out the letter "a" before the word "commission" and insert in place thereof the word "the"

Page five, section seven, line two, strike out the letter "a" before the word "commission" and insert in place thereof the word "the"

Page five, section seven, line four, strike out the letter "a" before the word "commission" and insert in place thereof the word "the"

Page five, section seven, line five, strike out the letter "a" before the word "commission" and insert "the"

Page five, section seven, line five, strike out the letter "a" after the word "under" and insert "the"

Page five, section eight, line three, after the word "office," strike out word "each" and insert the words "said commission"

Page five, section nine, line four, strike out word "either" and insert word "the"

Page six, section ten, line one, strike out letter "a" and insert "the"

Page nine, section seventeen, line eight, erase words "in the first district" Insert before word "provided" the words "as is"

Page eleven, section twenty-one, line five, strike out word "the" at the end of line

Page eleven, section twenty-one, line six, strike out words "code of civil procedure" and insert in place thereof word "law"

Page twelve, section twenty-four, line seven, after the word "safety," insert comma

Page twelve, section twenty-four, line eleven, strike out words "having jurisdiction"

Page nineteen, section thirty-five, line seven, insert word "destination" for "distination"

Page twenty, section thirty-seven, line five, strike out word "the" and insert "any person or," insert between the words "persons" and "or" the word "corporation"

Page twenty-one, section thirty-nine, line one, strike out "each" and insert "said"

Page twenty-seven, section forty-six, line one, strike out word "proper"

Page twenty-seven, section forty-six, strike out lines four, five, and in line six all the words before the word "where"

Page twenty-seven, section forty-six, line fourteen, strike out the words "and if"

Page twenty-eight, section forty-six, strike out lines fifteen and sixteen

Page twenty-nine, section forty-eight, strike out the words "but this" in line eleven Strike out lines twelve, thirteen and fourteen and in line fifteen the words "act becomes a law"

Page twenty-nine, section forty-eight, line twenty-four, strike out the word "proper"

Page thirty-one, section fifty, line ten, after the word "proceeding," insert "in the Supreme Court by way of mandamus or"

Page thirty-one, section fifty, line ten, strike out the words "by a petition to" and insert the words "bill in"

Page thirty-one, section fifty, line eleven, strike out the words "the Supreme Court" and substitute in place thereof "the Court of Chancery by injunction"

Page thirty-one, section fifty, line twelve, strike out words "by way of mandamus or injunction"

Page thirty-one, section fifty, line thirteen, strike out word "petition" and insert in place thereof the words "alternative writ or bill"

Page thirty-one, section fifty, line fifteen, strike out the word "petition" and insert the word "action"

Page thirty-one, section fifty, line twenty-two, strike out the words "or both"

Page thirty-one, section fifty, line twenty-three, strike out word "petition" and insert the word "action"

Page thirty-six, section fifty-six, line one, strike out the word "each" and insert "said"

Page thirty-seven, section fifty-seven, line five, strike out word "proper"

Page thirty-eight, section fifty-eight, line eight, strike out word "proper"

Page thirty-eight, section fifty-eight, line twenty-one, strike out word "proper"

Page thirty-nine, section fifty-nine, line four, strike out word "proper"

Page forty, section sixty, line ten, strike out word "proper"

Page forty-two, section sixty-three, line seven, after word "court," insert "or Court of Chancery"

Page forty-two, section sixty-three, line ten, after word "proceeding," insert "in the Supreme Court by way of mandamus or"

Page forty-two, section sixty-three, line ten, strike out words "petition to" and insert in place thereof "bill in"

Page forty-two, section sixty-three, line ten, strike out words "Supreme Court or"

Page forty-two, section sixty-three, line ten, after word "chancery," add "for an injunction"

Page forty-two, section sixty-three, line eleven, strike out words "by way of"

Page forty-two, section sixty-three, line twelve, strike out words "mandamus or injunction"

Page forty-two, section sixty-three, line thirteen, strike out word "petition" and insert in place thereof "alternative writ or bill"

Page forty-two, section sixty-three, line fifteen, strike out word "petition" and insert in place thereof "action"

Page forty-two, section sixty-three, line twenty-two, strike out the words "or both"

Page forty-two, section sixty-three, line twenty-two, strike out the words "in the pe-," and on page forty-two, section sixty-three, line twenty-three, the letters "tition"

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 511, entitled "An act to establish a public service commission and prescribe its powers and duties, and to provide for the regulation and control of certain public service corporations,"

As amended,

Was taken up read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

The same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended, and that said bill be placed on third reading at once,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Assembly Bill No 511, entitled "An act to establish a public service commission and prescribe its powers and duties, and to provide for the regulation and control of certain public service corporations,"

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Brennig, Corrish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —27

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Devine, Jr, Fake, Irick, Jess, Moxon, Perkins, Taylor, Thompson—12

Mr Klenert desired his vote changed from yea to nay,

Which was agreed to

Mr Klenert moved that the vote by which Assembly Bill 511 was lost be reconsidered

Mr Alexander moved that Mr Klenert's motion lay on the table,

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Brady, Brennig, Corrish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —27

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Devine, Jr, Fake, Irick, Jess, Moxon, Perkins, Taylor, Thompson—12

On motion of Mr Perkins,

Senate Bill No 403, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a parole agent for the State prison,' " approved May eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading

The same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended, and that said bill be placed on third reading at once,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Perkins,

Senate Bill No 403, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a parole agent for the State prison,' " approved May eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and five,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, Van-Blaricom, Wright, Jr—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

Mr Sullivan, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 533, entitled "An act concerning the government of cities of the first class,"

Which was read for the first time by its title

Mr Sullivan moved that the rules be suspended, and that said bill be placed on second reading without reference,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Assembly Bill No 533, entitled "An act concerning the government of cities of the first class,"

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Assembly Bill No 533, entitled "An act concerning the government of cities of the first class,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Brenning, Burk, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlaricom, Wright, Jr—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

Mr Sullivan, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 534, entitled "An act providing for the deposit of moneys received for the use of the State by any department, institution or official thereof,"

Which was read for the first time by its title

Mr Sullivan moved that the rules be suspended, and that said bill be placed on second reading without reference,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Assembly Bill No 534, entitled "An act providing for the deposit of moneys received for the use of the State by any department, institution or official thereof,"

Was taken up under suspension of the rules, was read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Assembly Bill No 534, entitled "An act providing for the deposit of moneys received for the use of the State by any department, institution or official 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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Backus, Baker, Barbei, Blohm, Breunig, Cattell, Corrish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Kleneit, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlaricom, Wright, Jr —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

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Senate Bill No 406, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide a uniform procedure for the enforcement of all laws relating to fish, game and birds, and for the recovery of penalties for violations thereof,'" approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading

The same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended, and that the said bill be placed on third reading at once,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Hahn,

Senate Bill No 406, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide a uniform procedure for the enforcement of all laws relating to fish, game and birds, and for the recovery of penalties for violations thereof,'" approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Burk, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr., Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr., Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr.—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.

Mr. Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That when the House adjourns, it be to meet on Friday morning next at 10·30 o'clock, and when it then adjourns it be to meet again on Monday, July 15th, at 10 30 o'clock, and when it then adjourns it be to meet on Thursday, July 18th, at 10:30 o'clock, and when it then adjourns it be to meet on Saturday, July 20th, at 10 30 o'clock, and when it then adjourns it be to meet on Tuesday, July 23d, at 10 30 o'clock, and when it then adjourns it be to meet on Friday, July 26th, at 10 30 o'clock, and when it then adjourns it be to meet on Monday, July 29th, at 10:30 o'clock, and when it then adjourns it be to meet on Thursday, August 1st, at 10.30 o'clock, and when it then adjourns it be to meet on Saturday, August 3d, at 10:30 o'clock, and when it then adjourns it be to meet on Tuesday, August 6th, at 10 30 o'clock, and when it then adjourns it be to meet on Friday, August 9th, at 10·30 o'clock, and when it then adjourns it be to meet on Monday, August 12th, at 10.30 o'clock, and when it then adjourns it be to meet on Thursday, August 15th, at 10 30 o'clock, and when it then adjourns it be to meet on Saturday, August 17th, at 10:30 o'clock, and that when it adjourns it be to meet on Tuesday, August 20th, at 10:30 o'clock, and when it then adjourns it be to meet on Friday, August 23d, at 10 30 o'clock, and when it then adjourns it be to meet on Monday, August 26th, at

10 30 o'clock, and when it then adjourns it be to meet on Thursday, August 29th, at 10 30 o'clock, and when it then adjourns it be to meet on Saturday, August 31st, at 10 30 o'clock, and when it then adjourns it be to meet on Tuesday, September 3d, at 10 30 o'clock, and when it then adjourns it be to meet on Friday, September 6th, at 10 30 o'clock, and when it then adjourns it be to meet on Monday, September 9th, at 10 30 o'clock, and when it then adjourns it be to meet on Thursday, September 12th, at 10 30 o'clock, and when it then adjourns it be to meet on Saturday, September 14th, at 10 30 o'clock, and when it then adjourns it be to meet on Tuesday, September 17th, at 10 30 o'clock

Mr Barber offered the following substitute to the above resolution

Resolved, That when the House adjourns, it be to meet on Friday morning at 10 30 o'clock,

Which was read and lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Barber, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Devine, Jr , Fake, Irick Moxon, Perkins, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty—12

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Backus, Baker, Blohm Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Groel Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr , Holcombe, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Olwell, Sullivan, VanBlarcom —22

The Speaker declared the substitute lost

Mr Morris offered the following resolution, which was read an adopted

Resolved, That the Public Printer be notified to mail to the several members of this House Assembly gummed titles from No 112 July 8th, and Senate gummed titles from No 92, July 5th, to the end of the present session

On motion of Mr Klenert, the House then adjourned

FRIDAY, July 12th, 1907

At 10 30 o'clock A. M. the House met

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names:

Messrs. Klenert, Barber, Burk

Mr. Burk, Speaker *pro tem*, in the chair

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem.* declared the House adjourned until Monday, July 15th, at 10.30 o'clock.

MONDAY, July 15th, 1907.

At 10:30 o'clock A. M. the House met

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names:

Messrs Klenert, Barber, Burk

Mr. Burk, Speaker *pro tem*, in the chair

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem* declared the House adjourned until Thursday, July 18th, at 10 30 o'clock.

THURSDAY, July 18th, 1907

At 10:30 o'clock A. M the House met

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names:

Messrs Klenert, Barber, Burk.

Mr Burk, Speaker *pro tem*, in the chair

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem* declared the House adjourned until Saturday, July 20th, at 10.30 o'clock.

SATURDAY, July 20th, 1907

At 10 30 o'clock A M the House met

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names

Messrs Klenert, Barber, Burk

Mr Burk, Speaker *pro tem*, in the chair

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem* declared the House adjourned until Tuesday, July 23d, at 10 30 o'clock.

TUESDAY, July 23d, 1907.

At 10 30 o'clock A M the House met

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names

Messrs Klenert, Barber, Burk

Mr Burk, Speaker *pro tem*, in the chair

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem* declared the House adjourned until Friday, July 26th, at 10 30 o'clock

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FRIDAY, July 26th, 1907.

At 10 30 o'clock A M the House met

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names

Messrs Klenert, Barber, Burk

Mr Burk, Speaker *pro tem*, in the chair

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem* declared the House adjourned until Monday, July 29th, at 10 30 o'clock.

MONDAY, July 29th, 1907

At 10·30 o'clock A M. the House met.

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names:

Messrs Klenert, Barber, Burk.

Mr. Burk, Speaker *pro tem.,* in the chair

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem.* declared the House adjourned until Thursday, August 1st, at 10·30 o'clock.

THURSDAY, August 1st, 1907

At 10 30 o'clock A. M. the House met.

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names:

Messrs Klenert, Barber, Burk.

Mr. Burk, Speaker *pro tem.,* in the chair.

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem.* declared the House adjourned until Saturday, August 3d, at 10.30 o'clock.

SATURDAY, August 3d, 1907

At 10 30 o'clock A. M. the House met.

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names:

Messrs. Klenert, Barber, Burk.

Mr. Burk, Speaker *pro tem ,* in the chair

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem.* declared the House adjourned until Tuesday, August 6th, at 10·30 o'clock

TUESDAY, August 6th, 1907

At 10 30 o'clock A M the House met

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names

Messrs Klenert, Barber, Burk

Mr Burk, Speaker *pro tem*, in the chair

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem* declared the House adjourned until Friday, August 9th, at 10 30 o'clock

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FRIDAY, August 9th, 1907

At 10 30 o'clock A M the House met

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names

Messrs Klenert, Barber, Burk

Mr Burk, Speaker *pro tem*, in the chair

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem* declared the House adjourned until Monday, August 12th, at 10 30 o'clock

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MONDAY, August 12th, 1907

At 10 30 o'clock A M the House met

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names

Messrs Klenert, Barber, Burk

Mr Burk, Speaker *pro tem*, in the chair

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem* declared the House adjourned until Thursday, August 15th, at 10 30 o'clock

THURSDAY, August 15th, 1907

At 10 30 o'clock A M the House met

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names

Messrs Klenert, Barber, Burk

Mr Burk, Speaker *pro tem*, in the chair

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem* declared the House adjourned until Saturday, August 17th, at 10 30 o'clock

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SATURDAY, August 17th, 1907

At 10 30 o'clock A M the House met

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names

Messrs Klenert, Barber, Burk

Mr Burk, Speaker *pro tem*, in the chair

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem* declared the House adjourned until Tuesday, August 20th, at 10 30 o'clock

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TUESDAY, August 20th, 1907

At 10 30 o'clock A M the House met

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names

Messrs Klenert, Barber, Burk

Mr. Burk, Speaker *pro tem*, in the chair

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem* declared the House adjourned until Friday, August 23d, at 10 30 o'clock

FRIDAY, August 23d, 1907

At 10 .30 o'clock A M the House met

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names:

Messrs Klenert, Barber, Burk

Mr. Burk, Speaker *pro tem*, in the chair

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem* declared the House adjourned until Monday, August 26th, at 10 30 o'clock.

MONDAY, August 26th, 1907

At 10 .30 o'clock A M the House met

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names:

Messrs Klenert, Barber, Burk

Mr Burk, Speaker *pro tem*, in the chair

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem* declared the House adjourned until Thursday, August 29th, at 10 30 o'clock

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THURSDAY, August 29th, 1907

At 10 30 o'clock A M the House met

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names.

Messrs Klenert, Barber, Burk

Mr Burk, Speaker *pro tem*, in the chair

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem* declared the House adjourned until Saturday, August 31st, at 10 30 o'clock

SATURDAY, August 31st, 1907

At 10 30 o'clock A M the House met

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names

Messrs Klenert, Barber, Burk

Mr Burk, Speaker *pro tem*, in the chair

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem* declared the House adjourned until Tuesday, September 3d, at 10 30 o'clock

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TUESDAY, September 3d, 1907

At 10 30 o'clock A M the House met

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names

Messrs Klenert, Barber, Burk

Mr Burk, Speaker *pro tem*, in the chair

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem* declared the House adjourned until Friday, September 6th, at 10 30 o'clock

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FRIDAY, September 6th, 1907

At 10 30 o'clock A M the House met

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names

Messrs Klenert, Barber, Burk

Mr Burk, Speaker *pro tem*, in the chair

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem* declared the House adjourned until Monday, September 9th, at 10 30 o'clock

MONDAY, September 9th, 1907

At 10 30 o'clock A M the House met.

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names

Messrs Klenert, Barber, Burk

Mr Burk, Speaker *pro tem*, in the chair

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem* declared the House adjourned until Thursday, September 12th, at 10 30 o'clock

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THURSDAY, September 12th, 1907

At 10 30 o'clock A M the House met

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names

Messrs Klenert, Barber, Burk

Mr Burk, Speaker *pro tem*, in the chair

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem* declared the House adjourned until Saturday, September 14th, at 10 30 o'clock

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SATURDAY, September 14th, 1907

At 10 30 o'clock A M the House met

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names

Messrs Klenert, Barber, Burk

Mr Burk, Speaker *pro tem*, in the chair

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem* declared the House adjourned until Tuesday, September 17th, at 10 30 o'clock

TUESDAY, September 17th, 1907

House met at 10 30 o'clock A M

Prayer was offered by the Rev James C Quinn, Trenton, N J

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Davison, Devine, Jr , Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr , Holcombe, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagoie, Manson, Mead, Merz, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —52

Absent—

Messis Brady, Chaplin, Elvins, Haines, Stille, Tillman—6

On motion of Mr Klenert, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That when the House adjourns it be to meet on Thursday, September 19th, at 10 30 o'clock, and when it then adjourns it be to meet on Saturday, September 21st, at 10 30 o'clock, and when it then adjourns it be to meet on Monday, September 23d, and when it then adjourns it be to meet on Wednesday, September 25th, at 10 30 o'clock

On motion of Mr Klenert, the House then adjourned

THURSDAY, September 19th, 1907

At 10 30 o'clock A M the House met

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names:

Messrs Klenert, Barber, Burk

Mr Burk, Speaker *pro tem*, in the chair

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem* declared the House adjourned until Saturday, September 21st, at 10 30 o'clock.

SATURDAY, September 21st, 1907

At 10 30 o'clock A M the House met

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names:

Messrs Klenert, Barber, Burk

Mr Burk, Speaker *pro tem*, in the chair

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem* declared the House adjourned until Monday, September 23d, at 10 30 o'clock

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MONDAY, September 23d, 1907

At 10 30 o'clock A M the House met

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names:

Messrs Klenert, Barber, Burk.

Mr Burk, Speaker *pro tem*, in the chair

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem* declared the House adjourned until Wednesday, September 25th, at 10.30 o'clock

WEDNESDAY, September 25th, 1907

House met at 10 30 o'clock A M

Prayer was offered by Rev George L Harris, of Trenton, N. J

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buxton, Corish, Daab, Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Riordan, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —34

Absent—

Messrs Baker, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Davison, Devine, Jr, Elvins, Fake, Gibbs, Haines, Irick, Jess, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Moxon, Pawelski, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Thompson, Tillman—24

On motion of Mr Klenert, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with

Mr Klenert moved that the House be placed under call,

Which motion was carried

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Buxton, Corish, Daab, Drake, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Perkins, Potter, Riordan, Smalley, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —35

Absent—

Messrs Baker, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Chaplin, Davison, Devine, Jr, Elvins, Fake, Gibbs, Haines, Irick, Jess, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Moxon, Pawelski, Ridgway, Stille, Thompson, Tillman, Sullivan—23

On motion of Mr Klenert, the House then adjourned until 2 o'clock P M

AFTERNOON SESSION

The House reconvened at 2 o'clock P M

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Brady, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Olwell, Pawelski, Riordan, Smalley, Tumulty, VanBlaricom, Wright, Jr—34

Absent—

Messrs Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Davison, Drake, Elvins, Gibbs, Haines, Irick, Jess, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Moxon, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman—24

Mr Klenert, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 535, entitled "A further supplement to a supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections'" (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, which supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Mr Alexander moved that the following message be sent to the Senate, which motion was carried

To the Senate of New Jersey

GENTLEMEN—On July 5th last the House of Assembly sent to your honorable body a communication calling attention to a number of bills passed by the House and not acted upon by the Senate The House again calls your attention to these bills and asks that your honorable body act upon them at once The bills are as follows

Assembly Bill No 1, by Mr Holcombe, passed by the House March 5th, 1907, providing for the abolition of voting machines

Assembly Bill No 6, by Mr Alexander, passed by the House April 3d, 1907, known as the Corrupt Practices act

Assembly Bills Nos 9 and 10, by Mr Hendrickson, passed by the House April 11th, 1907, providing for the taxation of railroad property by local assessors at local rates

Assembly Bill No 12, by Mr Hendrickson, passed by the House April 3d, 1907, providing for the sale by municipalities of water to adjoining municipalities

Assembly Bill No 20, by Mr Olwell, passed by the House March 20th, 1907, providing that railroad companies shall pay wages to employes every two weeks

Assembly Bill No 221, by the Speaker, passed by the House April 3d, 1907, requiring personal registration in connection with elections

Assembly Bill No 225, by Mr Baader, passed by the House March 26th, 1907, providing for the repeal of what is known as the Meeker act

Assembly Bill No 409, by Mr Baader, passed by the House April 3d, 1907, restoring spring elections, a companion act to No 225

Assembly Bill No 497, by Mr Sullivan, passed by the House April 12th, 1907, providing that railroads shall first obtain the consent of municipalities before tunnelling under the streets of said municipalities

Assembly Bill No 319, by Mr Tumulty, passed by the House April 3d, 1907, known as the Quo Warranto bill

In view of the fact that it would entail considerable expense on the State to have these measures reintroduced in the House and reprinted, we would respectfully request, if the same meets with your approval, that some action be taken by your body for the disposition of these measures

The House also calls your attention to Assembly Bill No 510, passed July 9th, 1907, amending the law creating a State Water Commission This measure is demanded by the inhabitants of the northern end of the State and your speedy action upon it is requested

Mr Klenert moved that the unanimous consent of the House be granted, and that

Assembly Bill No 510, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State water-supply commission, and to define its powers and duties, and the conditions under which the waters of this State may be diverted,'" approved June seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,

Be recalled from the Senate,

Which motion was not carried

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That when the House adjourns it be to meet again on Friday, September 27th, at 10 30 o'clock A M, and when it then adjourns it be to meet again on Monday, September 30th, 1907, at 10 30 o'clock A M, and when it then adjourns it be to meet again on Wednesday, October 2d, at 10 30 o'clock A M

Mr Wright, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 536, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a public service commission and prescribe its powers and duties, and to provide for the regulation and control of certain public service corporations,'"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws

On motion of Mr Klenert, the House then adjourned

FRIDAY, September 27th, 1907

At 10·30 o'clock A M the House met

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names

Messrs Klenert, Barber, Burk

Mr Burk, Speaker *pro tem*, in the chair

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem.* declared the House adjourned until Monday, September 30th, at 10 30 o'clock

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MONDAY, September 30th, 1907

At 10.30 o'clock A M the House met

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names

Messrs Klenert, Barber, Burk

Mr Burk, Speaker *pro tem*, in the chair.

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem.* declared the House adjourned until Wednesday, October 2d, at 10 30 o'clock

WEDNESDAY, October 2d, 1907

House met at 10.30 o'clock A M

Prayer was offered by the Rev Richard Stave, Trenton, N J

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Breunig, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Drake, Eppinger, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Mead, Merz, Morris, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—34

Absent—

Messrs Blohm, Brady, Buck, Buxton, Chaplin, Davison, Devine, Jr, Earle, Elvins, Fake, Firth, Haines, Irick, Manson, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Ridgway, Riordan, Stille, Tillman, Wright, Jr—24.

On motion of Mr Klenert, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with

Mr. Klenert moved that the House be placed under call,

Which motion was carried.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs. Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Breunig, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Drake, Eppinger, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr., Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Mead, Merz, Morris, Ridgway, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—32.

Absent—

Messrs Barber, Blohm, Brady, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Chaplin, Davison, Devine, Jr., Earle, Elvins, Fake, Firth, Haines,

Irick, Manson, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Potter, Riordan, Stille, Tillman, Wright, Jr —24

Mr Klenert moved that the House take a recess until 2 30 P M ,

Which was agreed to

AFTERNOON SESSION

The House reconvened at 2 30 o'clock P M

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr , Drake, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr , Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Lillagore, Mead, Merz, Morris, Pawelski, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—38

Absent—

Messrs Blohm, Brady, Buck, Cattell, Chaplin, Davison, Earle, Elvins, Gibbs, Haines, Irick, Jess, Manson, Moxon, Olwell, Perkins, Riordan, Stille, Tillman, Wright, Jr —20

The following resignation was received and accepted

RAHWAY, N J , October 1st, 1907

To the Speaker and Members of the General Assembly

GENTLEMEN—I do herewith tender to you my resignation as a member of your body from the county of Union to take effect at once

Very respectfully,

PETER TILLMAN

Mr Alexander moved that the Clerk inform the Senate that the House is now ready to take up the Utility bill,

Which motion was carried

Mr Alexander, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No 536, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a public service commission and prescribe its powers and duties, and to provide for the regulation and control of certain public service corporations,' "

Favorably, and without amendment

Mr. Lane, Chairman of the special committee appointed to investigate certain charges against John W Hughes, reported as follows

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Assembly

GENTLEMEN—The special committee appointed by the Speaker, under authority of the House, to investigate certain charges filed with the House against John W Hughes, justice of the peace, of Atlantic county, respectfully reports as follows.

Your committee duly organized by the election of Hon. John W. Lane as Chairman and Hon Frank Pawelski as Secretary The committee appointed Mr Daniel A Dugan, of Essex county, as its counsel, Mr Raymond Newman, of Passaic county, as its sergeant-at-arms, and Mr Ernest D Condit, of Essex county, as its stenographer

Your committee met at Atlantic City on August 5th for the purpose of investigating the charges referred to it Through the courtesy of Judge Robert H Ingersoll and the mayor and common council of Atlantic City, your committee was enabled to carry on its investigation in the Atlantic City District Court room Witnesses were duly examined and the charges were fully inquired into Full opportunity was given the complaining parties to present their case against the defendant, and several new charges were also filed and accepted by the committee The result of the committee's work is contained in the full stenographic report of its proceedings attached hereto

After carefully considering all the testimony and proofs submitted to it in substantiation of the charges made, your committee begs leave to report that in its opinion the charges were not sustained in such a manner as to justify the Legislature in undertaking the expensive and serious proceeding of impeachment in this case The defendant, as alleged in the charges, has been indicted by the grand jury of Atlantic county Your committee inquired into this matter and the evidence, and is of the opinion that no legislative action would be justifiable as against the indicted official until trial and conviction Your committee heard most of the testimony which would have to be used in case of trial, and is of the opinion that unless much better evidence and testimony can be produced no conviction could be gained

Your committee gave the defendant opportunity to explain the charges against him, and also obliged him to produce his docket The official, your committee finds, displayed remarkable ignorance of the laws regulating his office, and his method of keeping his docket was found to be unsatisfactory and indefinite His statement of fees and entered charges widely differed, and in very few instances could your committee obtain a satisfactory explanation from him of the items of various charges Your committee found that in some instances he had made apparent overcharges, and in other instances the entered figures did not correspond with his testimony of the charges

In view of the contradictory character of the greater part of the testimony taken, and the fact that the evidence in support of the indictments was of a very unsatisfactory character, your committee has come to the conclusion that further inquiry would be a loss of time as well as a source of useless expense on the part of the Legislature, and therefore recommends that no further action be taken in the matter

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN W LANE,

JOHN B IRICK,

FRANK A PAWELSKI

Trenton, September 17th, 1907

Mr Klenert, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Assembly Bill No 535, entitled "A further supplement to a supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections'" (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, which supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Favorably, and without amendment

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, which was read as follows

October 2d, 1907

Mr Speaker

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has refused to concur in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No 375, and said bill is returned to the House for further consideration

H L TYLER,

Secretary of the Senate

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, which was read as follows

October 2d, 1907

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 Speaker of the House of Assembly be requested to appoint a committee of three to confer with a like committee to be appointed by the President of the Senate, on Senate Bill No 375 with Assembly amendments, the Senate failing to concur in the said Assembly amendments

H L TYLER,

Secretary of the Senate

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, which was read as follows

October 2d, 1907

Mr Speaker

I am directed to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bill

Senate Bill No 419, entitled "An act creating a Public Utilities Commission and prescribing its powers and duties,"

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

H L TYLER,

Secretary of the Senate

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No 419, entitled "An act creating a Public Utilities Commission and prescribing its powers and duties,"

Was read for the first time by its title, and the same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended and that the said bill be placed on second reading without reference,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No 419, entitled "An act creating a Public Utilities Commission and prescribing its powers and duties,"

Was taken up under suspension of the rules, read a second time, and the following amendments, proposed by Mr Alexander, were read and adopted

Section seven, line one, insert after "all" the words "steam railroad"

Page nine, at the end of section nineteen, insert the following section

20 "An act to create a board of railroad commissioners for the State of New Jersey and to prescribe its powers and duties," approved May fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seven, and all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act are hereby repealed, and this act shall take effect immediately

Strike out section twenty

Mr Sullivan offered the following amendments, which were read by the Clerk

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY,

October 2d, 1907

Amendments proposed to Senate Bill No 419, by Mr Sullivan

Strike out sections one and two and substitute in lieu thereof the following

1 There shall be a public utilities commission which shall possess the powers and duties hereinafter specified, and also all powers necessary or proper to enable it to carry out the purposes of this act The said commission shall consist of three members who shall be elected at the general election for Members of Assembly next ensuing after the approval of this act, by the legal voters of this State who may be qualified to vote for Members of Assembly, to serve, one for three years, one for two years and one for one year Every year thereafter there shall be elected as aforesaid one person as the successor of the commissioner whose term shall expire, to serve for a term of three years from the date of the expiration of his predecessor's term and until a successor is elected and has qualified Any vacancy in such commission shall be filled by appointment by the Governor, subject to confirmation by the Senate, and the person so appointed shall hold office until his successor, who shall be elected at the next general election, shall have qualified At any meeting of the commissioners duly convened two shall constitute a quorum The said commissioners shall qualify by filing with the Secretary of State an oath to perform faithfully the duties of their office

2 The Governor shall, between January fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight, and February first, one thousand nine hundred and eight, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appoint three persons, citizens of this State over the age of thirty years, to constitute said commission and to perform and exercise the powers and duties of said commission until their successors shall be elected and qualify The terms of office of the commissioners so appointed shall commence on the first day of February, one thousand nine hundred and eight The members of said commission shall each receive an annual compensation of five thousand dollars to be paid in equal monthly installments by the Treasurer of the State on the warrant of the Comptroller

Upon the adoption of Mr Sullivan's amendments the result was as follows

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Eppinger, Frith, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Metz, Morris, Pawelski, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—25

In the negative were—

Messrs Barbei, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Devine, Jr, Drake, Fake, Jess, Lewis, Lillagore, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson—15

The Speaker declared the amendments adopted

Mr Klenert offered the following amendments, which were read and adopted

Page six, after the end of section thirteen, at line fifteen, insert "Any corporation coming within the provisions of this act which shall violate any provision of this act or who shall fail to obey, observe and comply with every order made by the commission under the authority of this act so long as the same shall be and remain in force, shall forfeit to the people of the State of New Jersey a sum of not exceeding one thousand dollars for each and every offense, every such violation shall be a separate and distinct offense and the penalty of forfeiture shall be recovered in an action by the commission in any court of competent jurisdiction, and this penalty shall be in addition to any other penalty imposed under the provisions of this act"

Mr Alexander offered the following amendments, which were read by the Clerk

Section twelve, line twelve, after the word "therefrom," insert. "(*e*) To direct any such corporation where its rates, fares or charges for services rendered or to be rendered or for any such commodity sold or to be sold are after proper investigation found by said commission to be inequitable or unjust to reduce such rates, fares or charges to such sum as the said commission shall determine to be equitable and just"

Section thirteen, line thirteen, after the word "therefrom," insert "(*f*) To compel any railroad or street railroad to abolish any grade crossing which after investigation by the commission may seem to said commission to be such a dangerous one as to require its abolition, and to make such order or orders in respect to the payment of the cost of abolishing the same as to the commission may seem just, *provided,* no part of the said cost shall be borne by the State of New Jersey or any municipality thereof"

Upon the adoption of Mr Alexander's amendments, the result was as follows

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Breunig, Corrish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Pawelski, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—26

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Drake, Jess, Lewis, Lillagore, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson—13

The Speaker declared the amendments adopted

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No 419, entitled "An act creating a Public Utilities Commission and prescribing its powers and duties,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading

The same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended, and that the said bill be placed on third reading at once,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No 419, entitled "An act creating a Public Utilities Commission and prescribing its powers and duties,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Mead, Merz, Morris, Pawelski, Sullivan, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—34

In the negative were—

Messrs Drake, Lillagore, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor—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

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Assembly Bill No 535, entitled "A further supplement to a supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections'" (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, which supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was taken up, read a second time and the following amendments, proposed by Mr Taylor, were read by the Clerk

In paragraph one (1), line four (4), strike out the words "members of Con-," in line five (5), paragraph one (1), strike out the word "gress," and change the first letter of the word "members" from a small letter to a capital, and in line eight (8), paragraph one (1), insert between the words "assembly" and "shall" the following words, "except governors and members of congress"

In paragraph seven (7), line eight (8), insert the word "such" between the words "in" and "case"

In paragraph eight (8), line seven (7), insert the word "at" between the words "for" and "such"

In paragraph nine (9), strike out all of lines fifteen (15), sixteen (16), seventeen (17), eighteen (18), nineteen (19), twenty (20), twenty-one (21) and twenty-two (22)

In paragraph eighteen (18), strike out all of lines twenty-three

(23), twenty-four (24), twenty-five (25), twenty-six (26), twenty-seven (27), twenty-eight (28) and twenty-nine (29)

In paragraph twenty-six (26), strike out the word "immediately" and in place thereof insert the following words "November twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seven"

Upon the adoption of the amendments the result was as follows.

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Barber, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Drake, Fake, Jess, Lewis, Lillagore, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson —16

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Breunig, Corrish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Kleneit, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Pawelski, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—24

The Speaker declared the amendments lost

Mr Kleneit offered the following amendments, which were read and adopted

After the word "entitled," insert the words "A supplement to," in the first line of the title

Insert the word "said," after the word "which," in the third line of the title

Section one, line four, after the words "to wit," insert the word "Governor"

Section sixteen, line five, insert after the word "elections" the words "for the nomination of officers to be voted for at the general election"

Section sixteen, line twenty-two, page thirteen, after the word "section" strike out the word "fifteen" and insert the word "nineteen"

Section twenty-four, line three, page nineteen, strike out the words "his county" and insert the words "which he is a candidate for nomination"

Page seven, line seven, between "for" and "such," insert "at"

Page six, line eight, between "in" and "case," insert "such"

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Assembly Bill No 535, entitled "A further supplement to a supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections'" (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, which supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading

The same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended, and that said bill be placed on third reading at once,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Assembly Bill No 535, entitled "A further supplement to a supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections'" (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, which supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was taken up, and under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Pawelski, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—26

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Drake, Fake, Jess, Lewis, Lillagore, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson—12

Mr Klenert desired his vote changed from yea to nay,

Which was agreed to

The Speaker declared the bill lost

Mr Klenert moved that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 535, entitled "A further supplement to a supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections'" (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, which supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was lost be reconsidered,

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Breunig, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Corrish, Daab, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lillagore, Mead, Merz, Morris, Pawelski, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlaicom—33

In the negative were—

Messrs Devine, Jr, Drake—2

The Speaker declared the motion carried

Mr Klenert then moved that the vote by which the said bill was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and placed back on second reading,

Which motion was carried

Mr Klenert moved that the vote by which his amendments were adopted be reconsidered,

Which motion was carried

Mr Taylor moved that the vote by which his amendments were lost be reconsidered,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Assembly Bill No 535, entitled "A further supplement to a supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections'"

(Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, which supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was taken up on second reading, and the following amendments, proposed by Mr Klenert, were read and adopted

After the word "entitled," insert the words "A supplement to," in the first line of the title

Insert the word "said," after the word "which," in the third line of the title

Section one, line four, after the words "to wit," insert the word "Governor"

Section sixteen, line five, insert after the word "elections" the words "for the nomination of officers to be voted for at the general election"

Section sixteen, line twenty-two, page thirteen, after the word "section" strike out the word "fifteen" and insert the word "nineteen"

Section twenty-four, line three, page nineteen, strike out the words "his county" and insert the words "which he is a candidate for nomination"

Page seven, line seven, between "for" and "such," insert "at"

Page six, line eight, between "in" and "case," insert "such"

Mr Taylor offered the following amendments, which were read and adopted

In paragraph one (1), line four (4), strike out the words "members of Con-," in line five (5), paragraph one (1), strike out the word "gress," and change the first letter of the word "members" from a small letter to a capital, and in line eight (8), paragraph one (1), insert between the words "assembly" and "shall" the following words, "except governors and members of congress"

In paragraph seven (7), line eight (8), insert the word "such" between the words "in" and "case"

In paragraph eight (8), line seven (7), insert the word "at" between the words "for" and "such"

In paragraph nine (9), strike out all of lines fifteen (15), sixteen (16), seventeen (17), eighteen (18), nineteen (19), twenty (20), twenty-one (21) and twenty-two (22)

In paragraph eighteen (18), strike out all of lines twenty-three (23), twenty-four (24), twenty-five (25), twenty-six (26), twenty-seven (27), twenty-eight (28) and twenty-nine (29)

In paragraph twenty-six (26), strike out the word "immediately" and in place thereof insert the following words "November twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seven"

Mr Thompson offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted

Section two, line twenty-two, page two, strike out the word "party" and insert "person"

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Assembly Bill No 535, entitled "A further supplement to a supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections'" (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, which supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading

The same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended and that the said bill be placed on third reading at once,

Which was agreed to

Mr Klenert then moved that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 535, entitled "A further supplement to a supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections'" (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, which supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and the said bill be placed back on second reading,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Assembly Bill No 535, entitled "A further supplement to a supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections'" (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, which supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was taken up on second reading, and the following amendment, proposed by Mr Klenert, was read and adopted

Strike out the word "Governor," on line four, section one, as inserted under amendments offered by Mr Klenert

Mr Jess moved that further passage of this bill lay over until the House meets next week,

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Barber, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Fake, Jess, Lillagore, Smalley, Thompson—9

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Morris, Pawelski, Sullivan, Taylor, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—26

The Speaker declared the motion lost

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Assembly Bill No 535, entitled "A further supplement to a supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections'" (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, which supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading

The same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended and that said bill be placed on third reading at once,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Assembly Bill No 535, entitled "A further supplement to a supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections'" (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, which supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Eppinger, Frith, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Metz, Morris, Pawelski, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—25

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Buxton, Cattell, Devine, Jr, Fake, Jess, Lillagore, Smalley, Taylor Thompson—10

The Speaker declared the bill lost

Mr Barber moved that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 535, entitled "A further supplement to a supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections'" (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, which supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was lost be reconsidered

Mr Taylor moved that Mr Barber's motion lay on the table,

Which motion was carried

Mr Lane, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 537,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Banks and Insurance

Mr Lane, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 538,

Which was read for the first time by its title, and the same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended and that said bill be placed on second reading without reference,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 538,

Was taken up, under suspension of the rules, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading

The same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended and that said bill be placed on third reading at once,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr

Assembly Bill No 538,

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Metz, Morris, Pawelski, Sullivan, VanBlarcom—25

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Fake, Kleinert, Lillagore, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson—10

The Speaker declared the bill lost

A message was received from the Governor by the hands of his Secretary, which was read as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
October 2d, 1907

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Assembly

The Legislature has now been in session since January with frequent recesses The right of the Legislature to sit as it pleases, so long as its adjournments are made in accordance with the constitutional provision forbidding one house to adjourn more than three days without the consent of the other, is vested in the Legislature itself and should not be questioned by any other co-ordinate department of the State government

However, until a final day is fixed for the enactment of laws, the session laws cannot be printed and the statutes are to that extent confused

I have from time to time in my annual and special messages to the Legislature recommended the enactment of measures of public importance which need not again be enumerated Some of these measures have already been passed by one branch of the Legisla-

ture These measures have now been endorsed by the platforms of both parties, and there would seem to be, therefore, no further excuse for delay in their enactment

I again recommend the prompt passage of these measures and suggest that the Legislature fix a date for the termination of legislation

Whatever other work the Legislature desires to do on the line of investigation would not be interfered with by this action, as the Legislature could continue this work without taking up matters of legislation

Respectfully,

E C STOKES,

Governor

Mr Alexander offered the following resolution, which was read by the Clerk

Whereas, The House of Assembly has passed the following bills recommended by the Governor in his annual message Bills restricting child labor, Corrupt Practices act, regulating campaign contributions, popular election of United States Senators bill, repeal of Meeker act, restoring spring elections, Uniform Divorce law, insurance laws, night school for foreigners bill, Potable Water and State Sewage Commission bills, and

Whereas, The first five of the above bills are now in the hands of the Senate, and

Whereas, The House of Assembly has to-day passed a Public Utility bill, as demanded by both parties in their platforms, and

Whereas, The House majority has done all in its power to enact a Direct Primary bill, as demanded by the platforms of both parties, and

Whereas, The Civil Service bill, which was killed in the House by a non-partisan vote, twelve Democrats and eight Republicans voting for said bill, is the only measure remaining unacted upon that both parties demand in their platforms, therefore, be it,

Resolved, That the Speaker appoint a committee of three members to notify the Senate and the Governor that the House is ready to adjourn as soon as the said Direct Primary bill shall be acted upon by it

Upon the adoption of the resolution the yeas and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Brennig, Buik, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lillagore, Mead, Merz, Morris, Pawelski, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, Van Blarcom—34

In the negative—None

Mr Klenert asked that the unanimous consent of the House be granted, and that

Assembly Bill No 510, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State water-supply commission, and to define its powers and duties, and the conditions under which the waters of this State may be diverted,'" approved June seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,

Be recalled from the Senate,

On which question the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Buik, Cattell, Devine, Jr, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Hendrick-

son, Jr, Holzapfel, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lillagore, Metz, Morris, Pawelski, Smalley, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlaicom—26

In the negative were—

Messrs Backus, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Groel, Hahn, Mead—7

The Speaker declared the motion carried.

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Résolved, That when the House adjourns it be to meet again on Friday, October 4th, at 10 30 o'clock A M, and when it then adjourns it be to meet again on Monday, October 7th, at 10 30 o'clock A M, and when it then adjourns it be to meet again on Wednesday, October 9th, at 10 30 o'clock A M, and when it then adjourns it be to meet again on Friday, October 11th, at 10 30 o'clock A M

On motion of Mr Klenert, the House then adjourned

FRIDAY, October 4th, 1907

At 10 30 o'clock A M the House met

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names

Messrs Klenert, Barber, Burk

Mr Burk, Speaker *pro tem*, in the chair

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem* declared the House adjourned until Monday, October 7th, at 10 30 o'clock.

MONDAY, October 7th, 1907

At 10 30 o'clock A M the House met

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names

Messrs Klenert, Barber, Burk

Mr Burk, Speaker *pro tem*, in the chair

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem* declared the House adjourned until Wednesday, October 9th, at 10 30 o'clock

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WEDNESDAY, October 9th, 1907

At 10 30 o'clock A M the House met

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names.

Messrs Klenert, Barber, Burk

Mr. Burk, Speaker *pro tem*, in the chair

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem* declared the House adjourned until Friday, October 11th, at 10 30 o'clock

FRIDAY, October 11th, 1907

House met at 10 30 o'clock A M

Prayer was offered by the Rev L B Hartman, Trenton, N J

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Chaplin, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Hahn, Holcombe, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Merz, Potter, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—34

Absent—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Brady, Cattell, Davison, Drake, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holzapfel, Lillagore, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Ridgway, Riordan, Tumulty—22

On motion of Mr Klenert, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with

On motion of Mr Sullivan, the House then took a recess until 2 o'clock P M

AFTERNOON SESSION

The House reconvened at 2 o'clock P M

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Holzapfel, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Man-

son, Mead, Merz, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlaicom, Wright, Jr —41

Absent—

Messrs Brady, Burk, Chaplin, Davison, Drake, Elvins, Haines, Irick, Lillagore, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Riordan, Tumulty—16

Mr Lane, Chairman of the Committee on Banks and Insurance, reported

Assembly Bill No 537, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the paving and repaving of streets, avenues and public highways in cities of the first class in this State, and providing for the payment of assessments for special benefits to property benefited thereby, and the payment of contractors supplying the work and material therefor,' " approved March twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, being chapter two hundred and ten of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Favorably

Mr Baker, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 539, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, and the same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended and the bill be placed on second reading without reference,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Baker,

Assembly Bill No 539, 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 under suspension of the rules, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading

The same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended and the bill be placed on third reading at once,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Baker,

Assembly Bill No 539, 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, 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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Merz, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlaricom, Wright, Jr —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 Klenert, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 540, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to defray the incidental expenses of the Legislature of New Jersey, for the session one thousand nine hundred and seven,' filed September seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, and the same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended and the bill be placed on second reading without reference,

Which was agreed to

Mr Klenert moved that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 540, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to defray the incidental expenses of the Legislature

of New Jersey, for the session one thousand nine hundred and seven,' filed September seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Was advanced to second reading be reconsidered, and the bill be referred to the Committee on Incidental Expenses,

Which motion was carried

The Speaker referred the bill to the Committee on Incidental Expenses

Mr Klenert, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No 541,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Incidental Expenses

Mr Barber moved that

Assembly Bill No 535, entitled "A further supplement to a supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections'" (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, which supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Be taken from the table,

Which motion was carried

Mr Barber moved that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 535, entitled "A further supplement to a supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections'" (Revision of 1908), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, which supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was lost be reconsidered

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Buck, Buxton, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Devine, Ja , Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel,

Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr , Holcombe, Irick, Jess, Kleneit, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Manson, Mead, Merz, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor, Thompson, VanBlaicom, Wright, Jr —39

In the negative—None

The Speaker declared the motion carried

Mr Barber then moved that the vote by which the bill was advanced to third reading be reconsidered and the bill be placed back on second reading,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Barber,

Assembly Bill No 535, entitled "A further supplement to a supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections'" (Revision of 1898) approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, which supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was taken up, read a second time, and the following amendments, proposed by Mr Barber, were read and adopted

Amend section two as follows

Strike out of lines eleven and twelve the following "Excepting that in years when a Governor is to be elected the said primary election shall be held on the second Tuesday in September"

Strike out of line fifteen all after the word "boards"

Strike out of lines eighteen and nineteen the words "with the Secretary of State or,"

Strike out of line twenty-three all between the word "party" and the word "the" at the end of said line

Strike out of line twenty-four the word "who"

Amend section four as follows

Strike out of line four the word "State"

Strike out of line six the words "Secretary of State"

Amend section six as follows

Strike out all of lines one to five, inclusive, and the word "for," at the beginning of line six

Strike out of line seven the word "single"

Strike out of line fifteen the words "Secretary of State or"

Amend section eight as follows

Strike out lines one to six, inclusive, and all of line seven but the word "it"

Strike out of line ten the word "similar"

Amend section twelve as follows

Strike out of lines twelve and thirteen the words "Secretary of State," "or any," and the word "or," where same occur

Strike out of line fourteen the word "various" and change "clerks" to "clerk"

In line sixteen, change "clerks" to "clerk"

Amend section sixteen as follows

Strike out of line six all after the word "September," and strike out all of line seven and line eight to and including the word "September"

Strike out of line twenty-eight the word "having" and insert in lieu thereof the word "and"

Amend section nineteen as follows

Strike out the word "the," after the word "candidate," in line sixteen, and lines seventeen to twenty-five, inclusive, and strike out "for said office" in line twenty-six

Strike out of line forty-three the words "State" and "congressional," and strike out of line forty-three the word "or" after the word "city," and insert the word "or" between "county" and "city" Change the word "shall," in said line, to "may"

Strike out of line forty-four the word "said" and insert after the word "candidates" the words "voted for at the primary election"

Strike out all of line forty-six after the word "election," all of line forty-seven and line forty-eight down to and including the word "votes"

Insert after the word "clerk," in line fifty-six, the following

"In the event of a failure of the said committee to make such selection, another election shall be held at a date not earlier than one week after the result of the primary election has been ascertained At said second election, the two candidates receiving the highest and the same number of votes and one other candidate selected by the county or city committee shall be the only candidates, and the person receiving the highest number of votes at the second election shall be the candidate of the party"

Strike out of line fifty-seven the words "or Secretary of State"

Strike out all of section twenty and insert in lieu thereof the following

"In any county in this State a county or city committee, or both, of any political party may be elected at the primary elections herein provided for The chairmen and secretaries of the county and city committees now in existence, where an election is to be held, shall file a statement with the clerks of the several municipalities within the county showing the members of such county or city committee to be elected at said primary elections in the manner provided in this act for nominations The county or city committees elected under this act shall organize by the election of a chairman and secretary No person elected a member of a county or city committee in accordance with the provisions of this act shall be a member of said committee for a longer period than three years, unless re-elected to said committee at a primary election, and elections of members of county or city committees may be held each year The chairman and secretary of any county or city committee elected in accordance with the provisions of this act shall file a statement with the clerks of the several municipalities within such county as above provided for"

Mr Klenert offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted

Section eighteen, line forty-two, add new line for signature of Board of Registry and Election—four in full

On motion of Mr Barber,

Assembly Bill No 535, entitled "A further supplement to a supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections'" (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, one thousand eight

hundred and ninety-eight, which supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading

The same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended and the said bill be placed on third reading at once,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Barber,

Assembly Bill No 535, entitled "A further supplement to a supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections'" (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, which supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Frith, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Hrick, Jess, Kleneit, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Merz, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Sullivan, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
October 11th, 1907

Mr Speaker

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following resolution

Resolved (the House of Assembly concurring), That the Governor be requested to return to the Senate for further consideration Senate Bill No 374,

Also,

Resolved, That the Speaker of the House be requested to appoint a conference committee of three to confer with a like committee of the Senate, to be appointed by the President of the Senate, on Senate Bill No 419, with Assembly amendments, and the President is hereby requested to appoint such Senate committee

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

H L TYLER,

Secretary of the Senate

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
October 11th, 1907

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 Speaker of the House be requested to appoint a conference committee of three to confer with a like committee of the Senate, to be appointed by the President of the Senate, on Senate Bill No 378, with Assembly amendments, and the President is hereby requested to appoint such Senate committee

Also,

Resolved, That the Speaker of the House be requested to appoint a conference committee of three to confer with a like committee of the Senate, to be appointed by the President of the Senate, on Senate Bill No 375, with Assembly amendments, and the President is hereby requested to appoint such Senate committee

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

H L TYLER,

Secretary of the Senate

Mr Klenert moved that the messages be received and spread in full upon the Minutes and the House concur in the messages,

Which was agreed to

A message was received from the Governor, by the hands of Mr Gray, his Secretary, which was read as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
October 11th, 1907

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Assembly

An act of the Legislature concerning the infliction of the death penalty, approved April 4th, 1906, prohibits hanging in this State and provides for the electrocution of all cases of capital offenses The apparatus for this purpose has been provided, but the Legislature has made no appropriation for maintaining or for carrying out the provisions of the act referred to I have consulted the Attorney-General and find that there is no authority by which any of the State Prison appropriation can be used for this purpose, and therefore suggest that the Legislature provide a sum of money to carry out the law, otherwise it will be impossible of execution

Respectfully,

E C STOKES,

Governor

Mr Klenert moved that the message be received and spread in full upon the Minutes,

Which was agreed to

The Speaker announced the following committees

On Senate Bill No 419 (Public Utility)—Messrs Alexander, Wright and Barber

On Senate Bill No 378—Messrs Sullivan, Lane and Jess

On Senate Bill No 375—Messrs Hahn, Tumulty and Thompson

Mr Klenert moved that the House be placed under call,

Which motion was carried

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Corrish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Haines, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Merz, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —38

Absent—

Messrs Brady, Buxton, Chaplin, Davison, Drake, Elvins, Hahn, Holzapfel, Irick, Lillagore, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Riordan, Stille, Sullivan, Taylor—19

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 537, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the paving and repaving of streets, avenues and public highways in cities of the first class in this State, and providing for the payment of assessments for special benefits to property benefited thereby, and the payment of contractors supplying the work and material therefor,'" approved March twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, being chapter two hundred and ten of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading

The same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended, and the bill be placed on third reading at once,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Lane,

Assembly Bill No 537, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the paving and repaving of streets, avenues and public highways in cities of the first class in this State, and providing for the payment of assessments for special benefits to property benefited thereby, and the payment of contractors supplying the work and material therefor,'" approved March twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, being chapter

two hundred and ten of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr , Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr , Holcombe, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Merz, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —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

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, which was read by the Clerk and concurred in by the House of Assembly

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
October 11th, 1907

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 commissioners appointed by the Governor to investigate the possibility of constructing a bridge across the Hudson river have filed their report and request an extension of time within which to fully and adequately investigate the question, and have also requested that the commission be increased to five members, and that an appropriation of five thousand dollars be made to enable them to perform their work, therefore,

Resolved (the House of Assembly concurring), That the said commission be increased to five members, and for that purpose that the Governor appoint two additional members to serve upon the said commission, the entire commission to serve without com-

pensation, that the time within which the said commission shall report be and it is hereby extended until the next annual session of the Legislature, and that the sum of five thousand dollars is hereby appropriated to enable said commission to defray the expenses of the said commission in completing their investigation and report, which sum it is hereby ordered shall be included in the current Appropriation Bill,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

H L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
October 11th, 1907

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 516, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seven,'" approved May twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Assembly Bill No 525, entitled "An act to annex to the town of Montclair, in the county of Essex, a part or portion of the townships of Acquackanonk and Little Falls, in the county of Passaic,"

Assembly Bill No 528, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the fire departments in cities of the first class,'" approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No 530, entitled "An act authorizing the division of townships into water districts for the purpose of supplying water within such districts for fire purposes, and the election of water commissioners in said district,"

Assembly Bill No 532, entitled "An act confirming the title to certain real estate, of which James R Smith, late of the county of Essex, in this State, died seized,"

Also,

Assembly Bill No 521, 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 October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seven,'" approved May twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Assembly Bill No 529, entitled "An act to empower municipalities to establish and maintain plants for the treatment, disposal or rendering of sewage,"

With Senate amendments,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

H L TYLER,

Secretary of the Senate

The Speaker put the following question, "Shall the Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No 521, 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 October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seven,'" approved May twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and six,

"Have a third reading?"

Which motion was carried

Mr Klenert moved that the House concur in Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No 529, entitled "An act to empower municipalities to establish and maintain plants for the treatment, disposal or rendering of sewage,"

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Backus, Barber, Blohm, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Daab, Devine, Jr, Eppinger, Gibbs, Hahn,

Hendrickson, Jr, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lewis, Manson, Merz, Potter, Ridgway, Smalley, Stille, Thompson, VanBlaricom—27

In the negative were—

Messrs Baader, Baker, Breunig, Corish, Earle, Firth, Groel, Holcombe, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Sullivan, Tumulty, Wright, Jr—13

The Speaker declared the amendments concurred in

Mr Wright, Chairman of the Committee on Incidental Expenses, reported

Assembly Bill No 540, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to defray the incidental expenses of the Legislature of New Jersey, for the session one thousand nine hundred and seven,' filed September seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Favorably, without amendment

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Assembly Bill No 540, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to defray the incidental expenses of the Legislature of New Jersey, for the session one thousand nine hundred and seven,' filed September seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

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 Daab moved that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 540, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to defray the incidental expenses of the Legislature of New Jersey, for the session one thousand nine hundred and seven,' filed September seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Was advanced to third reading be reconsidered, and said bill be placed back on second reading,

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Irick, Klenert, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Mead, Merz, Smalley, Tumulty, VanBlarcom Wright, Jr—26

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Devine, Jr, Fake, Manson, Potter, Ridgway, Stille—10

The Speaker declared the motion carried

Mr Alexander moved that the vote by which Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No 521 were concurred in by the House be reconsidered,

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Backus, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Irick, Jess, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Mead, Merz, Potter, Smalley, Thompson, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—31

In the negative were—

Messrs Baader, Baker, Devine, Jr, Ridgway, Stille, Sullivan, Tumulty—7

The Speaker declared the motion carried

Mr Alexander moved that the House concur in the Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No 521, 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 October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seven,'" approved May twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and six,

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Backus, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Irick, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Merz, Potter, Smalley, Thompson, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —31

In the negative were—

Messrs Baker, Brady, Tumulty—3

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said amendments, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has concurred in the same

The Speaker put the following question "Shall the Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No 529, entitled "An act to empower municipalities to establish and maintain plants for the treatment, disposal or rendering of sewage,"

"Have a third reading?"

Which was agreed to

Mr Klenert moved that the House concur in Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No 529, entitled "An act to empower municipalities to establish and maintain plants for the treatment, disposal or rendering of sewage,"

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Buck, Burk, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Gibbs, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Irick, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Manson, Mead, Merz, Potter, Smalley, Taylor, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —36

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said amendments, and that the Clerk carry them to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has concurred in the same

On motion of Mr Klenert, the House then took a recess until 7 P M

EVENING SESSION

House reconvened at 7 o'clock P M

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Burk, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Merz, Potter, Smalley, Sullivan, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlaicom, Wright, Jr—35

Absent—

Messrs Brady, Buck, Buxton, Chaplin, Drake, Davison, Elvins, Gibbs, Haines, Holzapfel, Irick, Jess, Lillagore, Morris, Moxon, Olwell, Pawelski, Perkins, Ridgway, Riordan, Stille, Taylor—22

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
October 11th, 1907.

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 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 October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eight,' approved June sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Senate Bill No 426, 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 October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seven,'" approved May twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Senate Joint Resolution No 14, entitled "Joint Resolution validating and confirming the Senate investigating committee created by Senate resolution passed July fifth, one thousand nine hundred and seven, and the Assembly investigating committee, created by Assembly resolution passed June twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and seven, and authorizing and empowering the continuance of said committees after the adjournment of the Legislature,"

Senate Bill No 400, 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 420, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eight,'" approved June sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,

Senate Bill No 417, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'" approved the fourteenth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Senate Bill No 424, entitled "An act creating a Civil Service Commission for the State of New Jersey and the various municipalities thereof and defining its powers and duties,"

Senate Bill No 427, entitled "A supplement to the act entitled 'An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eight,'" approved June fifth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,

And

Substitute for

Senate Bill No 374, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the militia of the State,'" approved May sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

H L TYLER,

Secretary of the Senate

Also

Assembly Bill No 514, entitled "An act to authorize the construction and establishment of public docks and the shipping facilities connected therewith, and the purchasing and acquiring of riparian lands and rights, and other lands and rights in lands, necessary therefor or incident thereto, and for the regulation of the same in cities fronting on navigable waters in this State,"

Without amendment

H L TYLER,

Secretary of the Senate

On motion of Mr Kleneit,

Substitute for

Senate Bill No 374, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the militia of the State,'" approved May sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was taken up and read for the first time by its title, and the same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended and the bill be placed on second reading without reference,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Kleneit,

Substitute for

Senate Bill No 374, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the militia of the State,'" approved May sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was taken up under suspension of the rules, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading

The same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended and the bill be placed on third reading at once,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Substitute for

Senate Bill No 374, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the militia of the State,'" approved May sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Buik, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Merz, Potter, Smalley, Sullivan, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —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

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No 400, 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, read for the first time by its title, and the same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended and the bill be placed on second reading without reference,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No 400, 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 under suspension of the rules, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading

The same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended and the bill be placed on third reading at once,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No 400, 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, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Burk, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Grocl, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Metz, Potter, Smalley, Sullivan, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —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

Mr Sullivan submitted the following report

The conference committee appointed to confer on Senate Bill No 378, with House amendments, hereby reports that it has agreed and hereby reports favorably for the consideration of both houses Senate Bill No 378 as passed by the Senate, with the following amendment

Amend section eight, line four, by striking out the word "respectively"

EDMUND W WAKELEE,
J W HINCHLIFFE,
ROBERT E HAND,
MARK A SULLIVAN,
JOHN W LANE,
FRANK B JESS

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No 417, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'" approved the fourteenth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was taken up, read for the first time by its title, and the same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended and the bill be placed on second reading without reference,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No 417, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'" approved the fourteenth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was taken up under suspension of the rules, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading

The same genetleman moved that the rules be suspended and the bill be placed on third reading at once,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No 417, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'" approved the fourteenth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Burk, Cattell, Corrish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Merz, Potter, Smalley, Sullivan, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate 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 October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eight," approved June sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Was taken up, read for the first time by its title, and the same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended and the bill be placed on second reading, without reference,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate 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 October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eight,' approved June sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Was taken up under suspension of the rules, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading

The same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended and the bill be placed on third reading at once,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Klenert

Senate 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 October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eight,' approved June sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Burk, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr , Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr , Holcombe, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Metz, Potter, Smalley, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —33

In the negative were—

Messrs Frith, Sullivan—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

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No 424, entitled "An act creating a Civil Service Commission for the State of New Jersey and the various municipalities thereof and defining its powers and duties,"

Was taken up, read for the first time by its title, and the same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended, and the bill be placed on second reading without reference,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No 424, entitled "An act creating a Civil Service Commission for the State of New Jersey and the various municipalities thereof and defining its powers and duties,"

Was taken up under suspension of the rules, read a second time, and the following amendments, proposed by Mr Thompson, were read and adopted

Section two, line four, page two, strike out after the word "when," and insert therefor, "this act becomes operative in the state or any municipality thereof"

Section two, line five, page two, strike out the word "operative"

Section eight, line thirty-seven, page five, strike out the word "cause"

Section eight, line thirty-eight, page five, strike out the words "the body of the offender"

Section eight, line forty, page five, strike out the words "such persons"

Section ten, line seven, page six, strike out the words "after the civil service of" and insert therefor "when this act becomes operative in"

Section ten, line eight, page six, strike out the words "shall become effective"

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No 424, entitled "An act creating a Civil Service Commission for the State of New Jersey and the various municipalities thereof and defining its powers and duties,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading

Mr Sullivan moved that further consideration of

Senate Bill No 424, entitled "An act creating a Civil Service Commission for the State of New Jersey and the various municipalities thereof and defining its powers and duties,"

Lay over,

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Frith, Groel, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—21

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Burk, Devine, Jr, Fake, Klenert, Lewis, Manson, Potter, Smalley, Thompson, Wright, Jr —11

The Speaker declared the motion carried

On motion of Mr Lewis,

Senate Bill No 426, 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 October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seven,'" approved May twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was taken up, read for the first time by its title, and the same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended and the bill be placed on second reading, without reference,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Lewis,

Senate Bill No 426, 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 October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seven,'" approved May twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was taken up under suspension of the rules, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading

The same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended and the bill be placed on third reading at once,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Lewis,

Senate Bill No 426, 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 October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seven,'" approved May twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Barber, Burk, Cattell, Devine, Jr , Fake, Hahn, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Potter, Smalley, Thompson, Wright, Jr —15

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Baader, Baker, Blohm, Breunig, Daab, Earle, Firth, Grocl, Hendrickson, Jr , Holcombe, Kleneit, Mead, Merz, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlaicom—17

The Speaker declared the bill lost

On motion of Mr Barber,

Senate Bill No 427, entitled "A supplement to the act entitled 'An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eight,'" approved June fifth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,

Was taken up, read for the first time by its title, and the same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended, and the bill be placed on second reading, without reference,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Barber,

Senate Bill No 427, entitled "A supplement to the act entitled 'An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eight,'" approved June fifth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,

Was taken up, under suspension of the rules, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading

The same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended and the bill be placed on third reading at once,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Barber,

Senate Bill No 427, entitled "A supplement to the act entitled 'An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eight,'" approved June fifth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Burk, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Frith, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Kleneit, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Merz, Potter, Smalley, Sullivan, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlaricom, Wright, Jr —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

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Senate Joint Resolution No 14, entitled "Joint Resolution validating and confirming the Senate investigating committee created by Senate resolution passed July fifth, one thousand nine hundred and seven, and the Assembly investigating committee, created by Assembly resolution passed June twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and seven, and authorizing and empowering the continuance of said committees after the adjournment of the Legislature,"

Was taken up, read for the first time by its title, and the same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended, and that the bill be placed on second reading without reference,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Senate Joint Resolution No 14, entitled "Joint Resolution validating and confirming the Senate investigating committee created by Senate resolution passed July fifth, one thousand nine hundred and seven, and the Assembly investigating committee,

created by Assembly resolution passed June twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and seven, and authorizing and empowering the continuance of said committees after the adjournment of the Legislature,"

Was taken up under suspension of the rules, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading

The same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended and that said bill be placed on third reading at once,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Senate Joint Resolution No 14, entitled "Joint Resolution validating and confirming the Senate investigating committee created by Senate resolution passed July fifth, one thousand nine hundred and seven, and the Assembly investigating committee, created by Assembly resolution passed June twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and seven, and authorizing and empowering the continuance of said committees after the adjournment 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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Burk, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Mead, Merz, Potter, Smalley, Sullivan, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlaicom, Wright, Jr —33

In the negative was—

Mr Manson—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

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Assembly Bill No 540, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to defray the incidental expenses of the Legislature

of New Jersey, for the session one thousand nine hundred and seven,' filed September seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Was taken up under suspension of the rules, read a second time, and the following amendments, proposed by Mr Daab, were read and adopted

Insert after items No 33 the following

Item No 36 To Irving Daniels, for extra services as doorkeeper of the House of Assembly for the session of 1907, one hundred dollars ($100)

Item No. 34 To John Daley, for extra services as doorkeeper of the House of Assembly for the session of 1907, one hundred dollars ($100)

Item No 35 To Bernard Garvey, for extra services as doorkeeper of the House of Assembly for the session of 1907, one hundred dollars ($100)

Item No 37 To Peter Golden, for extra services as doorkeeper of the House of Assembly for the session of 1907, one hundred dollars ($100)

Item No 42 To James F Donnelly, for extra services as page of the House of Assembly for the session of 1907, fifty dollars ($50)

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Assembly Bill No 540, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to defray the incidental expenses of the Legislature of New Jersey, for the session of one thousand nine hundred and seven,' filed September seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

As amended,

Was taken up under suspension of the rules, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading

The same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended, and the bill be placed on third reading at once,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Assembly Bill No 540, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to defray the incidental expenses of the Legislature of New Jersey, for the session one thousand, nine hundred and seven,' filed September seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Burk, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Frith, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Mead, Merz, Potter, Smalley, Sullivan, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —32

In the negative were—

Messrs Brady, Manson—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 Sullivan moved that

Senate Bill No 424, entitled "An act creating a Civil Service Commission for the State of New Jersey and the various municipalities thereof and defining its powers and duties,"

Be taken from the table,

Which motion was carried

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Senate Bill No 424, entitled "An act creating a Civil Service Commission for the State of New Jersey and the various municipalities thereof and defining its powers and duties,"

Was taken up under suspension of the rules, read a second time, and the following amendments, proposed by Mr Sullivan, were read, as follows

In section three, strike out lines one to eight, and line nine as far as the word "no," and substitute the following "There shall be elected at the general election for members of Assembly next ensuing, after the approval of this act by the legal voters of this State who may be qualified to vote for members of Assembly, three persons to be civil service commissioners under this act, to serve one for three years, one for two years, one for one year Every year thereafter there shall be elected as aforesaid one person as the successor of the commissioner whose term shall expire to serve for a term of three years from the date of the expiration of his predecessor's term and until a successor is elected and has qualified"

Upon the adoption of the amendments, the result was as follows

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Breunig, Corish, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Lethbridge (Speaker), Merz, Sullivan, Thompson, Tumulty—17

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Burk, Cattell, Daab, Devine, Jr, Fake, Hendrickson, Jr, Lewis, Manson, Potter, Smalley, Wright, Jr —12

The Speaker declared the amendments adopted

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Senate Bill No 424, entitled "An act creating a Civil Service Commission for the State of New Jersey and the various municipalities thereof and defining its powers and duties,"

As amended,

Was taken up under suspension of the rules, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading

The same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended and the bill be placed on third reading at once,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Sullivan,

Senate Bill No 424, entitled "An act creating a Civil Service Commission for the State of New Jersey and the various municipalities thereof and defining its powers and duties,"

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Baader, Backus, Blohm, Breunig, Corish, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Sullivan, Thompson, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—21

In the negative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Baker, Barbeı, Burk, Cattell, Daab, Devine, Jr, Fake, Lewis, Manson, Potter, Smalley—12

The Speaker declared the bill lost

Mr Klenert moved that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No 538, 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 October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seven,'" approved May twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Was lost be reconsidered,

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Earle, Firth, Groel, Holcombe, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Merz, Sullivan, Tillman, Tumulty, Wright, Jr—22

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Burk, Cattell, Fake, Lewis, Manson, Potter, Smalley, Thompson—9

The Speaker declared the motion lost

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
October 11th, 1907

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 428, entitled "An act creating a Public Utilities Commission and prescribing its powers and duties,"

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

H L TYLER,

Secretary of the Senate

Mr Alexander, of the Conference Committee, reported details of the committee on

Senate Bill No 428, entitled "An act creating a Public Utilities Commission and prescribing its powers and duties"

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Senate Bill No 428, entitled "An act creating a Public Utilities Commission and prescribing its powers and duties,"

Was taken up, read for the first time by its title, and the same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended and that the bill be placed on second reading without reference,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Senate Bill No 428, entitled "An act creating a Public Utilities Commission and prescribing its powers and duties,"

Was taken up under suspension of the rules, read a second time, and the following amendments, proposed by Mr Alexander, were read as follows

Section twelve, line twelve, after the word "therefrom," insert (*e*) to direct any such corporation where its rates, fares or charges for services rendered or to be rendered, or for any commodity sold or to be sold, and, after proper investigation, found by said commission to be inequitable or unjust, to reduce such rates, fares or

charges to such sum as the said commission shall determine to be equitable and just

Upon the adoption of the amendments, the result was as follows

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baker, Blohm, Brennig, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Kenert, Manson, Merz, Sullivan, Tumulty, Wright, Jr—19

In the negative were—

Messrs Baader, Backus, Barber, Burk, Cattell, Devine, Jr, Groel, Hahn, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Mead, Potter, Smalley, Thompson, VanBlarcom—16

The Speaker declared the amendments adopted

Mr Daab offered the following amendments, which were read as follows

Strike out on page six, line twelve, after the word "therefrom," the following to compel any steam railroad or high-speed trolley railroad to abolish any grade crossing which, after investigation by the commission, may seem to said commission to be such a dangerous one as to require its abolition, and to make such order or orders in respect to the payment of the cost of abolishing the same as to the commission may seem just, *provided,* no part of the said cost in excess of twenty-five per centum thereof shall be borne by the State of New Jersey or any municipality thereof

And insert in lieu thereof the following

(*f*) To compel any railroad or street railroad to abolish any grade crossing which, after investigation by the commission, may seem to said commission to be such a dangerous one as to require its abolition, and to make such order or orders in respect to the payment of the cost of abolishing the same as to the commission may seem just, *provided,* no part of the said cost shall be borne by the State of New Jersey or any municipality thereof, and,

Upon the adoption of the amendments, the result was as follows.

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Auf der Heide, Baker, Blohm, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Holcombe, Merz, Wright, Jr—13

In the negative were—

Messrs Alexander, Baader, Backus, Barber, Breunig, Burk, Cattell, Devine, Jr, Fake, Hendrickson, Jr, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Potter, Smalley, Sullivan, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom—20

The Speaker declared the amendments lost

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Senate Bill No 428, entitled "An act creating a Public Utilities Commission and prescribing its powers and duties,"

As amended,

Was taken up under suspension of the rules, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading

The same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended and the bill be placed on third reading at once,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Senate Bill No 428, entitled "An act creating a Public Utilities Commission and prescribing its powers and duties,"

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Kleneit, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Manson, Mead, Metz, Sullivan, Thompson, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—27

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Burk, Cattell, Devine, Jr, Lewis, Potter, Smalley, Tumulty—8

The Speaker declared the bill lost

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
October 11th, 1907

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 Bills Nos 421 and 422, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,'" which further supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Senate Bill No 425, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to prevent the pollution of the waters of this State by the establishment of a State Sewerage Commission, and authorizing the creation of sewerage districts and district sewerage boards, and prescribing, defining and regulating the powers and duties of such commission and such boards,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Senate Bill No 431, entitled "An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Senate Bill No 429, entitled "An act regulating the receipt and disbursement of State moneys in certain cases,"

Senate Bill No 430, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections" (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,'" which further supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

H L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

Also,

Assembly Bill No 537, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the paving and repaving of streets, avenues

and public highways in cities of the first class in this State, and providing for the payment of assessments for special benefits to property benefited thereby, and the payment of contractors supplying the work and material therefor,' " approved March twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five being chapter two hundred and ten of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Assembly Bill No 539, 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"

H L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Senate Bill No 431, entitled "An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Was taken up, read for the first time by its title, and the same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended and the bill be placed on second reading without reference,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Senate Bill No 431, entitled "An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Was taken up under suspension of the rules, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading

The same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended and the bill be placed on third reading at once,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Senate Bill No 431, entitled "An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public

purposes for the fiscal year ending October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Burk, Cattell, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Merz, Potter, Smalley, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —31

In the negative was—

Mr Sullivan—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

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No 429, entitled "An act regulating the receipt and disbursement of State moneys in certain cases,"

Was taken up under suspension of the rules, read a second time, gentleman moved that the rules be suspended, and the bill be placed on second reading without reference,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No 429, entitled "An act regulating the receipt and disbursement of State moneys in certain cases,"

Was taken up under suspension of the rules, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading

The same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended and the bill be placed on third reading at once,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No 429, entitled "An act regulating the receipt and disbursement of State moneys in certain cases,"

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 Auf der Heide, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Buik, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Kleneit, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Merz, Potter, Smalley, Sullivan, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr —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

On motion of Mr Kleneit,

Senate Bill No 425, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to prevent the pollution of the waters of this State by the establishment of a State Sewerage Commission, and authorizing the creation of sewerage districts and district sewerage boards, and prescribing, defining and regulating the powers and duties of such commission and such boards,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Was taken up, read for the first time by its title, and the same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended and the bill be placed on second reading without reference,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Kleneit, –

Senate Bill No 425, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to prevent the pollution of the waters of this State by the establishment of a State Sewerage Commission, and authorizing the creation of sewerage districts and district sewerage boards, and prescribing, defining and regulating the powers and duties of such commission and such boards,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-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 Hendrickson moved that further consideration of the bill lay over,

Which motion was carried

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
October 11th, 1907

Mr Speaker

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following resolution

Resolved (the House of Assembly concurring), That the One Hundred and Thirty-first Session of the Legislature adjourn without day, on the twelfth day of October, 1907, at 1 30 o'clock A M of said day,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

H L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the Speaker appoint three members of the House of Assembly as a committee to inform the Governor that the House is ready to adjourn *sine die,* and ascertain if he has any further communication to transmit to the House

The Speaker appointed Messrs Klenert, Barber and Hendrickson as a committee to wait upon the Governor

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No 430, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections" (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,'" which further supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was taken up, read for the first time by its title, and the same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended and the bill be placed on second reading without reference,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No 430, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections" (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' " which further supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was taken up under suspension of the rules, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading

The same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended and the bill be placed on third reading at once,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No 430, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections" (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' " which further supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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 Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Brennig, Burk, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Earle, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Merz, Potter, Smalley, Sullivan, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlarcom, Wright, Jr—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

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Committee substitute for

Senate Bills Nos 421 and 422, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' " which further supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was taken up and read for the first time by its title, and the same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended and the bill be placed on second reading without reference,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Alexander,

Committee substitute for

Senate Bills Nos 421 and 422, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' " which further supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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 Barber moved that committee substitute for

Senate Bills Nos 421 and 422, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' " which further supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Lay on the table,

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Earle, Eppinger, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Holcombe, Klenert, Lane, Lethbridge

(Speaker), Mead, Merz, Sullivan, Tumulty, VanBlaricom, Wright, Jr —24

In the negative were—

Messrs Barber, Burk, Cattell, Fake, Hendrickson, Jr, Lewis, Manson, Smalley, Thompson—10

The Speaker declared the motion carried

Mr Tumulty then moved that committee substitute for

Senate Bills Nos 421 and 422, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,'" which further supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Be taken from the table,

Which motion was carried

Mr Tumulty moved that the rules be suspended and the bill be placed on third reading at once,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Tumulty,

Committee substitute for

Senate Bills Nos 421 and 422, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,'" which further supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

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 Alexander, Auf der Heide, Baader, Backus, Baker, Barber, Blohm, Breunig, Burk, Cattell, Corish, Daab, Devine, Jr, Eppinger, Fake, Firth, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr, Holcombe, Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Lewis, Manson, Mead, Potter, Smalley, Sullivan, Thompson, Tumulty, VanBlaricom, Wright, Jr —33

In the negative were—

Messrs Earle, Klenert, Metz—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

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No 420, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eight,'" approved June sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,

Was taken up and read for the first time by its title, and the same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended, and the bill be placed on second reading without reference,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No 420, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eight,'" approved June sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,

Was taken up under suspension of the rules, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading

The same gentleman moved that the rules be suspended and the bill be placed on third reading at once,

Which was agreed to

On motion of Mr Klenert,

Senate Bill No 420, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eight,'" approved June sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Alexander, Auf der Heide, Barber, Burk, Cattell, Devine, Jr , Earle, Fake, Firth, Holcombe, Klenert, Lewis, Manson, Merz, Potter, Smalley, Thompson, VanBlarcom —18

In the negative were—

Messrs Baader, Backus, Baker, Blohm, Breunig, Corish, Daab, Eppinger, Groel, Hahn, Hendrickson, Jr , Lane, Lethbridge (Speaker), Mead, Sullivan, Tumulty, Wright, Jr —17

The Speaker declared the bill lost

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
October 11th, 1907

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 533, entitled "An act concerning the government of cities of the first class,"

Assembly Bill No 540, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to defray the incidental expenses of the Legislature of New Jersey, for the session one thousand nine hundred and seven,' filed September seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and seven"

H L TYLER,
Secretary of the Senate

The committee appointed to wait upon the Governor reports that he has no further communication to transmit to the House

Mr Klenert offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted

Resolved, That the Clerk of the House of Assembly inform the Senate that the House is ready to adjourn *sine die*

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
October 11th, 1907

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

The Speaker thereupon announced that the hour fixed upon for the final adjournment of both Houses of the one hundred and thirty-first (131st) Legislature had arrived, and 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 one hundred and thirty-first Legislature adjourned *sine die*

JOHN SCHULER,
Journal Clerk

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Introduced, 57, reported, 73, recommitted, 97, reported, 255, second reading, 276, third reading, 328, House resolution, 1268, 1353

Assembly Bill No 2, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three, providing for the assessment and collection of taxes in cities,"

Introduced, 57

Assembly Bill No 3, 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,

Introduced, 57

Assembly Bill No 4, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish public parks in certain counties of this State and to regulate the same,'" approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Introduced, 58, reported, 88, amendment, 159, third reading, 230, 231, returned, amended, from Senate, 571, amendments concurred in, 577, 756

Assembly Bill No 5, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize cities in this State to purchase lands and erect suitable buildings for city purposes, and to sell lands and buildings now used for such purposes,'" approved April seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Introduced, 58, reported, 88, second reading, 110, recommitted, 156, reported, 174, second reading, 208, 209, third reading, 268, 269, returned from Senate, 385

Assembly Bill No 6, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Introduced, 58, reported, 253, second reading, 274, third reading, 800, House resolution, 1268, 1353

Assembly Bill No 7, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of insurance companies,"'" approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Introduced, 58

Assembly Bill No 8, entitled "An act to regulate the civil service of the State of New Jersey and of the various municipalities thereof,"
Introduced, 58, reported, 313

Assembly Bill No 9, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to revise and amend an act for the taxation of railroad and canal property,'" approved April tenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, which act was approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,
Introduced, 59, reported, 173, second reading, 207, put back, 567, second reading, 567, third reading, 803, reconsidered, second reading and amended, 829, 998, amended, 1002, House resolution, 1268, 1353

Assembly Bill No 10, entitle "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,
Introduced, 59, reported, 350, second reading, 470, put back, 568, amended and second reading, 706, 829, 830, 998, amended, 1004, 1005, 1006, House resolution, 1268, 1353

Assembly Bill No 11, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),'" approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,
Introduced, 59, reported, 195, second reading, 245, 498, third reading, 857

Assembly Bill No 12, entitled "An act to authorize cities of the first class to contract to supply water to certain other municipalities in this State,"
Introduced, 59, reported, 250, second reading, 271, put back, 568, amended and second reading, 814, 815, third reading, 815, House resolution, 1269, 1353

Assembly Bill No 13, 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,
Introduced, 60 reported, 102, second reading, 160, third reading, 322, returned from Senate, amended, 1108, concurred in, 1110

Assembly Bill No 14, entitled "An act concerning the selecting, drawing and summoning of grand and petit jurors,"
Introduced, 60

Assembly Bill No 15, entitled "An act concerning juries,"
Introduced, 60

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Introduced, 60

Assembly Bill No 17, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting writs of error (Revision),'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,
Introduced, 60, reported, 73, second reading, 162, third reading, 228, returned from Senate, amended, 1108, concurred in, 1110

Assembly Bill No 18, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of South Bound Brook,"

Introduced, 60, reported, 195, second reading, 245, third reading, 502, returned from Senate, 777

Assembly Bill No 19, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of South Plainfield, in the county of Middlesex and State of New Jersey,"

Introduced, 61, reported, 339, second reading, 417, 418

Assembly Bill No 20, entitled "An act to provide for the payment by railroad companies of wages in lawful money of the United States every two weeks,"

Introduced, 61, reported, 252, second reading, 415, third reading, 528, House resolution, 1269, 1353

Assembly Bill No 21, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three

Introduced, 61, reported, 173, withdrawn, 546

Assembly Bill No 22, entitled "An act to authorize cities in this State to construct and maintain trolley tracks and appliances in the public streets and places and to run trolley cars thereon, and to collect fares for the transportation of the passengers, or to lease the said tracks and appliances or the right to run cars on said tracks and to transport passengers thereon, and to provide the funds necessary for this purpose,"

Introduced, 61, reported, 251

Assembly Bill No 23, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the regulation of the flow of torrential rivers, to protect persons and property from damage by floods, and to provide for the maintenance and regulation of river flood districts when established by law," approved April nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and four,'" which act was approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Introduced, 61

Assembly Bill No 24, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation of the flow of torrential rivers, to protect persons and property from damage by floods, and to provide for the maintenance and regulation of river flood districts when established by law,'" approved April nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

Introduced, 62

Assembly Bill No 25 entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act relative to the time of election and appointments and terms of office of officers elected or appointed in cities of this State,'" approved February twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and one,

Introduced, 62, reported, 251, second reading, 416

Assembly Bill No 26, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Introduced, 62, reported, 113, second reading, 159, third reading, 228, 229

Assembly Bill No 27, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes (Revision of 1903),' " approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,
Introduced, 62

Assembly Bill No 28, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes (Revision of 1903),' " approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,
Introduced, 63, reported, 113, second reading, 160, third reading, 229, 230

Assembly Bill No 29, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase of sites for and the erection and equipment of armories in cities of the first and second class, and making appropriations therefor, and to provide for the taking of real estate for such sites by commission in case the same cannot be purchased by agreement,' " approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,
Introduced, 63, reported, 134, second reading, 163, recommitted, 192, reported, 193, second reading, 207, third reading, 268, substitute from Senate, 500, substitute concurred in, 599, 663

Assembly Bill No 30 entitled "An act to provide for the publishing of a verbatim report of the deliberations of the Legislature,"
Introduced, 63, reported 278, second reading, 434, third reading, 760

Assembly Bill No 31, entitled "An act to provide stenographers to the Legislature, to fix their salaries and to define their duties,"
Introduced, 63, reported, 278, second reading, 434, laid on table, 760

Assembly Bill No 32, entitled "An act to create the office of State printer of legislative proceedings, to prescribe the fees for said office and to define his duties,"
Introduced, 63, reported, 278, second reading, 434, laid on table, 761

Assembly Bill No 33, entitled "An act concerning the Comptroller of the State of New Jersey, and to confer the power on the said Comptroller and to authorize the said Comptroller to fix the rate of fees and pay the same to the State printer of legislative proceedings,"
Introduced, 64, reported, 278, second reading, 435, laid on table, 761

Assembly Bill No 34, entitled "An act supplementary to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),' being chapter two hundred and thirty-five of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, and the several acts amendatory and supplementary thereto, and making it a high misdemeanor to falsely publish any official report of the proceedings of the Legislature,"
Introduced, 64, reported, 278, second reading, 435, laid on table, 761

Assembly Bill No 35, entitled "An act to provide for the public distribution of the verbatim reports of the proceedings of the Legislature,"
Introduced, 64, reported, 278, second reading, 435, laid on table, 761

Assembly Bill No 36, entitled "An act to regulate public utility corporations, such as street railroad, gas, water and electric light and power companies, in this State, create a board of public utility commissioners, fix their salaries, define their duties, prevent the imposition of unreasonable rates, prevent unjust discriminations, insure adequate service, prescribe the mode of procedure and the rules of evidence in relation thereto, prescribe penalties for violations, and making an appropriation therefor,"
Introduced, 64

Assembly Bill No 37, entitled "An act concerning the time of payment of assessments of benefits of public improvements in municipalities of this State,"
Introduced, 65, reported, 173, recommitted, 192, reported, 251, second reading, 415, recommitted, 415

Assembly Bill No 38, entitled "An act to further 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,
Introduced, 65

Assembly Bill No 39, entitled "An act concerning advertisement for bids and the submission of proposals and the awarding of contracts for materials furnished or work done by public award in this State,"
Introduced, 65, reported, 193, second reading, 248

Assembly Bill No 40, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to define the duties and to fix the salary of the Attorney-General,'"
Introduced, 65, reported, 255, second reading, 275, third reading, 582

Assembly Bill No 41, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to information in the nature of a quo warranto (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,
Introduced, 66, reported, 102, second reading, 161

Assembly Bill No 42, entitled "An act to authorize any city of this State to use any land which has or may have machinery or appliances available for an electric plant, to convert said property into an electric light plant, acquiring the necessary additional machinery and appliances, and operate and maintain such plant and to furnish electric light, heat and power therefrom for private or public use in said city or in any neighboring municipality, and to make contracts for the construction of such plant and for the operation thereof by any contractor for a limited period,"
Introduced, 66, reported, 250

Assembly Bill No 43, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relative to the Princeton battle monument,'" approved April twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,
Introduced, 66, reported, 74, second reading, 162, put back, 187, amended, 188, second reading, 188, third reading, 265, 266, returned from Senate, 500

Assembly Bill No 44, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,
Introduced, 66

Assembly Bill No 45, 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,

Introduced, 67, reported, 142, second reading, 163, third reading, 231

Assembly Bill No 46, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to the issue and redemption of trading stamps and other devices,'" approved June twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Introduced, 70

Assembly Bill No 47, entitled "An act to repeal chapter one hundred and fourteen of the laws of one thousand nine hundred and six, entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating and brewed liquors,' passed March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,"' approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine," which supplement was approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Introduced, 70

Assembly Bill No 48, entitled "An act regulating the salaries of members of the boards of council or other governing bodies of towns, incorporated as such, in this State,"

Introduced, 72, reported, 254, second reading, 403, third reading, 525, returned from Senate, amended, 1131, concurred in, 1139, veto, 1205, action on veto, 1233

Assembly Bill No 49, entitled "An act abolishing the office of collector of arrears of taxes in towns, incorporated as such, in this State,"

Introduced, 72, reported, 295, second reading, 377, 378, put back, 535, second reading, 535, third reading, 617, returned from Senate, 908

Assembly Bill No 50, entitled "An act to regulate and fix the price of water furnished for domestic or other use in counties of the first class by purveyors of water enjoying the right to lay mains and pipes for the purpose of conducting water in or through the public streets, avenues, roads or highways of said counties,"

Introduced, 72, reported, 220, second reading, 271

Assembly Bill No 51, entitled "An act to authorize cities having a public water-supply derived from sources beyond the city limits to protect the same from pollution by providing for any portion of the territory from which said water is derived or through which it flows a system of sewers or drains in order to take up, carry off and dispose of the sewage or other polluting matter, and providing also for the raising and expenditure of the money necessary for this purpose,"

Introduced, 74, reported, 175, second reading, 189, amended, 190, second reading, 190, third reading, 235, 236, returned from Senate, 572

Assembly Bill No 52, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate and license pawnbrokers,'" approved April twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Introduced, 74, reported, 194, second reading, 245, third reading, 371, returned from Senate, 626

Assembly Bill No 53, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections,'" (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Introduced, 75, reported, 196, second reading, 536, 537

Assembly Bill No 54, entitled "An act for the appointment of a board for the examination and licensing of sanitary plumbers, and defining the duties and powers of said board,"

Introduced, 75, reported, 405, second reading, 537, 538

Assembly Bill No 55, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),'" approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Introduced, 75, reported, 195, second reading, 246, 537, third reading, 668, returned from Senate, 1099, veto, 1205, action on veto, 1233

Assembly Bill No 56, 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,

Introduced, 76, reported 198, second reading, 246, third reading, 369, returned from Senate, 1099, veto, 1206, action on veto, 1233

Assembly Bill No 57, entitled "An act for the better protection of game and game birds,"

Introduced, 76, reported, 196, second reading, 242, put back, 368, second reading, 416, third reading, 622

Assembly Bill No 58, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Introduced, 76, reported, 314, second reading, 400, third reading, 611, returned from Senate, 1153

Assembly Bill No 59, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Introduced, 76, reported, 315, second reading, 401, third reading, 612

Assembly Bill No 60, entitled "An act to repeal sections eight and nine of 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,

Introduced, 76

Assembly Bill No 61, entitled "An act to regulate the hours of labor of mechanics, workmen and laborers employed upon the public works of the State of New Jersey, or upon the public works of any county, city, township or other municipality therein,"

Introduced, 77, reported, 192, second reading, 243, third reading, 488

Assembly Bill No 62, entitled "An act concerning the liability of corporations and bodies politic, other than municipal corporations, to their employes,"

Introduced, 77, reported, 588, second reading, 646

Assembly Bill No 63, entitled "An act concerning railroads, and providing for presumptive proof of negligence in any action brought hereafter in any court having jurisdiction over such action, and relative to certain effects of the violation of or failure to comply with, according to law, of any order of any board of commissioners now in existence or hereafter to be established in this State, concerning the safety of the premises on or through which any railroad in this State operates of or may hereafter operate, and which said premises are the property of or are under the control of any such railroad, or concerning the safety of any tools, equipment, apparatus or other mechanical appliances or contrivances which are the property of, under the control or in use by any railroad in this State,"

Introduced, 77, reported, 408, second reading, 420, third reading, 808

Assembly Bill No 64, entitled "An act constituting eight hours' service a full day's labor for persons employed in or about State penal institutions of this State,"

Introduced, 78, reported, 172, second reading, 207, third reading, 266

Assembly Bill No 65, entitled "An act to regulate railroads and other common carriers in this State, creating a State board of commissioners to regulate and police railroads and other common carriers in this State, said board so created to be known as the 'State Board of Commissioners of Railroads and Public Utilities,' giving to them an official seal, to fix their salaries, define their powers (including among said powers the power to issue compulsory processes and use contempt proceedings), to prescribe their term of office, and the mode of the procedure and the rules of evidence to govern said board in the conduct of their hearings and in certain other of their proceedings, to prescribe penalties for the disobeying or contempt of the processes and orders of the said board of railroad commissioners, and providing, further, for any other matters to make efficient such a board so established to police and regulate railroads,"

Introduced, 78, reported, 408, second reading, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, third reading, 620, substitute returned from Senate, 1012, conference resolution, 1018, 1040, 1060

Assembly Bill No 66, entitled "An act concerning the compulsory furnishing of freight cars by any railroad or other carrier doing business in New Jersey and providing a penalty to such railroad or other carrier for failing so to do,"

Introduced, 78

Assembly Bill No 67, entitled "An act to prohibit unfair discrimination by railroads and other carriers of this State between different persons, sections, communities or localities and of unfair conditions, and providing penalties therefor,"

Introduced, 79, reported, 408, second reading, 420, third reading, 621

Assembly Bill No 68, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Introduced, 79, reported, 173, second reading, 207, third reading, 266, 267, to reconsider, 301, to recall from Senate, 301, returned by Senate, 378, recall rescinded, 462, returned from Senate, 1106, veto, 1207, action on veto, 1233

Assembly Bill No 69, entitled "An amendment to 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,

Introduced, 79, reported, 459, second reading, 495, third reading, 616, reconsidered, 637, second reading, 637, third reading, 982

Assembly Bill No 70, 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,

Introduced, 79, reported, 459, second reading, 495, third reading, 617

Assembly Bill No 71, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase of sites for and the erection and equipment of armories in cities of the first and second class, and making appropriations therefor, and to provide for the taking of real estate for such sites by commission in case the same cannot be purchased by agreement,' approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, authorizing the purchase of land and the erection of a signal and telegraph corps armory in the city of Jersey City, in the county of Hudson and State of New Jersey, pursuant to the provisions and authority of the aforesaid act and of the amendments thereof and supplements thereto,"

Introduced, 80, reported, 174, second reading, 209

Assembly Bill No 72, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the orphans' court and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the orphans' court and surrogates (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Introduced, 80

Assembly Bill No 73, entitled "An act to amend the negotiable instrument law relative to the payment of forged checks,"

Introduced, 80, reported, 113, second reading, 160, third reading, 230, returned from Senate, amended, 904, concurred in, 916, 1167, veto, 1207, action on veto, 1232

Assembly Bill No 74, entitled "An act regarding soldiers, sailors and marines honorably discharged from the United States service,"

Introduced, 80, reported, 133, second reading, 163, third reading, 232, 233, returned from Senate, 627

Assembly Bill No 75, 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,

Introduced, 81, reported, 102, second reading, 161, third reading, 237

Assembly Bill No 76, 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,

Introduced, 81, reported, 156, second reading, 186, put back, 192, recommitted, 221, reported, 350, withdrawn, 731

Assembly Bill No 77, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled An act for the relief of creditors against absent and absconding debtors (Revision of 1901),' " approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and one,
Introduced, 81, reported, 102, second reading, 161, third reading, 395

Assembly Bill No 78, entitled "An act to enable cities to carry their own insurance upon municipal buildings,"
Introduced, 81

Assembly Bill No 79, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide for the amicable adjustment of grievances and disputes that may arise between employers and employes, and to authorize the creation of a State board of arbitrators,' " approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, and the supplements thereto,
Introduced, 82, reported, 192, second reading, 243, third reading, 342, substitute from Senate, 1039, reported, 1045, second reading, 1065

Assembly Bill No 80, 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,
Introduced, 82, reported, 102, second reading, 161, third reading, 237, returned from Senate, amended, 909, concurred in, 927, 1051

Assembly Bill No 81, 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,
Introduced, 82, reported, 142, second reading, 164, third reading, 232, returned from Senate, 1106

Assembly Bill No 82, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the orphans' court and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the orphans' court and surrogates (Revision of 1898),' " approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,
Introduced, 82, reported, 142, second reading, 162, third reading, 238

Assembly Bill No 83, entitled "An act relative to writs of certiorari and proceedings thereunder,"
Introduced, 83, reported, 353, second reading, 474, third reading, 662, received from Senate, 795

Assembly Bill No 84, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act to regulate fees (Revision),' " approved April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six, which further supplement was passed June thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,
Introduced, 83

Assembly Bill No 85, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),' " approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,
Introduced, 83, reported, 312, second reading, 538

Assembly Bill No 86, entitled "An act to permit the retirement on pension from public office or position, after twenty years' service therein, of officers and employes in all State penal institutions and reformatories,"

Introduced, 83, reported, 556, second reading, 707, third reading, 896

Assembly Bill No 87, entitled "A supplement to an act concerning roads (Revision)," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Introduced, 83, reported, 315, second reading, 400, put back, 507, 508, second reading, 836

Assembly Bill No 88, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employes and operatives 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,

Introduced, 84, reported, 252, second reading, 273

Assembly Bill No 89, entitled "An act to compel the determination of titles to riparian lands and lands under water in which the State claims an estate in remainder or reversion and to quiet the title to the same,"

Introduced, 84, reported, 123, second reading, 160; third reading, 233, returned, amended, from Senate, 657, amendment concurred in, 658, 659

Assembly Bill No 90, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employes and operatives 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,

Introduced, 84, reported, 252, second reading, 272, third reading, 323

Assembly Bill No 91, entitled "An act for the designation and appointment of an inspector of weights and measures in cities of the second class,"

Introduced, 84, reported, 156, second reading, 185, third reading, 370

Assembly Bill No 92, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a uniform standard of weights and measures in this State,'" passed on the seventeenth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one,

Introduced, 85, reported, 156, second reading, 185, third reading, 267

Assembly Bill No 93, entitled "An act to establish grade crossings of railroads in cities of the first and second class,"

Introduced, 85, reported, 490, second reading, 498, put back, 510, amended, 639, 640, 641, second reading, 641 put back, 713, amended, 816, second reading, 816, third reading, 816, 817

Assembly Bill No 94, 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,

Introduced, 85

Assembly Bill No 95, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),"' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," which supplemental act was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Introduced, 91, reported, 142, second reading, 163, recommitted, 302

Assembly Bill No 96, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),"' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," which supplemental act was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Introduced, 91

Assembly Bill No 97, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Introduced, 91

Assembly Bill No 98, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crime (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety eight,

Introduced 92, reported, 114, second reading, 160, final reading, 238, 239, recommitted, 276, 277, reported, 315, second reading, 401, third reading, 611

Assembly Bill No 99, entitled "An act to provide for water-supply for municipalities of this State,"

Introduced, 92, reported, 221, second reading, 499, put back, 499

Assembly Bill No 100, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the assessment of taxes,"'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three, which supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Introduced, 103

Assembly Bill No 101, entitled "An act prohibiting the transaction of business in this State by foreign banking, savings, trusts or safe deposit corporations,"

Introduced, 103, reported 348, second reading third reading, 508, returned from Senate, 905

Assembly Bill No 102, entitled "An act regarding soldiers, sailors and marines honorably discharged from the United States service,"

Introduced, 103

Assembly Bill No 103, entitled "An act relating to the cancellation of mortgages,"

Introduced, 104, reported, 134, second reading, 416, third reading, 531

Assembly Bill No 104, entitled "An act to permit the retirement on pension from public office or position, after twenty-five years' continuous service therein, of widows of honorably discharged Union soldiers, sailors and marines who served in the War of the Rebellion,"

Introduced, 104, reported, 199, second reading, 246, third reading, 368, returned from Senate, 627

Assembly Bill No 105, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale or prescription of cocaine, or any patent or proprietary remedy containing cocaine, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof,' "

Introduced, 104, reported, 142, second reading, 364, third reading, 437, returned from Senate, 908, vetoed, 1104

Assembly Bill No 106, entitled "An act relating to street railways and conferring the additional power to regulate them on the State Board of Commissioners of Railroads and Public Utilities," supplementary to an act entitled "An act to regulate railroads and other common carriers in this State, creating a State Board of Commissioners to regulate and police railroads and other common carriers in this State, said board so created to be known as the 'State Board of Commissioners of Railroads and Public Utilities,' giving to them an official seal, to fix their salaries, define their powers (including among said powers the power to issue compulsory processes and use contempt proceedings), prescribe their term of office, and the mode of the procedure and the rules of evidence to govern said board in the conduct of their hearings, and in certain other of their proceedings, to prescribe penalties for the disobeying or contempt of the processes and orders of the said Board of Railroad Commissioners, and providing further for any other matters to make efficient such a board established to police and regulate railroads,"

Introduced, 104, reported, 409, second reading, 421, put back, 509, second reading, 533, 534, third reading, 809

Assembly Bill No 107, entitled "An act concerning railroads, to regulate demurrage and storage charges, and to prevent delay in the transportation and delivery by railroads of freight,"

Introduced, 105

Assembly Bill No 108, entitled "An act concerning railroads and other carriers, and requiring them to make reasonable connections with each other,"

Introduced, 105, reported, 409, second reading, 421, third reading, 810

Assembly Bill No 109, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the formation, establishment and government of towns,' " approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Introduced, 105, reported, 254, second reading, 274, third reading, 329, returned from Senate, 572

Assembly Bill No 110, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas (Revision of 1900),' " approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred,

Introduced, 105, reported, 152, second reading, 185

Assembly Bill No 111, entitled "An act to establish a State reformatory for women, to provide for the government thereof, and the commitment thereto of women convicted of crimes and other offenses,"

Introduced, 106, reported, 173, second reading, 208, third reading, 265

Assembly Bill No 112, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture, and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession,'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,
Introduced, 106

Assembly Bill No 113, 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,
Introduced, 106, reported, 556, second reading, 707, third reading, 855

Assembly Bill No 114, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),"'" approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, which amendment was approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and three,
Introduced, 106, reported, 195, second reading, 245, third reading, 333, returned from Senate, 627

Assembly Bill No 115, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the formation of railroad corporations and regulate the same,'"
Introduced 107, reported, 221, second reading, 271, put back, 333, amended, 342, second reading, 342, third reading, 856, returned from Senate, amended, 1091, concurred in, 1125

Assembly Bill No 116, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'Supplement to an act entitled "An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employes and operatives 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, approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and five,
Introduced, 107, reported, 192, second reading, 243, third reading, 323, 324, returned from Senate, 572

Assembly Bill No 117, 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,
Introduced, 107

Assembly Bill No 118, entitled "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating and brewed liquors,'"' passed March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight," approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, which supplement was approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,
Introduced, 107, reported, 294, second reading, 334, 335, 336, third reading, 391

Assembly Bill No 119, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for suppressing vice and immorality (Revision),'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,
Introduced, 108, reported, 134, second reading, third reading, 532, reconsidered, 581, third reading, 582

Assembly Bill No 120, entitled "An act to authorize the board of health of the State of New Jersey, whenever a sewer system may be constructed by the board or body having charge of the public water-supply of any city in this State, for the protection of such water-supply, to prescribe and fix territorial limitations wherein which said State board of health shall regulate or absolutely prohibit the use of toilets, water-closets and urinals on railroad trains and other vehicles, public or private, traversing the water-shed from which such water-supply may be derived,"

Introduced, 108

Assembly Bill No 121, entitled "An act to change the name of Ginami Catesto Pettuto,

Introduced, 108, reported, 134, second reading, 162, third reading, 234, returned from Senate, 627, recalled, 732, vetoed, 1103

Assembly Bill No 122, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the establishment of a course in practical and scientific instruction in the art of clay working and ceramics in the State agricultural college,'" approved March seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Introduced, 109, reported, 134, second reading, 163, third reading, 234, returned from Senate, 385

Assembly Bill No 123, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the orphans' court and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the orphans' court and surrogates (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Introduced, 109

Assembly Bill No 124, 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,

Introduced, 118, reported, 353, second reading, 541, third reading, 690

Assembly Bill No 125, 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,

Introduced, 118

Assembly Bill No 126, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the permanent improvement of public roads in this State,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Introduced, 119, reported, 153, recommitted, 182, reported, 194, second reading, 245, third reading, 323, reconsideration, 324, 325

Assembly Bill No 127, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to the writ of certiorari (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Introduced, 119, reported, 165, second reading, 186, recommitted, 301, 302

Assembly Bill No 128, entitled "An act to regulate the running of street cars,"

Introduced, 119

Assembly Bill No 129, entitled "An act relating to street cars,"
Introduced, 119

Assembly Bill No 130, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,
Introduced, 120, reported, 142, second reading, 164, third reading, 235

Assembly Bill No 131, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning district courts (Revision of 1898),"' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," which supplement was approved February twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and one,
Introduced, 120, reported, 134, second reading, 162, third reading, 236

Assembly Bill No 132, entitled "An act to facilitate the transaction of municipal business in cities of this State,"
Introduced, 120, reported, 156, second reading, 185, third reading, 321, returned from Senate, 1106, veto, 1208, action on veto, 1232

Assembly Bill No 133, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning townships (Revision of 1899),'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,
Introduced, 121, reported, 767

Assembly Bill No 134, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning townships (Revision of 1899),'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,
Introduced, 121, reported, 767, second reading, 782

Assembly Bill No 135, entitled "An act concerning police in municipalities,"
Introduced, 121, reported, 174, second reading, 364, third reading, 759, returned from Senate, amended, 1108, concurred in, 1110

Assembly Bill No 136, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,
Introduced, 122

Assembly Bill No 137, entitled "An act for the sale in fee of land purchased by any taxing district for taxes, assessments or water rents (Revision of 1905),"
Introduced, 122, reported, 253, second reading, 273, third reading, 982, reconsidered, 984

Assembly Bill No 138, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating and brewed liquors,' passed March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight," approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,'" which supplement was approved April eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,
Introduced, 125

Assembly Bill No 139, entitled "An act amending an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas (Revision of 1900),' "

Introduced, 125, reported, 253, second reading, 415, put back, 426, second reading, 441, 466, third reading, 664, returned from Senate, 908

Assembly Bill No 140, entitled "An act to declare null and void certain agreements for the sale of lands, tenements, hereditaments or any interest of, in or concerning them, now on record or hereafter to be recorded,"

Introduced, 125

Assembly Bill No 141, entitled "A supplement to 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,

Introduced, 125,. reported, 198, second reading, 246, reconsidered, 488

Assembly Bill No 142, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the orphans' court and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the orphans' court and surrogates (Revision of 1898),' " approved June fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and ninety-eight,

Introduced, 126, reported, 254, second reading, 274, third reading, 370, returned from Senate, amended, 1131, concurred in, 1138

Assembly Bill No 143, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable cities in this State on or near the ocean, and embracing within their limits or jurisdiction any beach or ocean front, to open and lay out a public park or place for public resort or recreation, on and along the beach or ocean front of such city, and to purchase or condemn lands, property and rights therefor, and to preserve the same from obstruction or encroachment,' " approved April twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, constituting chapter ninety-three of the session laws of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,

Introduced, 126, reported, 193, second reading, 244, third reading, 394

Assembly Bill No 144, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to empower boards of aldermen, councilmen or other governing bodies of cities, towns or boroughs of this State to give notice of intention to pass ordinances for any public improvement,' " approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Introduced, 126, reported, 193, second reading, 244, final reading, 928

Assembly Bill No 145, entitled "An act relating to the condemnation of lands, or rights or interests in lands, to be taken for public improvements, and the ascertainment of compensation to be awarded the owner or owners therefor,"

Introduced, 127

Assembly Bill No 146, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide a capital fund to be used for the opening, widening, vacating and other such improvements of streets in cities of the first class in this State,' " approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Introduced, 127, reported, 194, second reading, 244, third reading, 308, returned from Senate, 1127

Assembly Bill No 147, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the preservation of clabs in the waters of the North and South Shrewsbury rivers and their tributaries,'" approved February sixth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Introduced, 127, reported, 195, second reading, 242, reconsidered, 369, recommitted, 462, 474, reported, 547, second reading, 579, third reading, 688

Assembly Bill No 148, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,'" which supplement was approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Introduced, 127, reported, 194, recommitted, 221, reported, 860, second reading, 864, third reading, 898

Assembly Bill No 149, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relative to fishing in the North and South Shrewsbury rivers, and in the waters of Sandy Hook and Raritan bay,'" approved April seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

Introduced, 128, reported, 459, second reading, 495

Assembly Bill No 150, entitled "An act to provide funds to be used for opening and vacating streets and highways, and for curbing, recurbing, grading and regrading, flagging and reflagging streets and highways so opened or widened, in cities of the first class in this State,"

Introduced, 128, reported, 194, second reading, 244, put back, 309, amended, 340, second reading, 340, third reading, 340, returned from Senate, amended, 1121

Assembly Bill No 151, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting railroads and canals,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Introduced, 128, reported, 403, second reading, 418, put back, 532, second reading, 545, 546, third reading, 718

Assembly Bill No 152, entitled "An act for the better protection of passengers on the cars of street railways in counties of the first class,"

Introduced, 129

Assembly Bill No 153, entitled "An act in relation to the appointment of police justices, recorders or police magistrates in cities of the second class,"

Introduced, 129

Assembly Bill No 154, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Introduced, 129, reported, 295, second reading, 366, put back, 437, 438, amended, on second reading, 447, third reading, 503, substitute returned from Senate, 1091, concurred in, 1097

Assembly Bill No 155, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning carriers (Revision of 1904),'" approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

Introduced, 129, reported, 221, second reading, 367; third reading, 504

Assembly Bill No 156, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Introduced, 129, reported, 409, second reading, 429, third reading, 604

Assembly Bill No 157, 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,

Introduced, 129

Assembly Bill No 158, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting writs of error (Revision),'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Introduced, 130, reported 199, second reading, 246, third reading, 322, returned from Senate, 1099

Assembly Bill No 159, entitled "An act to regulate net fishing in Sandy Hook bay, Raritan bay and tributaries thereof,"

Introduced, 130, reported, 459, second reading, 495, third reading, 618

Assembly Bill No 160, 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,

Introduced, 130, reported, 429, second reading, 475, third reading, 623, returned from Senate, 1106

Assembly Bill No 161, entitled "An act to prohibit the acceptance of public officials of any pass or service as a gratuity or at a lower than the customary or lawful rate from any street railroad, gas, electric light or water company, and to prevent such companies from issuing or delivering any such pass or rendering such service free of charge or at a lower than the customary or lawful rate,"

Introduced, 130

Assembly Bill No 162, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the fire department in cities of the first class,'", approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Introduced, 131, reported, 176, second reading, 210, third reading, 398

Assembly Bill No 163, entitled "An act extending the time for completing certain railroads,"

Introduced, 131, reported, 295, second reading, 538

Assembly Bill No 164, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish an excise department in incorporated towns and cities of this State,'" approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and one,

Introduced, 131

Assembly Bill No 165, entitled "An act to regulate the practice of chiropody in the State of New Jersey, to license chiropodists and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,"

Introduced, 131, reported, 295, second reading, 367, third reading, 440

Assembly Bill No 166, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating and brewed liquors," passed March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,'" approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,

Introduced, 131, reported, 351, second reading, 538, put back, 719, 720, second reading, 837, third reading, 1086

Assembly Bill No 167, entitled "An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of speedways in counties of this State,"

Introduced, 132, reported, 351, second reading, 472, 664, 736, 837, 851, reported, 861, second reading, 976, third reading, 1137

Assembly Bill No 168, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled '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 eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three, and being chapter one hundred and eighty-two (182) of the laws of one thousand nine hundred and three,

Introduced, 132, reported, 635

Assembly Bill No 169, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable the boards of chosen freeholders of any of the several counties of this State to construct and reconstruct bridges over and across navigable rivers or streams therein, in certain cases, and providing for the regulation thereof,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two,

Introduced, 132, reported, 313, second reading, 493; put back, 647, amended and second reading, 758, third reading, 759, returned from Senate, 1126, veto, 1208, action on veto deferred, 1232

Assembly Bill No 170, entitled "An act to prevent frauds in the capitalization of associations and companies organized under the laws of this State,"

Introduced, 135, reported, 221

Assembly Bill No 171, entitled "An act to provide for the forfeiture and annulment of charters of corporations transacting business in restraint of State or inter-State trade and commerce,"

Introduced, 135, reported, 221, second reading, 830.

Assembly Bill No 172, 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,

Introduced, 135, reported, 407, second reading, 419; recommitted, 524 525, reported, 547, amended, 578, 579, second reading, 579, third reading, 858

Assembly Bill No 173, entitled "An act relative to boards of tax commissioners or similar finance bodies in cities of this State,"

Introduced, 136, reported, 173, second reading, 208, recommitted, 256, reported, 727, second reading, 781

Assembly Bill No 174, entitled "An act to prevent the incorporation of trusts or companies in restraint of trade and commerce,"

Introduced, 136, reported, 221, second reading, 271, third reading, 1102

Assembly Bill No 175, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the orphans' court, and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary, and the orphans' court and surrogates (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Introduced, 136

Assembly Bill No 176, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'"

Introduced, 136

Assembly Bill No 177, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting any execution,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Introduced, 143, reported, 560, second reading, 596, put back, 762, amended and second reading, 837

Assembly Bill No 178, entitled "An act to provide for the purification of the Passaic river within the Passaic valley sewerage district, prohibiting the discharge of sewage or other polluting matter into said portion of said river after a fixed date, and authorizing municipalities lying in whole or in part within the Passaic valley sewerage district, from the territory of which sewage or other polluting matter is or may be discharged into said portion of said river, to enter into contracts with each other and with the Passaic valley sewerage commissioners for the intercepting and disposal of such sewage and other polluting matter, and to provide the necessary funds therefor,"

Introduced, 143, reported, 175, second reading, 190; third reading, 264, returned from Senate, 385

Assembly Bill No 179, entitled "An act to authorize the erection of town halls in towns of this State, and the purchase of lands whereon to erect said buildings,"

Introduced, 143, reported, 198, second reading, 210, third reading, 211, reconsidered, 222, recommitted, 222, reported, 344, second reading, third reading, 440, returned from Senate, amended, 904, concurred in, 916, 995

Assembly Bill No 180, entitled "An act concerning the abolition of certain grade crossings in incorporated towns, and providing for the apportionment of the expense thereof,"

Introduced, 144, reported, 410, amended and second reading, 580, 581, recommitted, 715, reported, 749, second reading, 837, third reading, 941

Assembly Bill No 181, 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,

Introduced, 144

Assembly Bill No 182, entitled "An act in relation to the expenditure of public moneys,"

Introduced, 144, reported, 253, second reading, 273, third reading, 489, returned by Senate, 905

Assembly Bill No 183, entitled "An act relating to the expenditure of moneys by counties, municipalities and commissions in this State,"

Introduced, 144

Assembly Bill No 184, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating and brewed liquors," passed March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,' " approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,

Introduced, 144

Assembly Bill No 185, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting the orphans' court, and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the orphans' court and surrogates (Revision),' " approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Introduced, 145, reported, 255, second reading, 275, third reading, 332

Assembly Bill No 186, entitled "An act for the prevention, detection and punishment of frauds on consumers of electric current,"

Introduced, 145

Assembly Bill No 187, entitled "An act for the regulation of charges to consumers of electric current,"

Introduced, 145

Assembly Bill No 188, 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, nineteen hundred and three,

Introduced, 145, reported, 407, second reading, 432

Assembly Bill No 189, entitled "An act to authorize the boards of chosen freeholders in the several counties of this State to enter into an agreement with the sheriffs of their respective counties in relation to the support, provision and maintenance of prisoners in the county jails and workhouses in such counties,"

Introduced, 146, reported, 253, second reading, 273, 274, recommitted, 274, reported, 353, second reading, 397, withdrawn, 546

Assembly Bill No 190, entitled "An act to annex to the borough of Bradley Beach a portion of the borough of Neptune City, in the county of Monmouth,"

Introduced, 146, reported, 195, second reading, 247, third reading, 331, returned from Senate, 724, veto, 1209, action on veto, 1232

Assembly Bill No 191, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase of sites for and the erection and equipment of armories in cities of the first and second class in this State, and cavalry armories in municipalities of this State wherein there is now or hereafter shall be located the headquarters of a troop of cavalry of the National Guard of this State which has been or shall have been in the service of this State not less than ten years, and making appropriations therefor, and to provide for the taking of real estate for such sites by commission in case the same cannot be purchased by agreement,' " title as amended approved April eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Introduced, 146, reported, 174, second reading, 209, third reading, 328

Committee substitute for
Assembly Bill No 192, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employes and operatives 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,' "
Introduced, 146, reported, 193, second reading, 243, recommitted, 277, reported, 347, second reading, 707, third reading, 889, returned from Senate, 908

Assembly Bill No 193, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),' " approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,
Introduced, 147, reported, 409, second reading, 707

Assembly Bill No 194, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),' " approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,
Introduced, 147

Assembly Bill No 195, 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,
Introduced, 147, reported, 198, second reading, 247, third reading, 331, returned from Senate, amended, 904 concurred in, 917, 1113

Assembly Bill No 196, entitled "An act concerning the paving and repaving of streets, avenues and public highways in cities of this State, and permitting the use of wood block pavement on such streets and highways,"
Introduced, 147, reported, 198, second reading, 783, third reading, 1088, returned from Senate, 1116

Assembly Bill No 197, entitled "An act entitled 'An act to encourage sports and pastimes on the first day of the week, commonly called Sunday,' "
Introduced, 147, reported, 198, second reading, 247, recommitted, 270, reported, 277, 278, second reading, 476, 477

Assembly Bill No 198, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for suppressing vice and immorality,' " approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,
Introduced, 148, reported, 199, second reading, 416

Assembly Bill No 199, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes (Revision of 1903),' " approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,
Introduced, 148

Assembly Bill No 200, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning District Courts (Revision of 1898),' " approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,
Introduced, 148, reported, 353, second reading, 474, third reading, 715

Assembly Bill No 201, entitled "An act to regulate the appointment and compensation of clerks and assistants in the offices of city clerk in the cities of the first class,"

Introduced, 148 reported, 343, second reading, 344, third reading, 371, returned from Senate, 572

Assembly Bill No 202, entitled "An act to regulate the importation of dependent children and providing a penalty for violation thereof,"

Introduced, 148, reported, 314, second reading, 400, third reading, 526, returned from Senate, 1106

Assembly Bill No 203, entitled "An act for the protection of the health of females employed in manufacturing or mercantile establishments,"

Introduced, 149, reported, 193, second reading, 247, third reading, 330, returned from Senate, 627, recalled from Governor, 703, 720

Assembly Bill No 204, entitled "An act regulating the employment of children in mercantile establishments,"

Introduced, 149, reported, 252, second reading, 272, 273, third reading, 330, returned from Senate, 1106

Assembly Bill No 205, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Introduced, 156, reported, 165, second reading, 166, third reading, 187, returned from Senate, with amendment, 500, amendment adopted, 500, 501, recalled from Governor, 719, 720, veto, 1210

Assembly Bill No 206, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Introduced, 156, reported, 554, second reading, 580, third reading, 717, reconsidered, 732, third reading, 858

Assembly Bill No 207, entitled "An act to authorize the unveiling of a monument, now in course of erection at Monocacy, Maryland, to commemorate the services of the fourteenth regiment, New Jersey volunteer infantry, in the battle of Monocacy and thirty other engagements of the Civil War, and to appropriate money to pay the expense of the proper unveiling of said monument,"

Introduced, 157, reported, 466, second reading, 496, withdrawn, 859

Assembly Bill No 208, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning townships (Revision of 1899),'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Introduced, 157, reported, 352, second reading, 473, third reading, 666, returned from Senate, 1098, veto, 1210, action on veto, 1232

Assembly Bill No 209, entitled "An act to provide for and regulate appeals from any District Court in any city of this State to the Court of Common Pleas,"

Introduced, 157

Assembly Bill No 210, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Introduced, 157

Assembly Bill No 211, entitled "An act to authorize the board of education of any township in this State to transfer any unused school building to the township in which said board of education is located, and to empower the township committee to use said building for municipal purposes,"

Introduced, 158, reported, 294, second reading, 364, third reading, 438, returned by Senate, 905

Assembly Bill No 212, entitled "An act to require resident citizens to secure license before hunting or gunning within the State of New Jersey, and providing penalties for violation of its provisions,"

Introduced, 158, reported, 195, second reading, 247, third reading, 326, put back, 340, second reading, 414, third reading, 511

Assembly Bill No 213, 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,

Introduced, 158

Assembly Bill No 214, entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'An act,'" approved April twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Introduced, 158, reported, 195, second reading, 247, put back, 340, second reading, 414, 415, third reading, 624

Assembly Bill No 215, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kind of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture, and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three, and which act to amend was approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

Introduced, 158, reported, 196, second reading, 248, third reading, 389

Assembly Bill No 216, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Introduced, 159, reported, 199

Assembly Bill No 217, entitled "An act to provide for the compensation of officers and employes of the Senate of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, who were required to attend and perform service pending the organization of the current session of the Senate,"

Introduced, 159

Assembly Bill No 218, entitled "An act to amend 'An act to provide for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Introduced, 177, reported, 865, amended and second reading, 865, third reading, 899, returned from Senate, amended, 1128, concurred in, 1129

Assembly Bill No 219, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for public safety on railroads,'" approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one,

Introduced, 177, reported, 407, second reading, 431, third reading, 605

Assembly Bill No 220, entitled "An act concerning the compulsory furnishing of freight cars by any railroad or other carrier doing business in New Jersey, and providing a penalty to such railroad or other carrier for failing to do so,"

Introduced, 177, reported, 407, second reading, 431

Assembly Bill No 221, entitled "An act to regulate the registry of voters in this State,"

Introduced, 177, reported 315, second reading, 433, third reading, 810, 811, House resolution, 1269, 1353

Assembly Bill No 222, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to the writ of certiorari (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Introduced, 177, reported, 253, second reading, 276, put back, 505, 577, second reading, 578, third reading, 717, returned from Senate, 1127

Assembly Bill No 223, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Introduced, 178, withdrawn, 340

Assembly Bill No 224 entitled "An act to authorize boards of street and water commissioners in cities of the first class in this State to open, widen, vacate, grade, regrade, curb, recurb, flag and reflag streets in such cities without appropriations for the cost thereof being first made,"

Introduced, 178, second reading, 272, third reading, 325, returned from Senate, 1099

Assembly Bill No 225, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act relative to the time of election and appointment and terms of office of officers elected or appointed in towns, townships, boroughs and other municipalities in this State,'" approved February fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Introduced, 178, reported, 252, second reading, 416, third reading, 606, reconsidered, 618, third reading, 619, House resolution 1269, 1353

Assembly Bill No 226, entitled "An act relative to the payment of deposits made with any bank or trust company in the name of two persons,"

Introduced, 178, reported, 407, second reading, 419, third reading, 508, 509, returned from Senate, 905

Assembly Bill No 227, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Introduced, 179, reported, 312, second reading, 539

Assembly Bill No 228, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Introduced, 179, reported, 312, second reading, 539

Assembly Bill No 229, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act in relation to county expenditures,'" approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

Introduced 179, reported 313, second reading, 399, third reading, 525, returned from Senate, 905

Assembly Bill No 230, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a sanatorium for persons afflicted with tuberculous diseases and to provide for the selection of a site and the erection of buildings therefor and the government thereof,'" approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Introduced, 179, reported, 295, second reading, 366, amendment, 367, 443, second reading, 443, third reading, 443

Assembly Bill No 231, entitled "An act for the protection of laborers and mechanics engaged in the construction of buildings,"

Introduced, 179, reported, 252, second reading, 273, recommitted, 392, reported, 405, 412, second reading, 431, third reading, 607

Assembly Bill No 232, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the formation, establishment and government of towns,'" approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Introduced, 180, reported, 296, second reading, 396, third reading, 527, returned from Senate, 795

Assembly Bill No 233, 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,

Introduced, 180, reported, —, second reading, 707, amended, 885, third reading, 885, to reconsider, 945

Assembly Bill No 234, entitled "An act to enable adjoining towns, townships and boroughs to form a city government,"

Introduced, 180, reported 295, second reading, 368, third reading, 439

Assembly Bill No 235, 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,

Introduced, 180, reported, 254, second reading, 274, third reading, 396

Assembly Bill No 236, entitled "An act for the better publication of the annual financial statement of towns, boroughs and townships,"

Introduced, 180, reported, 353, second reading, 539, third reading, 661, returned from Senate, amended, 904, concurred in, 917

Assembly Bill No 237, entitled "An act in relation to the salaries of town clerk, collector of taxes and assessor in towns of this State,"

Introduced, 181, reported, 410, second reading, 429, third reading, 607

Assembly Bill No 238, entitled "An act to remove police departments in the townships of this State from political control, and to regulate the tenure and terms of office of the officers and men employed in such departments,"

Introduced, 181, reported, 343, second reading, 403, third reading, 689, returned from Senate, 1106

Assembly Bill No 239, entitled "An act to regulate the keeping of employment agencies in this State,"

Introduced, 181, reported, 294, second reading, 365, amendment, 365, third reading, 528, returned from Senate, 1106

Assembly Bill No 240, 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,

Introduced, 181, reported, 459, second reading, 495, third reading, 647

Assembly Bill No 241, 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 March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

Introduced, 181, reported, 561, amended and second reading, 597, third reading, 763

Assembly Bill No 242, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act for the preservation of sheep (Revision)," approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,' " which further supplement was approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,

Introduced, 182, reported, 585, second reading, 644, third reading, 877

Assembly Bill No 243, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,' " approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Introduced, 182, reported, 912

Assembly Bill No 244, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning paid fire departments in certain municipalities of this State, and for the relief of members thereof, their widows, dependent parents and children,' " approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Introduced, 184, reported, 253, second reading, 274, recommitted, 502, 503, withdrawn, 546

Assembly Bill No 245, entitled "An act providing for the reimprovement of any street, avenue, road or highway, or the portion of such street, avenue, road or highway, lying in part only in one town, which has been heretofore improved and for which improvement assessments for benefits have been heretofore levied and imposed, and for the issue of bonds to pay for said improvement,"

Introduced, 200, reported, 251, second reading, 272, put back and recommitted, 506, 507, reported, 635, withdrawn, 736

Assembly Bill No 246, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessments and water rates, or water rents in cities of this State, and imposing and levying a tax, assessment and lien in lieu of and instead of such arrearages, and to enforce the payment thereof, and to provide for the sale of lands subject to future taxation and assessment,'" approved March thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

Introduced, 200

Assembly Bill No 247, entitled "An act relative to the salaries and compensation of members of the common council or other governing body in cities of the second class,"

Introduced, 200

Assembly Bill No 248, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating the granting by municipalities of consent to the use of streets, avenues, parks, parkways and other public places,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Introduced, 201, reported, 405, second reading, 430

Assembly Bill No 249, entitled "An act to change the name of Sarah Ann Backus,"

Introduced, 201, reported, 351, second reading, 472, third reading, 666, returned from Senate, 905, recalled from Governor, 1031, vetoed, 1103

Assembly Bill No 250, entitled "An act to change the name of Burtiss Davison Backus,"

Introduced, 201, reported, 352, second reading, 473, third reading, 667, returned from Senate, 905, recalled from Governor, 1031, vetoed, 1103

Assembly Bill No 251, entitled "An act in relation to the price to be charged for electric current,"

Introduced, 201

Assembly Bill No 252 entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the government and regulation of the State prison,'" passed April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Introduced, 201, reported, 351, second reading, 472, third reading, 718

Assembly Bill No 253, entitled "An act to provide for the compensation of attorneys and counselors-at-law and to provide a lien for such compensation and the method of fixing and enforcing the same,"

Introduced, 202, reported, 351, second reading, 539, third reading, 896

Assembly Bill No 254, entitled "An act to grant to the people of counties, or of towns, townships, boroughs, villages, cities and other municipalities, or wards therein, the power by popular vote to allow or refuse to allow the sale of intoxicating liquors in counties, or in towns, townships, boroughs, villages, cities and other municipalities or wards therein,"

Introduced, 202, reported, 655, amended and second reading, 713, 714, third reading, 841, 842

Assembly Bill No 255, entitled 'An act to empower municipalities to establish and maintain plants for the treatment, disposal or rendering of sewage,"
Introduced, 202, reported, 220, second reading, 220, third reading, 270, returned from Senate with amendment, 904, concurred in, 917, 1052, 1149, veto, 1210, action on veto, 1232

Assembly Bill No 256 entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act concerning the taxation of corporate property and providing for certain exemptions therefrom,'" approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,
Introduced, 202

Assembly Bill No 257, entitled "An act to provide for the distribution by the State of certain publications to the free public libraries of this State,"
Introduced, 203, reported, 321, second reading, 708, third reading, 928, returned from Senate, 1128

Assembly Bill No 258, entitled "An act to prevent the purchase or sale of tickets of admission to theaters or other places of amusement for the purpose of resale,"
Introduced, 203, reported, 321, second reading, 539, third reading, 691

Assembly Bill No 259, entitled "An act making an appropriation for plans and estimates of cost for the improvement of Manasquan Inlet,"
Introduced, 203, reported, 320, second reading, 402, third reading, 526, returned from Senate, 795

Assembly Bill No 260, entitled "An act to abolish all present and future estates by courtesy,"
Introduced, 203

Assembly Bill No 261, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'"
Introduced, 203, reported, 1105

Assembly Bill No 262, entitled "An act relating to the abolishment and elimination of all grade crossings of streets and highways over all the railroads in the State,"
Introduced, 222, reported, 411, second reading, 474, third reading, 813

Assembly Bill No 263, entitled "An act concerning the appointment of receivers for railroads by the Court of Chancery of New Jersey,"
Introduced, 223, withdrawn, 261

Assembly Bill No 264, entitled "An act to compel all railroads in this State to make switching connections with private sidings,"
Introduced, 223, withdrawn, 261

Assembly Bill No 265, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act concerning cities of the first class in this State constituting municipal boards of excise commissioners therein and defining the powers and duties of such boards, and relating to the municipal affairs and departments of such cities placed under the direct control and management of such boards, and providing for the maintenance of the same,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,
Introduced, 223, reported, 348

Assembly Bill No 266, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to enable cities to purchase land, erect buildings thereon and equip the same for fire department purposes,'" approved April seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Introduced, 223, reported, 312, second reading, 432, third reading, 608, returned from Senate, 908

Assembly Bill No 267, entitled "An act to provide meeting places, necessary supplies and to defray the expenses of the boards of taxation in counties of this State,"

Introduced, 224, reported, 451, second reading, 493, third reading, 648, returned from Senate, 905

Assembly Bill No 268, entitled "An act relating to liability of persons doing business in this State to their employes,"

Introduced, 224, reported, 588, second reading, 659, final reading, 929

Assembly Bill No 269, entitled "An act to authorize cities of the first class in this State to buy lands for and to equip and build city stables, and to provide the funds therefor,"

Introduced, 224, reported, 312, second reading, 397, third reading, 505, returned from Senate, 1106

Assembly Bill No 270, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Verona, in the county of Essex,"

Introduced, 224, reported, 352, second reading, 436, withdrawn, 510

Assembly Bill No 271, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of speedways in the counties of this State,'" approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Introduced, 224, reported, 562, second reading, 847, third reading, 940, to reconsider, 973

Assembly Bill No 272, entitled "An act to further amend section one of chapter one hundred and twenty-five of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, entitled 'An act to authorize towns to renew matured bonds,'" approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, as the same was amended by chapter two of the laws of one thousand nine hundred,

Introduced, 224, reported, 556, second reading, 593, third reading, 879, returned from Senate, 1153, veto, 1211, action on veto, 1231

Assembly Bill No 273, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the formation, establishment and government of towns,'" approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Introduced, 225, reported, 352, second reading, 473, third reading, 669, returned from Senate, 1098

Assembly Bill No 274, entitled "An act to provide for the recovery of damages in cases where the death of a person is caused by wrongful act, neglect or default" (Revision of 1907),

Introduced, 225, withdrawn, 339

Assembly Bill No 275, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employes and operatives 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," which supplement was approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Introduced, 225, reported, 312, second reading, 505, third reading, 610

Assembly Bill No 276, entitled "An act to regulate the election of directors in certain companies,"

Introduced, 226

Assembly Bill No 277, entitled "An act to prohibit sales of merchandise in bulk in fraud of creditors,"

Introduced, 226, reported, 351, second reading, 472, third reading, 670, returned from Senate, 1127

Assembly Bill No 278, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled '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-third, one thousand nine hundred (Pamph L 1900, p 324),

Introduced, 226, reported, 313, second reading, 397, third reading, 688, returned from Senate, 1098, veto, 1211, action on veto, 1231

Assembly Bill No 279, entitled "An act to prevent trespassing and the destruction of notice to trespassers, and providing a penalty therefor,"

Introduced, 226

Assembly Bill No 280, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to enable incorporated towns to construct water works for the extinguishment of fires and supply the inhabitants thereof with pure and wholesome water,'" approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four (Gen Stat, p 3559),

Introduced, 226, reported, 313, second reading, 540, third reading, 798, returned from Senate, 1106

Assembly Bill No 281, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish in this State boards of health and a bureau of vital statistics and to define their respective powers and duties,'" approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven (Pamph L 1887, p 80),

Introduced, 227

Assembly Bill No 282, entitled "An act to prohibit the use of the automatic shot gun in hunting birds or animals,"

Introduced, 227

Assembly Bill No 283, entitled "An act to prohibit the use of the automatic shot gun, pump gun or repeating gun in hunting birds and animals,"

Introduced, 227

Assembly Bill No 284, entitled "An act concerning negligence of employer,"

Introduced, 227, reported, 588, second reading, 660

Assembly Bill No 285, entitled "An act concerning prosecutors of the pleas and their assistants,"

Introduced, 227

Assembly Bill No 286, entitled "An act to provide for the free distribution of diphtheria antitoxin to the inhabitants of this State,"

Introduced, 228, reported, 412, second reading, 475, third reading, 716

Assembly Bill No 287, entitled "An act regulating the employment of children in mercantile establishments,"

Introduced, 228, reported, 351, second reading, 540, third reading, 757

Assembly Bill No 288, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Introduced, 257, withdrawn, 280

Assembly Bill No 289, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the use of power vessels and boats navigating the waters within the jurisdiction of this State above tide water and to provide for the inspection and licensing of power vessels, their masters, pilots and engineers,'" approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Introduced, 257, reported, 406, second reading, 540, third reading, 692, returned from Senate, 1098

Assembly Bill No 290, entitled "An act concerning the admittance of children under the age of fourteen to dance houses, concert saloons, museums, skating rinks, places wherein theatrical performances are being presented by paid performers, or places of entertainment that may be injurious to their health or morals,"

Introduced, 257, reported, 351, second reading, 472, third reading, 664, returned from Senate, 905, veto, 1212, action on veto, 1230

Assembly Bill No 291, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Introduced, 257, reported, 312, second reading, 535, third reading, 803, returned from Senate, amended, 1132, concurrence, 1168

Assembly Bill No 292, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the planting and care of shade trees on the highways of the municipalities of this State,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three,

Introduced, 257 reported, 311, second reading, 396, third reading, 612, returned from Senate, 1098

Assembly Bill No 293, entitled "An act to change the name of Joseph Klausmann,"

Introduced, 258, reported, 351, second reading, 472, third reading, 670

Assembly Bill No 294, entitled "An act authorizing boroughs to issue bonds to redeem improvement certificates issued for the payment of the cost of public improvements,"

Introduced, 258, reported, 353, second reading, 474, third reading, 671, returned from Senate, 1040, veto, 1214, action on veto, 1230

Assembly Bill No 295, entitled "An act to set off territory from the borough of Mountainside, in the county of Union, and annex the same to the town of Westfield, in said county,"

Introduced, 258, reported, 516, second reading, 535, third reading, 1000, returned from Senate, 1153

Assembly Bill No 296, entitled "An act making appropriation for the purpose of improving the building and preserving the records of the Surveyor-General's office of the western division of this State,"

Introduced, 258, reported, 314, recommitted, 400

Assembly Bill No 297, entitled "A bill giving to the voters a power of direct legislation in municipal government,"

Introduced, 258, reported, 517, second reading, 782, third reading, 1088

Assembly Bill No 298, entitled "A bill giving to the electors an advisory vote in proposing legislation,"

Introduced, 259, reported, 590, second reading, 830, 831, third reading, 1090

Assembly Bill No 299, entitled "A bill giving to the voters a veto power over the acts of their representatives in municipal governments,"

Introduced, 259, reported, 517, second reading, 782

Assembly Bill No 300, entitled "A bill for the establishment of an optional referendum system whereby the electors of the State may register their opinion upon the acts of their legislative agents,"

Introduced, 259, reported, 590, amended and second reading, 782

Assembly Bill No 301, entitled "An act to authorize the return of money paid as fines in certain cases,"

Introduced, 259, reported, 353, second reading, 474, third reading, 672, returned from Senate, 1098

Assembly Bill No 302, entitled "An act concerning rewards,"

Introduced, 259, reported, 585, second reading, 644, third reading, 759

Assembly Bill No 303, entitled "An act establishing the standard of measurement for the sale of milk, skimmed milk or cream, and providing penalties for violations thereof,"

Introduced, 260, reported, 429, second reading, 475, put back and recommitted, 592, reported, 632, second reading, 708, amended, 839, second reading, 839, third reading, 839, returned from Senate, 1040

Assembly Bill No 304, entitled "An act to provide for the election of a mayor in incorporated towns of this State, and to regulate his duties and term of office,"

Introduced, 260, reported, 296, second reading, 378, third reading, 438, returned from Senate, amended, 1013

Assembly Bill No 305 entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1898),'" approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,

Introduced, 260, reported, 586, second reading, 645, withdrawn, 736

Assembly Bill No 306, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Introduced, 260, reported, 353, second reading, 476, put back, 672

Assembly Bill No 307, entitled "An act concerning the overseer of the poor and assistant to the overseer of the poor in cities of the first class,"

Introduced, 260, reported, 343, second reading, 402, 419, third reading, 506, returned from Senate, 906, veto, 1214, action on veto, 1230

Assembly Bill No 308, entitled "A further supplement to 'An act to regulate fees,'" approved April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Introduced, 261, reported, 343, second reading, 402, third reading, 510, 511, returned from Senate, 905

Assembly Bill No 309 entitled "An act to authorize cities of the first class to contract to supply water to persons, companies of corporations outside of its territorial limits,"

Introduced, 261, reported, 313, recommitted, 385, withdrawn, 592

Assembly Bill No 310, entitled "An act to enable any municipality of this State to grant permission to any duly incorporated ferry company to use the foot of any public street or streets ending on the tidal waters of this State as a terminal for a public ferry,"

Introduced, 261, second reading, 419, put back, 608, second reading, 737, third reading, 992

Assembly Bill No 311, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of South Plainfield, in the county of Middlesex,"

Introduced, 262, reported 404

Assembly Bill No 312, entitled "A general act to regulate rates and charges for water and water service made by corporations other than municipal corporations, or municipalities owning or operating any water plant, vending water or furnishing water service, and establishing certain maximum rates and charges therefor,"

Introduced, 262

Assembly Bill No 313, entitled "A supplement to 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 provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession (Revision of 1903)," approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three, approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and four,'" which amendatory act was approved June nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six (Pamph L 1906, ch 317, p 699),

Introduced, 263, reported, 545, second reading, 579, third reading, 683

Assembly Bill No 314, entitled "An act to compel all railroads in this State to make switching connections with private sidings,"

Introduced, 263, reported, 409, second reading, 421, third reading, 621

Assembly Bill No 315, entitled "An act concerning the appointment of receivers for railroads by the Court of Chancery of New Jersey,"

Introduced, 263, reported, 409, second reading, 421; third reading, 622

Assembly Bill No 316, 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,

Introduced, 263, reported, 320, second reading, 402, put back, 670, second reading, 674, 675, put back, 750, 841, amended and second reading, 843, 844, third reading, 1026

Assembly Bill No 317, entitled "A general act concerning rates and charges for the transportation of passengers over and on the railroads of and within this State and establishing certain maximum rates and charges for such transportation,"

Introduced, 264, reported, 404

Assembly Bill No 318, entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1896),'" approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,

Introduced, 264, reported, 458, second reading, 494; put back and amended, 649, second reading, 650

Assembly Bill No 319, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to informations in the nature of a quo warranto (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Introduced, 302, reported, 308, second reading, 578, third reading, 811, House resolution, 1269, 1354

Assembly Bill No 320, 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,

Introduced, 302

Assembly Bill No 321, entitled "An act concerning a proposed amendment to the constitution relating to the judiciary, adapting thereto the structure and practice of the courts which amendment has been agreed to by a majority of the members elected to the Senate and House of Assembly at the election held in one thousand nine hundred and six,"

Introduced, 303, second reading, 418, recommitted, 461

Assembly Bill No 322, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'Supplement to the act entitled "A general act relative to boroughs (Revision of 1897),"'" approved April nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Introduced 303, reported, 516, second reading, 579, third reading, 684, returned from Senate, 1098, veto, 1215, action on veto, 1230

Assembly Bill No 323, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to improve the conditions of tenement-houses of this State and to establish a State board of tenement-house supervision,'" approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and four (P L, p 96),

Introduced, 303, reported, 412, second reading, 475; third reading, 716, reconsidered, 768, 769, reported, 906, second reading, 976, third reading, 1167

Assembly Bill No 324, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to facilitate the acquirement of land and the erection of buildings for county purposes,'" approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and one,
Introduced, 303, reported, 387, second reading, 418, recommitted, 478, reported, 654, second reading, 737, third reading, 880

Assembly Bill No 325, entitled "An act permitting certain boards of education to convey school houses and lands to the boroughs or other municipalities in which they are situated,"
Introduced, 304, reported, 516, second reading, 579; third reading, 685, returned from Senate, 1106

Assembly Bill No 326, entitled "An act concerning the payment of wages to employes by persons, firms or corporations in this State,"
Introduced, 304

Assembly Bill No 327, entitled "An act to provide for admission of attorneys-at-law, residents of this State, to practice as counsellors-at-law in the courts of this State,"
Introduced, 304, reported, 436, second reading, 476, third reading, 672, reconsidered, 690, third reading, 693

Assembly Bill No 328, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the incorporated cities, towns, townships and boroughs of this State to fund their floated indebtedness and their matured and maturing bonds," approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,'" and which amendment was approved February eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and one,
Introduced, 304, reported, 410, second reading, 430, third reading, 682, returned from Senate, 1037, 1099

Assembly Bill No 329, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the appointment, term of office and salary of assessors in certain cities in this State, and prescribing their duties,'" approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and five,
Introduced, 304, reported, 517, second reading, 535, third reading, 764

Assembly Bill No 330, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act for the incorporation of cities, and providing for their officers, government and powers," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,'" approved June twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and six,
Introduced, 305, reported, 349, second reading, 470, third reading, 673, returned from Senate, 1107

Assembly Bill No 331, entitled "An act to abolish amendatory appropriations and taxes in cities of the second class, and to regulate the appropriations of money and the levy of taxes therein,"
Introduced, 305, reported, 387

Assembly Bill No 332, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,
Introduced, 305, reported, 810, second reading, third reading, 864, recalled, 972, 985

Assembly Bill No 333, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize incorporated towns or townships to construct sewers, drains and sewerage disposal plant or plants, and to provide for the cost thereof,' " approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and five, constituting chapter seventy-seven of the session laws of one thousand nine hundred and five,

Introduced, 305, reported, 349, second reading, 540, third reading, 667, returned from Senate, 1099

Assembly Bill No 334, entitled "A supplement to the act entitled 'An act to authorize towns and townships to construct sewers, drains and sewerage disposal plant or plants, and to provide for the cost, maintenance and operation thereof,' the original act, before amendment, constituted chapter seventy-seven of the session laws of one thousand nine hundred and five, and was entitled 'An act to authorize towns and townships to construct sewers, drains and sewerage disposal plant or plants, and to provide for the cost thereof,' "

Introduced, 306, reported, 350, amended and second reading, 831, 832, 833, third reading, 952, returned from Senate, 1117

Assembly Bill No 335, entitled "An act to authorize the erection of a monument on the battlefield of Bloody Angle Court House, in the county of Spottsylvania, in the State of Virginia, and a tablet on the battlefield of Salem Church, in the county of Spottsylvania, in the State of Virginia, to commemorate the services of the Fifteenth Regiment New Jersey Volunteer Infantry in the battles of Bloody Angle Court House and Salem Church, both in the county of Spottsylvania, and other engagements of the Civil War, and to appropriate money to pay the cost of the erection and dedication of the same,"

Introduced, 306

Assembly Bill No 336, 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,

Introduced, 306, reported, 406, second reading, 431, third reading, 604, returned from Senate, 905

Assembly Bill No 337, entitled "An act providing for the reimprovement of any street, avenue, road or highway, or the portion of such street, avenue, road or highway, lying in part only in one town, township or borough, which has heretofore been improved, and for which improvement assessments for benefits have been heretofore levied and imposed, and for the issue of bonds to pay for said reimprovement,"

Introduced, 307, reported, 349, second reading, 471, third reading, 650, returned from Senate, 908, recalled, 972, 985, reconsidered, 1020, amended, 1021, third reading, 1021, returned from Senate, amended, 1108, concurred in, 1110

Assembly Bill No 338, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to prevent the adulteration of food or drugs,' " approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one (Pamph L 1881, p 283),

Introduced, 307, reported, 817, second reading, 833

Assembly Bill No 339, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,' " approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Introduced, 307

Assembly Bill No 340, entitled "An act concerning the making and collecting of assessments for benefits conferred by the construction of sewers,"
Introduced, 307, reported, 437, second reading, 476, third reading, 690, returned from Senate, 908

Assembly Bill No 341, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the better regulation and control of the taking, planting and cultivating of oysters on lands lying under the tidal waters of the Delaware bay and Maurice river cove, in the State of New Jersey," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,' which supplemental act was approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and five, and which supplement thereto was approved May twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and five, and extending the provisions of said supplemental act, and extending the provisions of said original act, to certain lands under the tidal waters in Raritan bay, in the State of New Jersey, to wit lands comprehended by the following lines Beginning at the watch-house at Canaskonk point, on the shore of Raritan bay, thence, in a straight line to the government buoy, known as East Point Buoy, thence, on a true course west southwest, to the point where said course intersects a line drawn on a course due north from Cliffwood point, thence, on a true course south, to Cliffwood point, thence along the shore line to the place of beginning,"
Introduced, 307, reported, 460, second reading, 496, third reading, 614, returned from Senate, 1107

Assembly Bill No 342, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of goods, wares and merchandise in the several municipalities of this State,'" approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six (P L 1906, p 201),
Introduced, 317, reported, 350, second reading, 812, third reading, 1003

Assembly Bill No 343, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of goods, wares and merchandise in the several municipalities of this State,'" approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six (P L 1906, p 199),
Introduced, 317, reported, 351, second reading, 812, 813, third reading, 1004

Assembly Bill No 344, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the erection of a monument on the battlefield of Monocacy, in the State of Maryland, to commemorate the services of the Fourteenth Regiment, New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, in the battle of Monocacy and thirty other engagements of the Civil War, and to appropriate money to pay the expense of erecting the same,'" approved April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and six,
Introduced, 317, reported, 348, second reading, 708, third reading, 863, received from Senate, 964

Assembly Bill No 345, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act authorizing the sale of land granted or devised to religious associations, or to corporations formed or existing for the purpose of education, or to officers or trustees of such corporations in certain cases,'" approved April seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and five,
Introduced, 317, reported, 407, second reading, 432, third reading, 609, returned from Senate, 1153

Assembly Bill No 346, entitled "An act to provide for a commissioner of buildings in each of the cities of the first class in this State, defining his duties and powers, and relating to the municipal affairs of such cities placed under the management of such commissioner,"

Introduced, 318, reported, 349, second reading, 834

Assembly Bill No 347, entitled "An act to authorize the construction and establishment of public docks and the shipping facilities connected therewith, and the purchasing and acquiring of riparian lands and rights of other lands and rights in land necessary therefor or incident thereto, and for the regulation of the same in cities fronting on navigable waters of this State,"

Introduced, 318, reported, 406, second reading, 431, third reading, 507, returned from Senate, amended, 1091, concurred in, 1094, veto, 1216, action on veto, 1229

Assembly Bill No 348, entitled "An act to permit real estate belonging to any city of the first class, a portion of all of which is not required for the purposes for which it was acquired, to be used for a hospital for persons suffering from tuberculosis, and to provide for the maintenance and supervision of said hospital,"

Introduced, 318, reported, 349, second reading, 471, put back, 522, recommitted, 523, reported, 931, amended and second reading, 981, third reading, 981, returned from Senate, 1128

Assembly Bill No 349, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to the time of election and appointment and terms of office or officers elected or appointed in towns, townships, boroughs and other municipalities in this State,'" approved February fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Introduced, 318, reported, 352, second reading, 473, third reading, 662, returned from Senate, 1099

Assembly Bill No 350, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to incorporate trustees of religious societies,'" approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Introduced, 319, reported, 386, second reading, 708, third reading, 854, returned from Senate, 1099

Assembly Bill No 351 entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Port Norris, in the county of Cumberland,"

Introduced, 319, reported, 931, second reading, 1166, recommitted, 1167

Assembly Bill No 352, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning superintendents of indoor relief in cities of this State,'" approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Introduced, 319, reported, 405, second reading, 430, put back, 510, amended and second reading, 598, put back, 762, amended and second reading, 838, third reading, 989

Assembly Bill No 353, entitled "An act to create county sinking fund commissions and defining their powers,"

Introduced, 319

Assembly Bill No 354, entitled "An act regulating the construction and maintenance of hospitals, sanatoriums or other buildings designed for the care entertainment, board, maintenance, treatment or cure of any person or persons afflicted with the disease known as pulmonary tuberculosis, or any infectious, contagious or communicable disease,"

Introduced, 337, reported, 405, second reading, 432, third reading, 609, returned from Senate, amended, 1108, concurred in, 1113

Assembly Bill No 355, entitled "An act to authorize the city council or other governing body of any city in this State bordering on an arm of the sea or other navigable stream, or through which a navigable stream shall run, to purchase or condemn lands thereon, or to use and devote such lands already acquired on such arm of the sea or other navigable stream for the purpose of erecting, constructing and maintaining one or more public docks, wharves or piers, to be used in whole or in part for recreation purposes, to issue bonds for the purpose of securing money to pay for the lands purchased and for the construction of said docks, wharves or piers,"

Introduced, 338, reported, 349, second reading, 397, put back, 651, amended and second reading, 735, third reading, 880, 881, returned from Senate, 1015, concurred in, 1022

Assembly Bill No 356, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Introduced, 338

Assembly Bill No 357, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of courts of law (Revision of 1903),'"

Introduced, 338, reported, 546, second reading, 593, third reading, 764

Assembly Bill No 358, entitled "An act relating to appropriations in certain municipalities and unexpended balances thereof,"

Introduced, 338, reported, 350, second reading, 476, put back, 689, second reading, 737, put back, 738, second reading, 838, amended, 843, third reading, 1086, returned from Senate, 1152

Assembly Bill No 359, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Introduced, 339

Assembly Bill No 360, entitled "An act to enable the citizens in municipalities permitted by law to construct, purchase or otherwise acquire certain public utilities, to move or direct the municipal governing board of any such municipalities to hold elections for the purpose of submitting to the voters of such municipalities the question of the construction, purchase or otherwise acquiring of any such public utilities,"

Introduced, 339

Assembly Bill No 361, entitled 'An act to provide for the recovery of damages in cases where the death of a person is caused by wrongful act, neglect or default (Revision of 1907),"

Introduced, 339, reported, 404, second reading, 419, put back, reported, 588, amended and second reading, 919

Assembly Bill No 362, 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,"

Introduced, 356, reported, 457, second reading, 494, third reading, 665, returned from Senate, 905, vetoed, 947

Assembly Bill No 363, entitled, "An act to authorize cities of this State through which any river, stream or creek runs, and into which the sewage of any city empties, to build and construct intercepting sewers to receive all such sewage to be disposed of in such manner as shall be deemed proper, and to provide for the alteration of a general system of sewerage and drainage in cities, and to cleanse and otherwise improve such rivers, streams or creeks and to issue bonds to meet the expense of such work,"

Introduced, 356, reported, 489, second reading, 497, put back, 523, amended, 641, 642, second reading, 642, put back, 652, amended and second reading, 709, third reading, 881, recalled, 954, 965, received from Senate, 959, returned from Senate, 1015, concurred in, 1022

Assembly Bill No 364, entitled "An act to enable cities to widen, deepen and improve the streams, creeks or rivers which are the outlets of the natural drainage or storm or surface water therein, and to erect retaining walls on the banks of the same, and to condemn lands along such streams, creeks or rivers necessary to carry into effect the provisions of this act, and to issue bonds for the cost of such improvement,"

Introduced, 356, reported, 489, second reading, 497, put back, 523, amended, 642, second reading, 643, put back, 652, amended and second reading, 709, third reading, 882, recalled, 954, 965, received from Senate, 959, returned from Senate, 1015

Assembly Bill No 365, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,'" which act was approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Introduced, 357, reported, 560, amended, 595, second reading, 596, third reading, 933, 934, returned from Senate, 1117, concurred in, 1022

Assembly Bill No 366, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to the poor of the townships of Ridgefield, Englewood and Palisades, in the county of Bergen,'" approved March sixth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three,

Introduced, 357, reported, 586, second reading, 644, third reading, 761, returned from Senate, 1040

Assembly Bill No 367, entitled "An act to regulate charges for the transportation of passengers by street railways or other corporations, their lessees or successors, and establish certain maximum rates and charges for such transportation,"

Introduced, 357

Assembly Bill No 368, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1896),' and the acts amendatory thereof and the supplements thereto,"

Introduced, 357, reported, 729

Assembly Bill No 369, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Introduced, 358, reported, 556, second reading, 593

Assembly Bill No 370, entitled "An act providing for the reimprovement of any street, avenue, road or highway, or the portion of such street, avenue, road or highway, in any city, which has been heretofore improved, and for which improvement assessments for benefits have been heretofore levied and imposed, and for the issue of bonds to pay for said improvements,"

Introduced, 358, reported, 490, second reading, 498, third reading, 694, returned from Senate, 1127

Assembly Bill No 371, entitled "An act to provide for the election of alderman, common councilman or councilman-at-large, in cities of the second class in this State, and to regulate his duties, salary and term of office,"

Introduced, 358, reported, 490

Assembly Bill No 372, entitled "An act to provide for the protection of improved streets in cities of this State, to authorize cities to require water, sewer and gas connections to be made before the improvement of any street, and empowering such city to make water, sewer and gas connections, and the cost thereof lien upon lands,"

Introduced, 358, reported, 490, second reading, 498, third reading, 694, returned from Senate, 1127

Assembly Bill No 373, entitled "An act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning roads (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four," which further supplement was approved March twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one,'"

Introduced, 359, reported, 490, second reading, 498, third reading, 615

Assembly Bill No 374, entitled "An act to aid by an appropriation of State funds the erection and dedication of a monument to commemorate the services rendered by Abraham Clark, one of the New Jersey signers of the declaration of independence,"

Introduced, 359, reported, 413, second reading, 710, third reading, 984, returned from Senate, 1154, veto, 1217, action on veto, 1229

Assembly Bill No 375, entitled "An act explanatory of certain words contained in an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to remove the fire and police departments of the cities of this State from political control," approved May second, one thousand eight hundred and eighty five,' and to provide for the establishment, management and distribution of a police pension or retiring fund," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Introduced, 359, reported, 550, second reading, 579, third reading, 684, returned from Senate, 909

Assembly Bill No 376, entitled "An act to prohibit fishing through or under ice in any of the waters of this State,"

Introduced, 359, reported, 429, second reading, 475, third reading, 687, returned from Senate, 1153

Assembly Bill No 377, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to protect all citizens in their civil and legal rights,' " approved May tenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four,

Introduced, 360

Assembly Bill No 378, 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,

Introduced, 360, reported, 931, second reading, 977

Assembly Bill No 379, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to license graduate nurses in the State of New Jersey, and providing penalties for violations of its provisions,' " approved April seventh, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Introduced, 360, reported, 1045

Assembly Bill No 380, entitled "An act concerning the power of sale given by virtue of any will, and the execution thereof, and to validate any conveyance heretofore made by or under any such power,"

Introduced, 360

Assembly Bill No 381, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of assistant sergeant-at-arms for the several circuit courts in counties of the first class where more than one Circuit Court judge is sitting, and fixing the salary to be paid them,"

Introduced, 360

Assembly Bill No 382, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes (Revision of 1903),' " approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Introduced, 361, reported, 451, second reading, 493, third reading, 661, returned from Senate, 1107

Assembly Bill No 383, entitled "An act concerning the publication of legal and official notices and advertisements,"

Introduced, 361, reported, 379, second reading, 396, third reading, 439, reconsidered, 477, returned from Senate, 478, put back, 478, recommitted, 478, reported, 557, amended, 594, second reading, 594, third reading, 674, returned from Senate, 802

Assembly Bill No 384, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the appointment of probation officers and to define their duties and powers,' " approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Introduced, 361

Assembly Bill No 385, entitled "An act to authorize the erection of a tablet or monument on the battle ground of Chestnut Neck, in the State of New Jersey, and to provide money to pay the cost of the erection and dedication of the same,"

Introduced, 361, reported, 451, second reading, 493, 737, third reading, 859, returned from Senate, 1128, veto, 1217, action on veto, 1229

Assembly Bill No 386, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Introduced, 361, reported, 654, second reading, 710, third reading, 758, 934

Assembly Bill No 387, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction, and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898),"' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,'" which supplement was approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Introduced, 362

Assembly Bill No 388, entitled "Supplement to 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,

Introduced, 362, reported, 560, second reading, 596, withdrawn, 1000

Assembly Bill No 389, entitled "An act to provide for the protection of county roads and boulevards in this State,"

Introduced, 362

Assembly Bill No 390, entitled "An act to enable boards of chosen freeholders to accept roads or sections of roads in cities, towns, townships or boroughs, and to maintain the same as county roads,"

Introduced, 362, reported, 585, second reading, 673, third reading, 937, returned from Senate, amended, 1108, concurred in, 1114, veto, 1218, action on veto deferred, 1233

Assembly Bill No 391, entitled "An act to permit the retirement on pension from public office or position of certain honorably discharged soldiers, sailors and marines, who served in the Union army, war of the rebellion,"

Introduced, 362, reported, 702, second reading, 834, third reading, 1133

Assembly Bill No 392, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning evidence (Revision of 1900),'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Introduced, 363, reported, 561, second reading, 596, third reading, 765

Assembly Bill No 393, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning disorderly persons (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Introduced, 363, reported, 911, second reading, 977, third reading, 1021, returned from Senate, 1117, veto, 1219

Assembly Bill No 394, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating and brewed liquors,' passed March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,"'" approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,

Introduced, 363, reported, 911

Assembly Bill No 395, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, management and support thereof,'" approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Introduced, 363, reported, 701, second reading, 769, put back, 774, reported, 817, second reading, 834

Assembly Bill No 396, 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,

Introduced, 364, reported 550, second reading, 579, 644, third reading, 648, returned from Senate, 909

Assembly Bill No 397, entitled "An act for the licensing of firemen for the protection of life and property against loss or damage from the operation of stationary steam boilers by incompetent persons,"

Introduced, 387, reported, 560, second reading, 594, third reading, 935

Assembly Bill No 398, entitled "An act to regulate the salaries of policemen in cities of the first class,"

Introduced, 387, reported, 560, second reading, 646, put back, 852, amended, 883, 884, third reading, 884, substitute from Senate, 1040

Assembly Bill No 399, 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,

Introduced, 387, reported, 698, second reading, 710, 834, recommitted, 834

Assembly Bill No 400, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Introduced, 387, reported, 587, second reading, 645

Assembly Bill No 401, 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,

Introduced, 388, reported, 550, amended and second reading, 711, third reading, 991, returned from Senate, 1152

Assembly Bill No 402, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of a commission to revise the laws relating to fees and costs,"

Introduced, 388, reported, 556, second reading, 593, third reading, 796

Assembly Bill No 403, entitled "An act to provide funds to be used for the construction of subways for street cars in cities of the first class in this State,"

Introduced, 388, reported, 517

Assembly Bill No 404, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Introduced, 388, reported, 560, second reading, 594, third reading, 796, 797, withdrawn, 803

Assembly Bill No 405, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to an information in the nature of a quo warranto (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Introduced, 413, reported, 458, second reading, 494, third reading, 613, returned from Senate, 906, recalled, 991, 1096

Assembly Bill No 406, entitled "An act to annex to the borough of Wood Ridge, in the county of Bergen, a part or portion of the township of Lodi, in said county,"

Introduced, 413, reported, 771, withdrawn, 835

Assembly Bill No 407, 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,

Introduced, 413, reported, 457, second reading, 494, third reading, 615

Assembly Bill No 408, entitled "An act to authorize cities to provide for the payment for water works and appurtenances by issuing bonds containing the general obligation of the city, secured by mortgage upon said water works, appurtenances and revenues therefrom,"

Introduced, 414

Assembly Bill No 409, entitled "An act relative to the time of election and appointment and term of office of officers elected or appointed in cities, towns, townships, boroughs and other municipalities in this State,"

Introduced, 414, reported, 458, second reading, 578, put back, 805, amended and second reading, 806, third reading, 806, reconsidered, 807, put back, on second reading, 807, third reading, 811, House resolution, 1269, 1353

Assembly Bill No 410, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating and brewed liquors," passed March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,'" approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,

Introduced, 445, reported, 631, second reading, 749, third reading, 800, 801

Assembly Bill No 411, entitled "An act to amend '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 supplement was approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Introduced, 445, reported, 634, second reading, 783, third reading, 983, returned from Senate, 1117

Assembly Bill No 412, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish in this State boards of health and a bureau of vital statistics, and to define their respective powers and duties,'" approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven,

Introduced, 446

Assembly Bill No 413, entitled "An act to provide for the establishment of public playgrounds in cities of this State and for the maintenance, control and management thereof,"

Introduced, 446, reported, 459, second reading, 497, amended, 828, second reading, 828, 829, third reading, 1100, returned from Senate, 1152

Assembly Bill No 414, entitled "An act extending the jurisdiction of the Courts of Common Pleas,"

Introduced, 446

Assembly Bill No 415, entitled "An act extending the jurisdiction of the Circuit Courts of the State of New Jersey,"

Introduced, 446, reported, 865

Assembly Bill No 416, entitled "An act providing for the regulation and inspection of electrical wires, conduits and equipment erected and maintained in the public places of this State,"

Introduced, 462

Assembly Bill No 417, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the use of power vessels and boats navigating the waters within the jurisdiction of this State above tide water and to provide for the inspection and licensing of power vessels, their masters, pilots and engineers,'" approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Introduced, 462, reported, 654, second reading, 712, third reading, 935, returned from Senate, 1153

Assembly Bill No 418, entitled "An act concerning the enforcement of ordinances in incorporated towns,"

Introduced, 462, reported, 698, second reading, 712, third reading, 936, returned from Senate, 1100

Assembly Bill No 419, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize incorporated towns to construct, operate and maintain a system of sewers and drains and to provide for the payment of the costs of the construction, operation and maintenance thereof,'" approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Introduced, 463, reported, 698, second reading, 712, third reading, 1101

Assembly Bill No 420, 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,

Introduced, 463, reported, 653, second reading, 732, third reading, 936, returned from Senate, 1107

Assembly Bill No 421, entitled "An act to establish a school and to provide facilities and accommodations in the State prison,"

Introduced, 463, reported, 590, second reading, 660, third reading, 937, returned from Senate, 1153

Assembly Bill No 422, entitled "An act confirming the title to certain real estate of which James R Smith, late of county of Essex, in this State, died seized,"

Introduced, 463, reported, 561, second reading, 596, third reading, 814, returned from Senate, 1166

Assembly Bill No 423, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the ascertainment and payment of compensation for property condemned or taken for public use (Revision of 1900),'" approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred,

Introduced, 463

Assembly Bill No 424, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the fire departments in cities of the first class,'" approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Introduced, 464, reported, 516, third reading, 856, 857, returned from Senate, 1107, veto, 1220, action on veto, 1307

Assembly Bill No 425, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of architecture,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Introduced, 464, reported, 517

Assembly Bill No 426, 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,

Introduced, 464, reported, 817, second reading, 835

Assembly Bill No 427, entitled "An act to change the name of Samuel Smilovitz,"

Introduced, 464, reported, 586, second reading, 645, third reading, 988

Assembly Bill No 428, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1896),"' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,'" which supplemental act was approved May sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Introduced, 464, reported, 587, second reading, 646, put back, 731

Assembly Bill No 429, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),"' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,'" which supplementary act was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Introduced, 465, reported, 588, second reading, 646, put back, 730

Assembly Bill No 430, entitled "An act for the taxation of the franchises of all persons, co-partnerships, associations or corporations using or occupying public streets, highways, roads or other public places, except municipal, and corporations taxable under the act entitled 'An act for the taxation of railroad and canal property,'" approved April tenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, or any of the supplements or amendments thereto,

Introduced, 465, reported, 992, second reading, 1050

Assembly Bill No 431, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the examination of witnesses before legislative committees and providing for the punishment of witnesses refusing or neglecting to appear or give evidence before such committees,'" approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Introduced, 466, reported, 550, second reading, 579, third reading, 685

Assembly Bill No 432, 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,

Introduced, 487, reported, 587, second reading, 645, third reading, 762

Assembly Bill No 433, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Kenilworth, in the county of Union,"

Introduced, 491, reported, 698, second reading, 780, third reading, 852, 853, received from Senate, 964

Assembly Bill No 434, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize incorporated towns and townships to construct sewers, drains and a sewage disposal plant or plants and to provide for the payment and costs thereof,'" approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Introduced, 492, reported, 698, 702, second reading, 733, third reading, 953, returned from Senate, 1127

Assembly Bill No 435, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assesments and water rents or water rates in cities in this State, and imposing and levying a tax, assessment, and lien in lieu and instead of such arrearages, and to enforce the payment thereof, and to provide for the sale of lands subjected to future taxation and assessment,'" passed March thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

Introduced, 492, reported, 821, second reading, 848, final reading, 927

Assembly Bill No 436, entitled "An act concerning the appointment and term of office of the city counsel in cities of the second class in this State,"

Introduced, 492

Assembly Bill No 437, entitled "An act concerning the appointment of members of boards of excise commissioners in cities of this State,"

Introduced, 492

Assembly Bill No 438, entitled "An act to fix the annual salary of the mayors of certain cities in this State,"

Introduced, 492 reported, 933, second reading, 978, third reading, 1083, returned from Senate, 1152

Assembly Bill No 439, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to the supreme and circuit courts (Revision of 1900),'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Introduced, 493

Assembly Bill No 440, entitled "An act providing for the establishment of evening schools for foreign residents in the State of New Jersey,"

Introduced, 510, reported, 861, second reading, 920, recommitted, 1166

Assembly Bill No 441, entitled "An act respecting theatre and show licenses in municipalities of this State,"

Introduced, 510, reported, 585, second reading, 644, third reading, 874, returned from Senate, 1040, veto, 1220, action on veto, 1229

Assembly Bill No 442, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning paid fire departments in certain municipalities of this State, and for the relief of members thereof, their widows, dependent parents and children,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Introduced, 522, reported, 654, amended and second reading, 733, third reading, 888, returned from Senate, 1040

Assembly Bill No 443, entitled "An act to provide for the attendance of a part of the National Guard of New Jersey at the unveiling of a monument to the soldiers of the revolution, at Orange, in the county of Essex,"

Introduced, 522, reported, 678, second reading, 712, third reading, 853, returned from Senate, 1039, veto, 1221, action on veto, 1228

Assembly Bill No 444, entitled "An act fixing the salary of the State Librarian,"

Introduced, 544, reported, 653, second reading, 706, third reading, 853, returned from Senate, 959

Assembly Bill No 445, entitled "An act relating to the construction of filtration plants in connection with the public water-supply in certain cities of this State and providing means for the payment of the cost thereof,"

Introduced, 544, reported, 730, second reading, 781

Assembly Bill No 446, entitled "An act concerning the offices of register, surrogate and clerk of the Court of Common Pleas in the counties of this State,"

Introduced, 544, reported, 654, second reading, 733

Assembly Bill, No 447, entitled "An act to regulate the construction and use of dams in the waters of Paulins Kill, in the counties of Warren and Sussex,"

Introduced, 544, reported, 586, second reading, 645, third reading, 953, returned from Senate, 1127

Assembly Bill No 448, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections,'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Introduced, 544, reported, 588, second reading, 735

Assembly Bill No 449, entitled "An act to consolidate with and annex to the town of Montclair, in the county of Essex, the territory embraced within the township of Verona, in the county of Essex, provided a majority of the votes cast in said town and in said township upon said annexation and consolidation shall be in favor thereof, and to provide for the submission of the said question to the voters of said town and said township,"

Introduced, 563, reported, 634, second reading, 835, 979, third reading, 1085, returned from Senate, 1152, veto, 1221, action on veto, 1233

Assembly Bill No 450, entitled "An act concerning the appointment and term of police justices or police magistrates in certain cities of this State,"

Introduced, 564, reported, 637 second reading, 713, third reading, 854

Assembly Bill No 451, entitled "An act to set off territory from the township of Verona, in the county of Essex, and annex the same to the town of Montclair, in said county,"

Introduced, 564, reported, 634, second reading, 706, third reading, 798, returned from Senate, 906

Assembly Bill No 452, entitled "An act to amend 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Introduced, 564, reported, 634, second reading, 734, put back, amended and second reading, 768, third reading, 895

Assembly Bill No 453, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the planting and care of shade trees on the highways of the municipalities of this State,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three,

Introduced, 564, reported, 634, second reading, 734, withdrawn, 989, returned from Senate, 1153, veto, 1222, action on veto, 1228

Assembly Bill No 454, entitled "An act relating to deposits of moneys with public utilities corporations,"

Introduced, 564

Assembly Bill No 455, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act relating to the issuance, sale and delivery of stock and securities by corporations of this State which have acquired or may hereafter acquire authority, permission or a franchise from the State or any municipality thereof to use or occupy any street, highway, road, lane or public place within this State,'" approved August twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and six, and any supplement thereof,

Introduced, 565

Assembly Bill No 456, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting executions,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Introduced, 565, reported, 729, second reading, 781, third reading, 949

Assembly Bill No 457, entitled "A further supplement to the 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,

Introduced, 565, reported, 635, second reading, 828; third reading, 892, returned from Senate, 1040

Assembly Bill No 458, entitled "An act providing for the appointment of private secretaries by the mayors of second-class cities,"

Introduced, 565, reported, 654, second reading, 734, third reading, 855

Assembly Bill No 459, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting sewers and sewer connections in cities of this State,'" approved March twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,

Introduced, 565, reported, 771, second reading, 828, third reading, 892, returned from Senate, 1040

Assembly Bill No 460, entitled "An act amendatory of and supplementary to the act entitled 'An act relating to paving, flagging, maintaining, repairing and otherwise improving sidewalks in municipalities in this State,' approved May fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six, and to amend the title of such act,"

Introduced, 566, reported, 771, second reading, 828, third reading, 893, returned from Senate, 1040

Assembly Bill No 461, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning idiots and lunatics (Revision),"' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four," which supplement was approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Introduced, 566, reported, 634, second reading, 734, third reading, 950

Assembly Bill No 462, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning idiots and lunatics,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Introduced, 566, reported, 634, second reading, 734, withdrawn, 989

Assembly Bill No 463, entitled "A further supplement to 'An act to regulate fees,'" approved April thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Introduced, 566, reported, 654

Assembly Bill No 464, entitled "An act to amend chapter one hundred and thirteen of the session laws of one thousand nine hundred and six, 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, defining the amount of license and registration fees, describing and regulating process and the service thereof, and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations,'"

Introduced, 567, reported, 819, second reading, 920

Assembly Bill No 465, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Verona, in the county of Essex,"

Introduced, 629, reported, 677, second reading, 712, third reading, 797, returned from Senate, 1108

Assembly Bill No 466, entitled "Amendment to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'"

Introduced, 629, reported, 728, second reading, 781

Assembly Bill No 467, entitled "An act to annex to the township of River Vale, in the county of Bergen, a part or portion of the township of Hillsdale, in said county,"

Introduced, 629

Assembly Bill No 468, entitled "An act authorizing the conveyance of certain lands, now in the ownership of the State of New Jersey, to the city of Perth Amboy,"

Introduced, 629, reported, 729, second reading, 835; third reading, 1087, returned from Senate, 1128

Assembly Bill No 469, entitled "An act to regulate the practice of osteopathy in the State of New Jersey, and to provide for a State Board of Osteopathic Examiners, and to license osteopathic physicians to practice in this State, and punish persons violating the provisions of this act,"

Introduced, 629, reported, 844, 944, amended and second reading, 920, 921, reconsideration of amendment, 1030

Assembly Bill No 470, entitled "An act for the better protection of menhaden in the waters of the State, including the waters of the Atlantic ocean within the jurisdiction of the State, and to prevent the taking of them with nets,"

Introduced, 629, reported, 918, second reading, 1063

Assembly Bill No 471, entitled "An act for the better protection of food fish, and to prevent the capture of them with nets from the waters of the State and of the Atlantic ocean within the jurisdiction of this State,"

Introduced, 630, reported, 918

Assembly Bill No 472, entitled "An act to repeal section five of an act 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,'" which supplement was approved June second, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Introduced, 630

Assembly Bill No 473, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for and regulate appeals from any District Court in any city of the State to the Supreme Court,'" approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Introduced, 631

Assembly Bill No 474, 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,

Introduced, 631

Assembly Bill No 475, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Introduced, 637

Assembly Bill No 476, entitled "An act concerning the pay or salary of certain officers and other employes of paid fire departments in cities of the first class in this State,"

Introduced, 638, reported, 841, second reading, 866, third reading, 899, returned from Senate, 1039

Assembly Bill No 477, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of West Long Branch, in the county of Monmouth,"

Introduced, 638

Assembly Bill No 478, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of East Wood Ridge, in the county of Bergen,"

Introduced, 638, reported, 818, second reading, 836, third reading, 950

Assembly Bill No 479, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning townships (Revision),'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Introduced, 638 reported, 748, second reading, 781, third reading, 1087

Assembly Bill No 480, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting executions,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Introduced, 638, reported, 729, second reading, 781

Assembly Bill No 481, entitled "An act to establish a department for the supervision and inspection of electrical and gas equipment in cities of the first class in this State, to provide for the inspection of electrical and gas machines, meters and appliances, and for the appointment and duties of officers and inspectors therein, and for their compensation and terms of office,"

Introduced, 653, reported, 846, second reading, 922, put back, 1164

Assembly Bill No 482, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Introduced, 679, reported, 911

Assembly Bill No 483, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and materials in erecting any building (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Introduced, 679

Assembly Bill No 484, 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,

Introduced, 679

Assembly Bill No 485, entitled "An act to repeal certain sections of 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,

Introduced, 680

Assembly Bill No 486, entitled "An act to amend an act passed March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, and entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act for the government and regulation of the State prison,"'" passed April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Introduced, 696, reported, 840, second reading, 922, third reading, 1161

Assembly Bill No 487, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish an excise department in cities of this State,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Introduced, 696, reported, 840, second reading, 922

Assembly Bill No 488, entitled "An act concerning the retirement on pension from public office or position, after thirty-five years' continuous service therein, in counties of the first class, of a person who has attained the age of sixty-five years,"

Introduced, 697

Assembly Bill No 489, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a weather service in New Jersey and to provide for the appointment of a board of directors and president thereof, and appropriating money to pay the actual expense of the same," approved June nineteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,'" which supplement was approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two,

Introduced, 704, reported, 911

Assembly Bill No 490, entitled "An act to amend the act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),'" approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven

Introduced, 704, reported, 990, second reading, 1064

Assembly Bill No 491, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessments and water rates or water rents in cities of this State, and imposing and levying a tax, assessment and lien in lieu and instead of such arrearages, and to enforce the payment thereof, and to provide for the sale of lands subjected to further taxation and assessment,'" passed March thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

Introduced, 704, reported, 840, second reading, 922, third reading, 1164

Assembly Bill No 492, entitled "An act to provide for the payment of rewards to the widows and minor children of persons killed in the assisting of the police in municipalities,"

Introduced, 705, reported, 911, second reading, 978, third reading, 1168

Assembly Bill No 493 entitled "An act to authorize cities to issue bonds to obtain money to rebuild sewers,"

Introduced, 705, reported, 822, second reading, 922, third reading, 1169

Assembly Bill No 494, entitled "An act concerning the abolition of grade crossings in cities of the second class,"

Introduced, 705, reported, 846, second reading, 923

Assembly Bill No 495, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'An act relating to the court of common pleas (Revision of 1900),'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred, which act was amended by an act approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and two, and further amended by an act approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Introduced, 705, reported, 820, second reading, 836, third reading, 894, 895, returned from Senate, 1100

Assembly Bill No 496, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,'" which supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Introduced, 731, reported, 767

Assembly Bill No 497, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Introduced, 750, reported, 887, second reading, 923, third reading, 1084, House resolution, 1269, 1353

Assembly Bill No 498, entitled "An act authorizing the division of townships into water districts for the purpose of supplying water within such districts for fire purposes, and the election of water commissioners in said district,"

Introduced, 750, reported, 862, second reading, 923, third reading, 1136

Assembly Bill No 499, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Introduced, 750

Assembly Bill No 500, entitled, "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish public parks in certain counties of this State and to regulate the same,'" approved May sixth, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Introduced, 765, reported, 820, second reading, 923

Assembly Bill No 501, 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,

Introduced, 766, reported, 860, second reading, 923

Assembly Bill No 502, entitled "A supplement to the act entitled 'An act concerning evidence (Revision of 1900),'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Introduced, 766, reported, 844, second reading, 924, third reading, 1163

Assembly Bill No 503, entitled "An act to aid by appropriation of State funds for the opening of and the removal of obstructions in the Delaware river at a point immediately below the Pennsylvania Railroad Company's bridge, where the same crosses the Delaware, and extending from thence to a point opposite Lalor street, in the city of Trenton, and the preventing of ice gorging and flooding of portions of the city of Trenton,"

Introduced, 766

Assembly Bill No 504, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to electric light, heat and power companies,'" approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,

Introduced, 774

Assembly Bill No 505, entitled "An act to consolidate with and annex to the city of Newark, in the county of Essex, a part of the territory now embraced within the township of Belleville in the county of Essex, provided, a majority of the votes cast in said township upon the question of such annexation and consolidation shall be in favor thereof, and the mayor and common council of said city shall consent thereto,"

Introduced, 827, reported, 862, recommitted, 920, reported, 956, second reading, 976

Assembly Bill No 506, entitled "An act to incorporate as a borough, by the name of the borough of Fairfield, a portion of the township of Caldwell, in the county of Essex, provided, a majority of all votes cast by the qualified voters within said portion of the township of Caldwell, upon the question of such incorporation, shall be in favor thereof, and to provide for the submission of said question to the qualified voters of said portion of the township of Caldwell,"

Introduced, 847, reported, 969

Assembly Bill No 507, entitled "An act relative to the publication of the laws of this State in the newspapers,"

Introduced, 860

Assembly Bill No 508, entitled "An act to defray the incidental expenses of the Legislature of New Jersey for the session of one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Introduced, 948, reported, 956, recommitted, 1009, reported, 1036, second reading, 1035, 1063, third reading, 1095, returned from Senate, 1127

Assembly Bill No 509, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of medicine and surgery, to license physicians and surgeons and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,'" approved May twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,

Introduced, 985, reported, 1015, second reading, 1064

Assembly Bill No 510, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State water-supply commission, and to define its powers and duties, and the conditions under which the waters of this State may be diverted,' " approved June seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,

Introduced, 1296, reported, 1307, second reading, 1313, third reading, 1314 message to Senate, 1354; motion to recall from Senate, 1354, recalled, 1376

Assembly Bill No 511, entitled "An act to establish a public service commission and prescribe its powers and duties, and to provide for the regulation and control of certain public service corporations,"

Introduced, 1296, second reading, 1296, amended, 1331, third reading, 1335, reconsideration laid on table, 1335

Assembly Bill No 512, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide for the amicable adjustment of grievances and disputes that may arise between employers and employes, and to authorize the creation of a State board of arbitration, approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two,"' and to end the term of office of any person or persons appointed under this act," approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Introduced, 1297, reported, 1315, second reading, 1317, third reading, 1317

Assembly Bill No 513, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide for the amicable adjustment of grievances and disputes that may arise between employers and employes, and to authorize the creation of a State board of arbitrators,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, and the supplements thereto,

Introduced, 1297, reported, 1315, second reading, 1318, third reading, 1318

Assembly Bill No 514, entitled "An act to authorize the construction and establishment of public docks and the shipping facilities connected therewith, and the purchasing and acquiring of riparian lands and rights, and other lands and rights in lands, necessary therefor or incident thereto, and for the regulation of the same in cities fronting on navigable waters in this State,"

Introduced, 1298, second reading, 1298, third reading, 1298, returned from Senate, 1398

Assembly Bill No 515, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes,'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Introduced, 1299, second reading, 1299, third reading, 1299

Assembly Bill No 516, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seven,'" approved May twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Introduced, 1300, reported, 1322 second reading, 1323, third reading, 1324, returned from Senate, 1391

Assembly Bill No 517, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the appointment, term of office and salary of assessors in certain cities in this State and prescribing their duties,'" approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Introduced, 1300, reported, 1315, second reading, 1319, third reading, 1319

Assembly Bill No 518, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to secure the purity of foods, beverages, confectionery, condiments, drugs and medicines, and to prevent deception in the distribution and sales thereof (Revision of 1907),'" approved May twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,

Introduced, 1300, reported, 1315, second reading, 1320, third reading, 1320

Assembly Bill No 519, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable the boards of chosen freeholders of any of the several counties of this State to construct and reconstruct bridges over and across navigable rivers or streams therein, in certain cases, and providing for the regulation thereof,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two,

Introduced, 1300, reported, 1325, second reading, 1328, third reading, 1329

Assembly Bill No 520, entitled "An act relative to interest on municipal bonds,"

Introduced, 1301, reported, 1325, second reading, 1328, third reading, 1329

Assembly Bill No 521, 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 October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seven,'" approved May twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Introduced, 1301, second reading, 1301, third reading, 1301, returned amended from Senate, 1392, concurred in, 1395

Assembly Bill No 522, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'Supplement to the act entitled "A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),"' which supplement was approved April nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,"

Introduced, 1302, reported, 1314, second reading, 1316, third reading, 1316

Assembly Bill No 523, entitled "An act regulating the expenditures of State funds,"

Introduced, 1302, reported, 1322, second reading, 1324, third reading, 1324

Assembly Bill No 524, entitled "An act to amend chapter one hundred and thirteen of the session laws of one thousand nine hundred and six, 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, defining the amount of license and registration fees, describing 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 thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Introduced, 1302, second reading, 1303, third reading, 1303

Assembly Bill No 525, entitled "An act to annex to the town of Montclair, in the county of Essex, a part or portion of the townships of Acquackanonk and Little Falls, in the county of Passaic,"

Introduced, 1305, reported, 1316, second reading, 1321, third reading, 1321, returned from Senate, 1391

Assembly Bill No 526, entitled "An act to amend chapter one hundred and thirteen of the session laws of one thousand nine hundred and six, 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, defining the amount of license and registration fees, describing and regulating process and the service thereof, and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act, and penalties for said violations,'"

Introduced, 1306

Assembly Bill No 527, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to facilitate the acquirement of lands and the erection of buildings for county purposes,'" approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and one,

Introduced 1306, second reading, 1306, third reading, 1307

Assembly Bill No 528, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the fire departments in cities of the first class,'" approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Introduced, 1308, reported, 1322, second reading, 1322, third reading, 1323, returned from Senate, 1391

Assembly Bill No 529, entitled "An act to empower municipalities to establish and maintain plants for the treatment, disposal or rendering of sewage,"

Introduced, 1310, reported, 1315, second reading, 1321, third reading, 1322, returned from Senate, amended, 1392, concurred in, 1392, 1395

Assembly Bill No 530, entitled "An act authorizing the division of townships into water districts for the purpose of supplying water within such districts for fire purposes, and the election of water commissioners in said district,"

Introduced, 1310, reported, 1325, second reading, 1326, third reading, 1326, returned from Senate, 1391

Assembly Bill No 531, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof, fixing rules, regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles, fixing the amount of license and registration fees, prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof, and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act, and penalties for said violations,' " approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Introduced, 1310

Assembly Bill No 532, entitled "An act confirming the title to certain real estate, of which James R Smith, late of the county of Essex, in this State, died seized,"

Introduced, 1311 second reading, 1311, third reading, 1311, returned from Senate, 1391

Assembly Bill No 533, entitled "An act concerning the government of cities of the first class,"

Introduced, 1336, second reading, 1337, third reading, 1337, returned from Senate, 1425

Assembly Bill No 534, entitled "An act providing for the deposit of moneys received for the use of the State by any department, institution or official thereof,"

Introduced, 1337, second reading, 1337, third reading, 1338

Assembly Bill No 535, entitled "A further supplement to a supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' " (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, which supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Introduced, 1352, reported, 1360, amended, 1366, second reading, 1367, third reading, 1367, reconsidered, 1368, amended, 1369, second reading, 1370, put back, 1370, amended, 1371, second reading, 1372, third reading, 1372, reconsidered, 1382, put back on second reading, 1383, amended, 1383, second reading, 1386, third reading, 1386

Assembly Bill No 536, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a public service commission and prescribe its powers and duties, and to provide for the regulation and control of certain public service corporations,' "

Introduced, 1354, reported, 1358

Assembly Bill No 537, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the paving and repaving of streets, avenues and public highways in cities of the first class in this State, and providing for the payment of assessments for special benefits to property benefited thereby, and the payment of contractors supplying the work and material therefor,' " approved March twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, being chapter two hundred and ten of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Introduced, 1373, reported, 1380; second reading, 1389, third reading, 1390, returned from Senate, 1416

Assembly Bill No 538, 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 October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seven,' " approved May twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Introduced, 1373, second reading, 1373, third reading, 1373, to reconsider, 1412

Assembly Bill No 539, 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,"

Introduced, 1380, second reading, 1380, third reading, 1381, returned from Senate, 1417

Assembly Bill No 540, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to defray the incidental expenses of the Legislature of New Jersey, for the session one thousand nine hundred and seven,' filed September seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Introduced, 1381, reported, 1393, second reading, 1393, reconsidered, 1393, amended, 1408, second reading, 1409, third reading, 1410, returned from Senate, 1425

Assembly Bill No 541, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to defray the incidental expenses of the Legislature of New Jersey, for the session of one thousand nine hundred and seven,' filed September seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Introduced, 1382

Senate Bills.

Senate Bill No 1, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,'" which further supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Received, 114

Senate Bill No 10, entitled "An act relating to telephone, electric light, heat and power companies,"

Received, 774, reported, 944, amended and second reading, 972

Senate Bill No 11, entitled "An act to validate and confirm any election heretofore held in any city for the acceptance of any act authorized to be submitted at such election, as well as any election held for the adoption of a proposition under any such act, and to validate and confirm all bonds, contracts or other obligations issued, authorized or made under any such act or pursuant to any such proposition,"

Received, 204, reported, 211

Senate Bill No 14, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase of voting machines and to regulate the use of the same at elections,'" approved April twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Received, 283, referred, 374, reported, 1034, second reading, 1064, third reading, 1160

Senate Bill No 18, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the militia of the State,'" approved May sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Received, 155, reported, 194, second reading, third reading, 422

Senate Bill No 19, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide for the summary investigation of county and municipal expenditures,'" approved February eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine, and the supplements thereto, approved March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one,

Received, 114, second reading, 115, final reading, 116

Committee Substitute for
Senate Bill No 20, entitled "An act to provide for the summary investigation of county and municipal expenditures,"

Received, 114, second reading, 117, final reading, 117

Senate Bill No 21, 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,

Received, 239, reported, 748, second reading, 784, third reading, 879

Senate Bill No 22, 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,

Received, 85, second reading, 86, third reading, 86

Senate Bill No 23, entitled "An act to establish a Civil Service Commission and to regulate the appointment of certain public officers in the State of New Jersey and in the cities and counties thereof,"

Received, 721, reported, 866, second reading, 1065, 1066, 1067, 1068, 1069, third reading, 1096

Senate Bill No 24, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to repeal an act entitled "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 eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three, and being chapter one hundred and eighty-two of the laws of one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Received, 625, reported, 997, vote on second reading, 996, reconsideration of vote, 1006, 1007, 1008

Senate Bill No 25, entitled "An act relating to the selection, drawing and summoning of grand jurors and the organization of the grand jury in the several counties of this State,"

Received, 1054, reported, 1059, second reading

Senate Bill No 26, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize any town, village or municipality governed by a board of commissioners, or improvement commission, to lay out, open, widen, alter and vacate streets, roads or avenues, and to locate and construct sewers, and to acquire lands and buildings, or parts thereof by purchase or condemnation, for such purposes,'" approved April thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Received, 380, reported, 457, second reading, 600, third reading, 1028

Senate Bill No 28, 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,

Received, 240

Senate Bill No 36, entitled "An act respecting railroads,"

Received, 792, reported, 887

Senate Bill No 37, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide for a digest of the law and chancery reports of this State,'" approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Received, 479, reported, 562, second reading, 785, third reading, 893, 894

Senate Bill No 38, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1896)," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,

Received, 204, reported, 324, second reading, third reading, 444

Senate Bill No 39, entitled "An act to annex to the city of Woodbury, in the county of Gloucester, a portion of the township of West Deptford, in said county,"

Received, 721, reported, 749, second reading, 785, third reading, 1029

Senate Bill No 40, entitled "An act ceding to the United States jurisdiction over lands acquired for public purposes within this State,"

Received, 239, reported, 320, second reading, 399, third reading, 442

Senate Bill No 41, entitled "An act authorizing the Governor to cede to the United States certain lands under water in the Delaware river for the purpose of aiding in the improvement of said river,"

Received, 239, reported, 320, second reading, 399, third reading, 444

Senate Bill No 43, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),"' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," which supplemental act was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Received, 656, recalled by Senate, 669

Senate Bill No 45, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),"' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," which supplemental act was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Received, 380, reported, 411, second reading, 601, third reading, 753, reconsidered and recommitted, 779, 780, reported, 810

Senate Bill No 46, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities,'" approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two, and also to amend a supplement to said act, which supplement is entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities,'" approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Received, 479, reported, 586, second reading, 739, third reading, 787

Senate Bill No 47, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities,'" approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two, by providing further for the method in which ordinances shall be passed by city councils in said cities by amending section eleven of said act,

Received, 479, reported, 586, second reading, 739, third reading, 788

Senate Bill No 48, entitled "An act to authorize the erection of a monument in Huddy Park, in the township of Dover, county of Ocean, in this State, to commemorate the capture of Toms River block house and the burning of Toms River village by the British in the revolutionary war, to appoint a commission to erect said monument, and to appropriate money to pay for erecting said monument,"

Received, 282, referred, 373, reported, 412, second reading, 747, third reading, 788

Senate Bill No 49, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the appointment of fire wardens, the prevention of forest fires and the repeal of sundry acts relating thereto,'" approved April eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Received, 240, reported, 296, second reading, 398, third reading, 423

Senate Bill No 52, entitled "An act to validate bonds heretofore or hereafter issued by towns and villages for the construction of sewers and drains under an act entitled 'An act to authorize towns and villages to construct sewers and drains and provide for the payment of the cost thereof,'" approved May twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety, and the various supplements and amendments thereto,

Received, 374, 375, reported, 458, second reading, 600, third reading, 952

Senate Bill No 53, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize towns and villages to construct sewers and drains and to provide for the payment of the cost thereof,'" approved May twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

Received, 374, 376, reported, 458, second reading, 601, third reading, 954

Senate Bill No 54, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning District Courts,'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Received, 374, 376

Senate Bill No 56, entitled "An act to enable cities to erect a firehouse upon city lands, equip the same, and issue bonds in payment therefor,"

Received, 204, reported, 251, second reading, 276, third reading, 269, 270

Senate Bill No 57, entitled "An act to enable cities in this State to build subways or conduits for electric wires,"

Received, 656, reported, 678, second reading, 740, put back, 791, reported, 860

Senate Bill No 58, entitled "An act concerning roads,"

Received, 424, committee substitute reported, 739, recommitted, 768, reported, 824, second reading, third reading, 1179

Senate Bill No 62, entitled "An act to amend 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate fees,"'" approved April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six, which supplement was approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

Received, 374, 376, reported, 452; second reading, 740, third reading, 789, reconsidered, 842, recommitted, 851, reported, 852, second reading, 972, third reading, 1119

Senate Bill No 64, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act making appropriations for the support of the State government, and for several public purposes, for the fiscal year ending October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seven,'" approved May twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Received, 204, reported, 314, second reading, 399, third reading, 424

Committee Substitute for
Senate Bill No 67, entitled "An act in relation to the price to be charged for electrical energy,"

Received, 380

Senate Bill No 69, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to trustees,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Received, 240, reported, 352, second reading, 713, third reading, 789, 790

Senate Bill No 71, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for short courses in practical and scientific agriculture in the State agricultural college,'" approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and five

Received, 283, referred, 373, reported, 589, second reading, 740, third reading, 790

Senate Bill No 73, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessments and water rents or water rates in cities of this State, and imposing and levying the taxes, assessments and liens in lieu and instead of such arrearages, and to enforce the payment thereof, and to provide for the sale of lands subjected to future taxes and assessments,'" approved March thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

Received, 374, 376, reported, 406, second reading, 741

Senate Bill No 74, entitled "An act to encourage the celebration of flag day in the public schools of this State,"

Received, 625, reported, 702, second reading, 849, third reading, 1031

Senate Bill No 75, entitled "An act concerning free public libraries in certain cities of this State,"

Received, 283, referred, 373, reported, 861, second reading, 924, third reading, 997, reconsidered, 1009, third reading, 1010

Senate Bill No 76, entitled "An act concerning public parks in certain cities of this State,"

Received, 625, reported, 635, second reading, 741, third reading, 997, reconsidered, 1010, third reading, 1011

Senate Bill No 78, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning juries (Revision),'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Received, 227, reported, 249, second reading, 249, third reading, 269

Senate Bill No 79, entitled "An act to regulate theatrical bill-posting in municipalities of this State,"

Received, 656, reported, 678, second reading, 741, third reading, 894, reconsidered, 955, put back, 956

Senate Bill No 80, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Rumson, in the county of Monmouth,"

Received, 479, reported, 516, second reading, 680, 681, third reading, 877, 878

Senate Bill No 81, entitled "An act concerning bonds,"

Received, 204, reported, 314, second reading, 399, third reading, 441

Senate Bill No 83, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation of pathological and anatomical associations for the advancement of medical and surgical science,"

Received, 283, referred, 373, reported, 557, second reading, 713, third reading, 1027

Senate Bill No 85, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three

Received, 568, reported, 846, second reading, 924, third reading, 1178

Senate Bill No 86, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate fences in cities of this State,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

Received, 380, reported, 587, second reading, 741, third reading, 998

Senate Bill No 88, 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,

Received, 479, reported, 516, second reading, 602, third reading, 945

Senate Bill No 89, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the formation and government of villages,'" approved February twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one,

Received, 1037, reported, 1157, second reading, 1157, third reading, 1157

Senate Bill No 90, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the formation of governments of villages,'" approved February twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one,

Received, 775, reported, 860, second reading, 924, third reading, 1121

Senate Bill No 91, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the court of common pleas (Revision of 1901),'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Received, 775, reported, 912, second reading, 974, third reading, 1122

Senate Bill No 92, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to amend 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,

Received, 479, reported, 561, second reading, 741, third reading, 874

Senate Bill No 93, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable the board of chosen freeholders of any county in this State to erect, construct and maintain a viaduct between two or more municipalities, and to extend roads to connect with such viaduct, and to acquire lands for the same, and to issue bonds for the payment of the cost of the erection, construction and acquisition thereof,' " approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

Received, 283, refelled, 372, reported, 451, second reading, 599, third reading, 660

Senate Bill No 94, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,' " approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Received, 901

Senate Bill No 95, entitled "An act repealing an act entitled 'An act for the sale in fee of land purchased by any taxing district for taxes, assessments or water rents,' " approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

Received, 901

Senate Bill No 96, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes," which amendatory act was approved May third, one thousand nine hundred and six,' " and which act so amended was approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Received, 901

Senate Bill No 97, entitled "An act to authorize the change of name of any newspaper published in this State,"

Received, 480, reported, 561, second reading, 646, third reading, 751

Senate Bill No 100, entitled "An act to incorporate Sea Island City, in the county of Cape May, as a city, and fixing the boundaries thereof,"

Received, 569, reported, 589, second reading, 742, third reading, 890

Senate Bill No 101, 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,

Received, 375, 377, reported, 406, second reading, 434, 681, third reading, 696

Senate Bill No 102, entitled "An act providing uniform laws to regulate the catching and taking of fish in the Delaware river and bay between the State of Delaware and the State of New Jersey,"

Received, 775, reported, 1163, second reading, 1170, third reading, 1171

Senate Bill No 103, 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,' "

Received, 480, Assembly substitute reported, 515, second reading, 603, third reading, 794

Senate Bill No 104, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Cape May Point, in the county of Cape May,"

Received, 569, reported, 589, second reading, 742, third reading, 890, 891

Senate Bill No 105, entitled "An act concerning the sale of goods, and to make uniform the law relating thereto,"

Received, 901, reported, 931, second reading, 973, third reading, 1122

Senate Bill No 106, entitled "An act concerning warehouse receipts and to make uniform the law relating thereto,"

Received, 901, reported, 932, second reading, 973, third reading, 1124

Senate Bill No 107, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a sanatorium for persons afflicted with tuberculous diseases and to provide for the selection of a site and the erection of buildings therefor and the government thereof,' " approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Received, 722, reported, 821, second reading, 924, third reading, 1172

Senate Bill No 108, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the formation of canal companies and to regulate the same,' " approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven,

Received, 480, reported, 943

Senate Bill No 110, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to enable counties which have no county hospital to assist in maintaining hospitals located in such county," approved April twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,' " which said supplement was approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

Received, 375, 377, reported, 457, second reading, 600, third reading, 752

Senate Bill No 111, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the commitment of insane persons into institutions for the care and treatment of the insane in this State, their confinement therein and their support while so confined,' " approved July fifth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Received, 480

Senate Bill No 112, entitled "An act to provide for the making of decrees of the Orphans' Court a lien on the lands and real estate of any person or persons liable on such decree by docketing the same in the Supreme Court of this State and issuing of execution thereon,"

Received, 480, reported, 561, second reading, 742, third reading, 951

Senate Bill No 115, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the establishment of forest park reservations by and in the State of New Jersey, and for the appointment of a State Board of Forest Park Reservation Commissioners, and defining its powers and duties,'" approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Received, 375, 377, reported, 589, second reading, 742, third reading, 941

Senate Bill No 116, entitled "An act to establish a State Water-Supply Commission and to define its powers and duties and the conditions under which waters of this State may be diverted,"

Received, 792, reported, 944, second reading, 978, third reading, 1123

Senate Bill No 120, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),'" approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Received, 569, reported, 589, second reading, 743, third reading, 1180

Senate Bill No 125, entitled "An act respecting police departments of towns, and regulating the tenure and terms of office of officers and men employed in said departments,"

Received, 375, 377, reported, 386, second reading, 398, third reading, 423

Senate Bill No 126, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the infliction of the penalty of death,'" approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Received, 480, reported, 820, second reading, 925, third reading, 1031

Senate Bill No 127, 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 mangement and appointment now vested in other departments of offices in such cities and providing for the maintenance of such board,"

Received, 569, reported, 678, second reading, 848, third reading, 875

Senate Bill No 128, entitled "An act concerning the government of certain cities in this State and constituting a board of finance therein and defining the powers and duties of such boards and vesting in such boards certain powers of mangement and appointment,"

Received, 569, reported, 678, second reading, 848, third reading, 875

Senate Bill No 129, entitled "An act concerning the government of certain cities in this State and constituting a municipal board of public work and other officers therein, and defining the powers and duties of such boards and relating to the municipal affairs and departments of such cities placed under the control and management of such board, and providing for the maintenance of said board,"

Received, 569, reported, 678, amended and second reading, 848, 849, third reading, 876

Senate Bill No 131, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' " which supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Received, 380, reported, 412, second reading, 601, put back, 749, amended and second reading, 929, third reading, 1181

Senate Bill No 136, entitled "An act to extend the territorial boundaries of the borough of Seaside Park, in the county of Ocean, by the annexation of a portion of the township of Berkeley, in said county,

Received, 380, reported, 589, second reading, 849, 850, third reading, 1032

Senate Bill No 137, entitled "An act to extend the territorial boundaries of the borough of Seaside Park, in the county of Ocean, by the annexation of a portion of the territory of the State of New Jersey,"

Received, 381, reported, 589, second reading, 850, third reading, 1033

Senate Bill No 140, entitled "An act for extending the time for completing certain railroads,"

Received, 480, reported, 561, second reading, 743, third reading, 876

Senate Bill No 141, entitled "An act to provide for a suitable detail from the National Guard of New Jersey to participate at the dedication and unveiling of a monument erected at Washington, D C, to the honor and memory of the late Major-General George B McClellan,"

Received, 480, reported, 518, second reading, 603, third reading, 786

Senate Bill No 143, entitled "An act to provide aid for monument associations,"

Received, 480, reported, 518, second reading, 603, third reading, 751

Senate Bill No 144, entitled "An act to repeal parts of an act entitled 'An act to repeal sundry acts relating to associations not for pecuniary profit,' " approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Received, 381, reported, 557, second reading, 743, third reading, 942

Senate Bill No 145, entitled "An act to provide for the attendance of a part of the National Guard of New Jersey at the dedication of the soldiers' and sailors' monument at Trenton, in the county of Mercer, and to appropriate money for the cost of their transportation and other expenses incident to said dedication,"

Received, 381, reported, second reading, 603, third reading, 752

Senate Bill No 146, entitled "An act to regulate the practice of osteopathy in the State of New Jersey and to provide for a State Board of Osteopathic Examiners and to license osteopathic physicians to practice in this State and punish persons violating the provisions of this act,"

Reported, 404

Senate Bill No 147, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the formation of canal companies and to regulate the same,'" approved March ninth, eighteen hundred and seventy-seven,

Received, 480, reported, 943

Senate Bill No 149, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to enable boards of chosen freeholders to acquire, improve and maintain public roads,'" approved March nineteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,

Received, 381, reported, 887, second reading, 925, third reading, 1030

Senate Bill No 150, entitled "An act to authorize the erection of a monument on the battlefield of Salem Church, in the State of Virginia, and a tablet on the battlefield of Spottsylvania, in the State of Virginia, to commemorate the services of the Fifteenth regiment, New Jersey volunteer infantry, in the battles of Salem Church and Spottsylvania and other engagements of the Civil War, and to appropriate money to pay for the erection and dedication of the same,"

Received, 569, reported, 679, second reading, 741, third reading, 891

Senate Bill No 152, 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,

Received, 570, reported, 820, third reading, 1095

Senate Bill No 154, entitled "An act to appropriate money for erecting a revolutionary monument at Orange,"

Received, 570, reported, 679, second reading, 682, third reading, 693, recall requested by Senate, 836

Senate Bill No 155, entitled "An act to amend the title of an act entitled 'An act to authorize two or more municipalities in this State to jointly construct and maintain outlet to trunk sewers,' approved March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, and to validate certain acts and proceedings of municipalities under said act and its supplements,"

Received, 481, reported, 561, second reading, 743, third reading, 942

Senate Bill No 161, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act for the better regulation and control of the taking, planting and cultivating of oysters and clams on lands lying under the tidal waters of the county of Ocean, in the State of New Jersey, approved March twenty-sixth, one thousand nine hundred and two," and which amendatory act was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,'"

Received, 570

Senate Bill No 163, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the better regulation and control of the taking, planting and cultivating of oysters and clams on lands lying under the tidal waters of the county of Ocean, in the State of New Jersey,'" approved March twenty-sixth, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Received, 570

Senate Bill No 164, 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,

Received, 481, reported, 517, second reading, 602, third reading, 754, request from Senate to recall concurred in, 864, received again, 963, reported, 991, second reading, 1070, third reading, 1146

Senate Bill No 165, 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,

Received, 481, reported, 517, second reading, 602, third reading, 754, recalled from Governor, 886, received from Senate, 1013, reported, 1058, second and third readings, 1146

Senate Bill No 166, entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),'"

Received, 481, reported, 589, second reading, 743, 852, third reading, 943

Senate Bill No 168, entitled "An act to secure the purity of foods, beverages, confectionery, condiments, drugs and medicines, and to prevent deception in the distribution and sales thereof (Revision of 1907),"

Received, 1092, reported, 1117, second reading, 1131, third reading, 1138

Senate Bill No 171, entitled "An act to amend section six of an act entitled 'An act to provide for the marking and designating of the channels of the bays, thoroughfares and sounds flowed by tide waters in the counties of Ocean, Atlantic and Cape May,'" approved June twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Received, 481, reported, 516, second reading, 602, third reading, 944

Senate Bill No 172, entitled "An act to make the proceedings of the Department of New Jersey of the Grand Army of the Republic a part of the public record of the State, and to provide for the printing of same,"

Received, 481, reported, 518, second reading, 603, third reading, 753

Senate Bill No 173, entitled "An act to provide additional accommodations for 'The Manual Training and Industrial School for Colored Youth,' located at Bordentown, in the county of Burlington,"

Received, 481, reported, 701, second reading, 850, third reading, 938

Senate Bill No 174, 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,

Received, 481 reported, 702, second reading, 850, third reading, 938

Senate Bill No 175, entitled "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act concerning contagious and infectious diseases among animals, and to repeal certain acts relating thereto,'" approved May fourth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

Received, 570, reported, 748, second reading, 784, third reading, 946, reconsidered, amended and repassed, 970, 971

Senate Bill No 176, entitled "An act for the better protection of hotel, inn and boarding-house proprietors and limiting their liability,"
Received, 570, reported, 587, second reading, 744, third reading, 1130

Senate Bill No 178, 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 of said violations,"
Received, 986, reported, 1034, second reading, 1173, third reading, 1174

Senate Bill No 179, 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,
Received, 481, reported, 587, second reading, 745, third reading, 1025

Senate Bill No 180, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the prevention of cruelty to animals,'" approved March eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty,
Received, 482, reported, 747, amended and second reading, 851, third reading, 1045

Senate Bill No 182, entitled "An act extending the time for the completion of certain water works, pipes, mains and conduits,"
Received, 775, reported, 846, second reading, 925, third reading, 1026

Senate Bill No 183, entitled "An act to extend the territorial boundaries of the borough of Madison, in the county of Morris, by the annexation of a portion of the borough of Florham Park, in said county,"
Received, 626, reported, 1104

Senate Bill No 184, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning firemen's relief associations,'" approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five,
Received, 570

Senate Bill No 186, entitled "An act authorizing an instrument affecting lands, tenements and hereditaments within this State, heretofore duly recorded as a release, to be recorded as a deed of conveyance in the proper office by recording a certified copy of the record thereof,"
Received, 570, reported, 655, second reading, 744; third reading, 994

Senate Bill No 189, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of sewer commissioners in cities of this State,"
Received, 1014, reported, 1036, second reading, 1070; third reading, 1149

Senate Bill No 190, entitled "An act providing for the construction of sewers and sewer systems in cities of this State and the issuance of bonds for the cost thereof, and providing for collecting rentals for the use of such sewers and sewer system,"
Received, 1014, reported, 1034, second reading, 1070; third reading, 1150

Senate Bill No 193, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the government and regulation of the State prison,'" approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Received, 571, reported, 587, second reading, 744, third reading, 999

Senate Bill No 194, entitled "An act to repeal 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,' approved May eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Received, 774, reported, 821, second reading, 925, third reading, 1046

Senate Bill No 195, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the scientific investigation of oyster propagation,'" approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and one,

Received, 722, reported, 1163, second reading, 1174, third reading, 1175

Senate Bill No 199, entitled "An act to annex to the borough of Belmar a part of the township of Wall, in the county of Monmouth,"

Received, 571, reported, 589, second reading, 744, third reading, 746

Senate Bill No 201, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable any city in this State, other than cities of the first class, to construct, purchase or otherwise acquire water works for the purpose of supplying pure and wholesome water for public and private use in said city or in adjoining municipalities, and providing for the maintenance of the same,'" approved June eighth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Received, 571, reported, 586, second reading, 682, 744, third reading, 948

Senate Bill No 204, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to prevent the pollution of the waters of this State by the establishment of a State Sewerage Commission and authorizing the creation of sewerage districts and district sewerage boards, and prescribing, defining and regulating the powers and duties of such commission and such boards," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,'" approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred,

Received, 901, reported, 1089, second reading, third reading, 1175

Committee Substitute for
Senate Bill No 205, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,'" approved February twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

Received, 482, reported, 517, second reading, 602, third reading, 947

Senate Bill No 206, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'"

Received, 957, reported, 969, second and third readings, 1144

Senate Bill No 209, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the infliction of the penalty of death,'" approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Received, 775, reported, 912, second reading, 974, third reading, 1145

Senate Bill No 211, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of State directors of stock life insurance companies,"

Received, 722, reported, 886, second reading, 1070, third reading, 1076

Senate Bill No 212, entitled "An act to limit the capital stock, dividends and distribution of assets of stock life insurance companies,"

Received, 775, reported, 886, second reading, 1072, third reading, 1076

Senate Bill No 213, entitled "An act to require an annual accounting apportionment of surplus of life insurance companies,"

Received, 775, reported, 886, second reading, 1073, third reading, 1077

Senate Bill No 214, 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,

Received, 775, reported, 886, second reading, 1073; third reading, 1077

Senate Bill No 215, 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,

Received, 775, reported, 886, second reading, 1074, third reading, 1078

Senate Bill No 216, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to life insurance companies doing business in the State of New Jersey and to the representatives of such companies,'" approved March nineteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Received, 722, reported, 886, second reading, 1074, third reading, 1079

Senate Bill No 217, 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,

Received, 722, reported, 747, second reading, 783, third reading, 889

Senate Bill No 219, entitled "An act providing for the establishment of evening schools for foreign-born residents in the State of New Jersey,"

Received, 626, reported, 702, second reading, 785, third reading, 878

Senate Bill No 220, entitled "An act relative to the power to impose and collect taxes in incorporated towns of this State,"

Received, 801, reported, 912, second reading, 974, third reading, 1120

Senate Bill No 221, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Received, 676, reported, 718, second reading, 749, third reading, 787

Senate Bill No 222, 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,"

Received, 902, reported, 930, second reading, 1074, third reading, 1079

Senate Bill No 223, entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the pensioning of school teachers in this State," approved March fifth, one thousand nine hundred and three,'" approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Received, 626, reported, 730, second reading, 783, third reading, 999

Senate Bill No 226, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Received, 722, reported, 748, second reading, 784

Senate Bill No 227, entitled "An act to incorporate universities comprising departments or colleges of medicine and surgery, dental and oral surgery, veterinary medicine and surgery, law, pharmacy and other professional and educational departments,"

Received, 776

Senate Bill No 228, entitled "A supplement to 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,

Received, 902, reported, 1059, second reading, third reading, 1155

Senate Bill No 232, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for drainage and sewerage in the cities of this State,'" approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

Received, 776, reported, 860, second reading, 925, third reading, 993

Senate Bill No 235, entitled "An act to repeal an act approved the twenty-second day of March, A D one thousand nine hundred and five, entitled 'An act to authorize cities which have heretofore adopted, or which shall hereafter adopt, the provisions of an act entitled "An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities," approved April third, A D one thousand nine hundred and two, to authorize the bridging of their streets under certain circumstances,'"

Received, 626, reported, 729, second reading, 737, third reading, 755

Senate Bill No 236, entitled "An act to validate and confirm any elections and all other proceedings heretofore or hereafter held or taken in any boroughs for the issuance of bonds to pay for the cost of construction or purchase of a system of sewers and drains and to validate and confirm all bonds or obligations issued in conformity with the proposition adopted at any such amount and as provided in any such proposition,"

Received, 571, reported, 631, second reading, 679, third reading, 695

Senate Bill No 239, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to create the office of Commissioner of Charities and Corrections and to define his powers and duties,'" approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Received, 722, reported, 887, second reading, 926, third reading, 1024

Senate Bill No 242, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),'"

Received, 902, reported, 1104

Senate Bill No 245, entitled "An act concerning cities which have passed or shall hereafter pass from cities of the third class to cities of the second class,"

Received, 571, reported, 655, second reading, 745, third reading, 1047

Senate Bill No 247, 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,

Received, 1014

Senate Bill No 248, entitled "An act providing for the pensioning of police officers in townships of this State, and regulating the method by which the same may be accepted and become operative therein,"

Received, 776, reported, 930, second reading, 974, third reading, 1146

Senate Bill No 249, entitled "An act concerning the clerk to the department for the assessment of benefits for local improvements in cities of the first class,"

Received, 902, reported, 912, second reading, 974

Senate Bill No 250, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting any execution,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Received, 722, reported, 1058, second reading, 1143, third reading, 1143

Senate Bill No 251, entitled "An act for the relief of Frank O Briggs, former State Treasurer,"

Received, 902, reported, 1034, second reading, 1075, third reading, 1129

Senate Bill No 252, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads (Revision of 1903),'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Received, 958

Senate Bill No 253, 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,

Received, 723, reported, 821, second reading, 825, third reading, 826

Senate Bill No 255, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize cities to construct sewers and drains, and to provide for the payment of the cost thereof,' " approved March eighth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

Received, 571, reported, 586, second reading, 745, put back, 785, 786, recommitted, 786, reported, 911, second reading, 975, third reading, 1052, reconsidered, 1062, third reading, 1126,

Senate Bill No 256, entitled "An act to secure to companies incorporated under 'An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1875),' and the supplements and amendments thereto, owning and operating a public sewerage plant in any municipality in this State, the right to continue to maintain and operate the same,"

Received, 723, reported, 846, second reading, 1176, third reading, 1176

Senate Bill No 257, entitled "An act validating and confirming ordinances heretofore granted by any municipality to any public sewerage corporation, vesting in such corporation the right to lay its pipes beneath the surface of the streets and highways of such municipality, and validating the acts and proceedings of such corporation thereunder,"

Received, 723, reported, 847

Senate Bill No 259, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable and empower cities to construct, maintain and operate a municipal light, heat and power plant or plants, and to purchase all necessary real estate and works and machinery for supplying light, heat and power for public and private use in such city,' " approved July fifth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Received, 1014, 1038

Senate Bill No 260, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend 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 June nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Received, 958, reported, 1163, second reading, third reading, 1171

Senate Bill No 262, 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,

Received, 723, reported, 771, second reading, 851, third reading, 1047

Senate Bill No 263, entitled "An act in relation to schools for industrial education in cities of the second class in this State,"

Received, 902, reported, 957, second reading, 978, third reading, 1183

Senate Bill No 264, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to courts having a criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898),' " approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Received, 723, reported, 1058

Senate Bill No 266, entitled "An act to consolidate with and annex to the city of Camden, in the county of Camden, the territory embraced within the borough of Wood Lynne, in the county of Camden, provided a majority of the votes cast in said borough upon the question of such annexation and consolidation shall be in favor thereof, and the mayor and common council of said city shall consent thereto,"

Received, 792, reported, 1017

Senate Bill No 267, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and ninety-eight,

Received, 723, reported, 747, second reading, 784, third reading, 1027

Senate Bill No 268, 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,

Received, 723, reported, 771, second reading, 976, third reading, 1182

Senate Bill No 269, entitled "An act to repeal 'An act entitled "An act regulating the granting of licenses for the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors in municipalities in counties of the fourth class in this State,"'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Received, 723, reported, 841, second reading, 1118, third reading, 1119

Senate Bill No 270, entitled "An act to provide for the laying out, opening, widening and altering of streets in cities of the second class,"

Received, 903, reported, 931, second reading, 974, third reading, 1080

Senate Bill No 271, entitled "A supplement to '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,

Received, 1092, reported, 1147, second reading, third reading, 1177

Senate Bill No 272, entitled "An act concerning the government of cities of the first class,"

Received, 902, reported, 968, second reading, third reading, 1008, 1009, message from Governor, 1289

Senate Bill No 273, entitled "An act to authorize cities owning their own water mains to lay or extend new or additional water mains, and to issue bonds in payment therefor,"

Received, 903, reported, 931, second reading, 975, third reading, 1001

Senate Bill No 274, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize cities in this State, located on or near the ocean and embracing within their limits or jurisdiction any beach or ocean front, to lay out and open streets and drives, and construct public walks along and upon the beach or ocean front, to grade and otherwise improve the same, to provide the money necessary therefor, and to regulate the use thereof," approved April sixth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, and acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, and to validate bonds issued, or purporting to be issued, under said acts, or any of them,'" which said act was approved March sixth, one thousand nine hundred and one,

Received, 626, reported, 635, second reading, 745, third reading, 949

Senate Bill No 275, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties in this State,'" approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Received, 802, reported, 1059

Senate Bill No 276, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Received, 902, reported, 968, second reading, 987, third reading, 1029

Senate Bill No 278, entitled "An act to amend a supplement to an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to the compensation of prosecutors of the pleas in certain counties of this State," approved March sixth, one thousand nine hundred,'" which supplementary act was approved March second, one thousand nine hundred and four,

Received, 1092, reported, 1105

Senate Bill No 279, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating fraternal beneficiary societies, orders or associations,'" approved March eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three,

Received, 1039, reported, 1045, second reading, third reading, 1159

Senate Bill No 280, entitled "An act relating to persons or corporations engaged in the business of transmitting money to foreign countries, or of buying or selling foreign money, or of receiving money on deposit to be transmitted to foreign countries,"

Received, 958, reported, 1034, second reading, 1075, third reading, 1125

Senate Bill No 281, entitled "An act to authorize townships to purchase and acquire sewers, and to provide for the payment of the expense incurred,"

Received 1037, reported, 1060, second reading, 1122, third reading, 1132

Senate Bill No 285, entitled "An act providing for a survey or surveys to show the amount of dredging necessary to deepen the channels of the inland waterways extending from Cape May to Bay Head along the Atlantic coast, and for estimates of the cost of deepening the same, and appropriating five thousand dollars to defray the expenses of such surveys and estimates,"

Received, 792, reported, 820, second reading, 926, third reading, 1011

Senate Bill No 286, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide means for protection against fires in townships,'" approved March tenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine,
Received, 776, reported, 912, second reading, 975, third reading, 1052

Senate Bill No 287, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs (Revision of 1897),'"
Received, 724, reported, 931, second reading, 940, third reading, 993

Senate Bill No 288, 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,
Received, 1039, reported, 1058, second reading, third reading, 1154

Senate Bill No 289, entitled "An act to confirm certain conveyances heretofore made by commissioners appointed in partition proceedings in the orphans' courts of this State,"
Received, 1039, reported, 1059, second reading 1072, third reading, 1081.

Senate Bill No 290, entitled "An act providing for divorces and for decrees of nullity of marriage, and for alimony and the maintenance of children (Revision of 1902)," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,
Received, 958, reported, 1059, second reading, 1136, third reading, 1137

Senate Bill No 291, entitled "An act to create a public holiday, to be known as 'Good Friday,'"
Received, 677, reported, 697, second reading, 697, third reading, 697

Senate Bill No 292, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of law (Revision of 1903),'"
Received, 1091, reported, 1105

Senate Bill No 293, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the formation, establishment and government of towns,'" approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,
Received, 1038, reported, 1060, second reading, 1089, third reading, 1132

Senate Bill No 295, entitled "An act to amend the title of an act entitled 'An act to ascertain the rights of the State and of the riparian owners in the lands lying under the waters of the bay of New York and elsewhere in this State,'" approved April eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four,
Received, 909, reported, 932, amended and second reading, 980, third reading, 1180

Senate Bill No 296, entitled "An act constituting eight hours' service a full day's labor for persons employed in or about State penal institutions of this State and the convicts confined therein,"
Received, 1128, reported second reading, third reading, 1130

Senate Bill No 297, entitled "An act to authorize the Bushkill-Delaware Bridge Company to build a bridge across the Delaware river near the village of Flatbrookville, in the county of Sussex,"

Received, 792, reported, 847, second reading, 925, third reading, 1053

Senate Bill No 298, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide for the permanent improvement of public roads in this State (Revision of 1905),"' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and five," which supplement was approved May second, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Received, 776, reported, 865, second reading, 925, third reading, 995

Senate Bill No 300, entitled "An act to annex to the borough of Cliffside Park, in the county of Bergen, a part or portion of the borough of Fairview, in the county of Bergen,"

Received, 903, reported, 1104

Senate Bill No 301, entitled "An act to regulate and control the construction, cleanliness and location of slaughter-houses abattoirs and places where animals are slaughtered for sale for human food, and to provide for the licensing of these establishments,"

Received, 1055, reported, 1162

Senate Bill No 306, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled An act for the assessment and collection of taxes (Revision of 1903),'" approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Received, 1055, reported, 1089, second reading, third reading, 1156

Senate Bill No 307, entitled "An act to provide for the construction of storage reservoirs, the control of flood waters, and the maintenance and regulation of water-supply districts, when established by law,"

Received, 903, reported, 992, second and third readings, 1170

Senate Bill No 308, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a parole agent for the State prison,'" approved May eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Received, 902, reported, 968; second reading, 975; third reading, 1048

Senate Bill No 309, 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,

Received, 802, reported, 957, 969, second reading, 975, third reading, 1048

Senate Bill No 312, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the permanent improvement of public roads in this State (Revision of 1905),'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Received, 903, reported, 1059, second reading, third reading, 1154

Senate Bill No 314, entitled "An act to provide for the purchase of sites for and the erection and equipment of armories in counties of the third class, and making appropriations therefor, and to provide for the taking of real estate for such sites by commission in case the same cannot be purchased by agreement,"

Received, 1128, reported, second reading, third reading, 1134

Senate Bill No 319, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the Orphans' Court and relating to the duties of the ordinary, and the Orphans' Court and surrogates (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Received, 903, reported, 969, second reading, 1014, third reading, 1049

Senate Bill No 320, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act concerning the government of certain cities in this State and constituting a board of finance and a police board and other officers therein, and defining the powers and duties of such boards, and relating to the municipal affairs and departments of such cities placed under the control and management of such boards, and providing for the maintenance of said boards,'" approved April twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Received, 1038, reported, 1060

Senate Bill No 321, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the improvement of streets and highways in cities of this State and to provide for the payment of the expense of the same,'" approved June thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Received, 903, reported, 968, second reading, 1041, third reading, 1050

Senate Bill No 322, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two, by enabling the city councils thereof to authorize and regulate the erection of partition walls and fences,"

Received, 958, reported, 968

Senate Bill No 323, entitled "An act relating to the granting of licenses for the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors in municipalities in counties of the fourth class of this State,"

Received, 903, reported, 968, second reading, 1089, third reading, 1115

Senate Bill No 324, entitled "A further supplement to an act to provide for the appointment of a commission to revise and codify the law relating to master and servant," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Received, 958, reported, 968, second reading, 1140, third reading, 1145

Senate Bill No 326, entitled "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act regulating the granting by municipalities of consent to the use of streets, avenues, parks, parkways and other public places,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Received, 958, reported, 968, second reading, third reading, 1151

Senate Bill No 327, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A supplement to "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating and brewed liquors,' " ' passed March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine," which supplement was approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Received, 963, reported, 1116, second reading, 1115, third reading, 1115

Senate Bill No 328, entitled "An act providing for the copying and transferring of records of deeds, mortgages and returns of roads, located and recorded in any county of this State, which has been set off from any other county, and the deposit of such transferred records in the proper office of the county where said lands and roads are now situated,"

Received, 1039, reported, 1059, second reading, third reading, 1155

Senate Bill No 330, 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,

Received, 1014

Senate Bill No 331, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the recovery of damages in cases where the death of a person is caused by a wrongful act, neglect or default," approved March third, one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight,' " which amendatory act was approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Received, 1014, reported, 1059, second reading, 1143, third reading, 1143

Senate Bill No 332, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the use of power vessels and boats navigating the waters within the jurisdiction of this State above tidewater, and to provide for the inspection and licensing of power vessels, their masters, pilots and engineers,' " approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Received, 932, reported, 957, second reading, 975, third reading, 1182

Senate Bill No 339, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to abolish the State board of taxation and create in lieu thereof a board for equalization, revision, review and enforcement of tax assessments,' " approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Received, 1037, reported, 1139, second reading, third reading, 1161

Senate Bill No 340, entitled "An act to amend subsection twenty-seven of section fourteen of an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities,' " approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,

Received, 1166, reported, 1162

Senate Bill No 341, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to prevent deception in the sale of oleomargarine, butterine or any imitation of dairy products and to preserve the public health,' " approved the twenty-second day of March, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

Received, 1038

Senate Bill No 343, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to make provisions for lighting the State prison,'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,

Received, 1055, reported, 1089, second reading, third reading, 1180

Senate Bill No 347, entitled "An act for the government of the State prison to better the condition of prisoners upon their discharge,"

Received, 1038, reported, 1045, second reading, third reading, 1158

Senate Bill No 348, entitled "An act prohibiting the sale by any city of this State of its municipal water, light, heat, power or other public utility plant or plants, except by assent of a majority of the legal voters of said city voting at a special election to be held therein,"

Received, 1038, reported, 1105, second reading, 1117, third reading, 1118

Senate Bill No 349, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the protection of the public health,'" approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Received, 1132

Senate Bill No 351, entitled "An act relating to recorders in this State,"

Received, 1038, reported, 1105, second reading, 1140, third reading, 1142

Senate Bill No 352, entitled "An act to annex to the town of Montclair, in the county of Essex, a part or portion of the townships of Acquackanonk and Little Falls, in the county of Passaic,"

Received, 1037, reported, 1060

Senate Bill No 354, entitled "A further 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,'" approved May twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,

Received, 1091

Senate Bill No 355, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crime (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Received, 1055

Senate Bill No 356, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the incorporation of cities, and providing for their officers, government and powers,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Received, 1109, reported, 1123

Senate Bill No 357, entitled "An act concerning cities and conferring power to sprinkle public streets or highways, and to provide for the cost and expense of such work,"

Received, 1109, reported, 1124

Senate Bill No 358, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the formation and government of villages,'" approved February twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one,

Received, 1037, reported, 1157, second reading, 1158, third reading, 1158

Senate Bill No 359, entitled "An act to validate and confirm any election and all other proceedings heretofore held or taken in any borough for the issuance of bonds to pay for the cost of construction or purchase of a sewerage system, and to validate and confirm all bonds or obligations issued in conformity with the proposition adopted at any such election, and to authorize the issuance of bonds to the amount and as provided in any such proposition,"
Received, 1039, reported, 1058, second reading, 1072, third reading, 1081

Senate Bill No 360, entitled "An act to appropriate money for erecting a revolutionary monument at Orange,"
Received, 1037

Senate Bill No 362, entitled "An act to make the proceedings of the Department of New Jersey of the Grand Army of the Republic a part of the military archives of the State, and to provide for the printing of the same,"
Received, 986, reported, 990, second reading, 1033, third reading, 1033

Senate Bill No 363, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation of the flow of torrential rivers, to protect persons and property from damage by floods and to provide for the maintenance and regulation of river flood districts when established by law,'" approved April nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and four,
Received, 1055

Senate Bill No 364, entitled "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,'" approved May twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,
Received, 1055

Senate Bill No 365, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seven,'" approved May twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and six,
Received, 1128, reported, second reading, third reading, 1148

Senate Bill No 366, entitled "An act making appropriations for the support of the State government, and for several public purposes, for the fiscal year ending October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"
Received, 1128, reported, second reading, third reading, 1148

Senate Bill No 367, entitled "An act to provide for the abatement of nuisances in and around slaughter-houses and abattoirs in this State,"
Received, 1091, reported, 1142

Senate Bill No 368, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act creating a bureau of shell fisheries,'" approved April fourteenth, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and three,
Received, 1165, reported, 1163, second reading, 1173, third reading, 1173

Senate Bill No 369, entitled "An act to create a board of railroad commissioners for the State of New Jersey, and to prescribe its powers and duties,"
Received, 1186, reported, 1187, amended and second reading, 1187, third reading, 1188

Senate Bill No 370, entitled "An act to abolish the offices of commissioner and assistant commissioner of labor and chief and deputy chief of the bureau of statistics of this State,"

Received, 1270

Senate Bill No 371, entitled "An act to abolish the State board of voting machine commissioners and to cast the duties of said commissioners upon the Secretary of State,"

Received, 1270, amended, 1275, second reading, 1276, third reading, 1276

Senate Bill No 372, entitled "An act relating to the investigation and examination of the government of this State and the various departments thereof,"

Received, 1270

Senate Bill No 373, entitled "An act to create a department of labor and bureau of statistics,"

Received, 1271

Senate Bill No 374, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the militia of the State,'" approved May sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Received, 1271, second reading, 1277, third reading, 1277, to recall from Governor, 1387, received, 1398, second reading, 1398, third reading, 1399

Senate Bill No 375, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight'" which further supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Received, 1271, amended, 1278, second reading, 1282, third reading, 1282, request from Senate for conference, 1360, 1387, conferees, 1388

Senate Bill No 376, entitled "An act to establish a civil service commission and to regulate the appointment of certain public officers in the State of New Jersey and in cities and counties thereof,"

Received, 1271, amended, 1283, second reading, 1286, third reading, 1286

Senate Bill No 377, entitled "An act relating to the selection, drawing and summoning of grand jurors and the organization of the grand jury in the several counties of this State,"

Received, 1271

Senate Bill No 378, entitled "An act regulating the receipt and disbursements of State moneys in certain cases,"

Received, 1271, amended, 1287, second reading, 1288, third reading, 1288, conference requested, 1387, conferees, 1388, report of conferees, 1400

Senate Bill No 380, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the appointment of commissioners for the better protection of the fishing interests of the State of New Jersey,'" approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy,

Received, 1271, reported, 1315, second reading, 1317, third reading, 1328

Senate Bill No 381, entitled 'An act ratifying and validating elections held in boroughs of this State on the question of the incorporation as a city,"

Received, 1271, second reading, 1290, third reading, 1290

Senate Bill No 388, entitled "An act providing for the construction of sewers and sewer systems in cities of this State and the issuance of bonds for the cost thereof, and providing for collecting rentals for the use of such sewers and sewer systems,"

Received, 1271, second reading, 1291, third reading, 1291

Senate Bill No 390, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the drainage of any pond, artificial reservoir, marsh, swamp, bog, meadow, low or wet lands, where the same is necessary for the public health,'" approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Received, 1271, second reading, 1290, third reading, 1290

Senate Bill No 393, entitled "An act to provide for Civil War monuments,"

Received, 1272

Senate Bill No 394, entitled "An act to abolish the board of arbitration of this State,"

Received, 1272

Senate Bill No 395, entitled "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act concerning contagious and infectious diseases among animals, and to repeal certain acts relating thereto,'" approved May fourth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

Received, 1272, reported, 1309

Senate Bill No 396, entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation of the flow of torrential rivers, to protect persons and property from damage by floods, and to provide for the maintenance and regulation of river flood districts when established by law,'" approved April nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and four,

Received, 1272, amended, 1294, second reading, 1294, third reading, 1294

Senate Bill No 398, entitled "An act in relation to the furnishing, supplying and use of water within the limits of municipalities in this State, maintaining or operating a public water-supply, whether or not the supply of water furnished by the municipality is obtained by contract or is from a plant owned and controlled by the municipality,"

Received, 1272, second reading, 1273, third reading, 1274

Senate Bill No 400, 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,

Received, 1397, second reading, 1399, third reading, 1400

Senate Bill No 401, entitled "An act to enable boards of chosen freeholders to accept roads or sections of roads in cities, towns, townships or boroughs, and to maintain the same as county roads,"

Received, 1272, reported, 1309, second reading, 1326, third reading, 1327

Senate Bill No 403, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a parole agent for the State prison,'" approved May eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and five,

Received, 1272, reported, 1309, second reading, 1336; third reading, 1336

Senate Bill No 406, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide a uniform procedure for the enforcement of all laws relating to fish, game and birds, and for the recovery of penalties for violations thereof,'" approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Received, 1272, reported, second reading, 1338, third reading, 1338

Senate Bill No 407, entitled "An act for the government of the State prison to better the condition of prisoners upon their discharge,"

Received, 1272, reported, 1310

Senate Bill No 408, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase of a turnpike and macadamized toll roads,'" approved June nineteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

Received, 1272

Senate Bill No 410, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a State water-supply commission, and to define its powers and duties, and the conditions under which waters of this State may be diverted,'" approved June seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,

Received, 1273, reported, 1310

Senate Bill No 417, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'" approved the fourteenth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Received, 1397, second reading, 1401, third reading, 1401

Senate Bill No 419, entitled "An act creating a Public Utilities Commission and prescribing its powers and duties,"

Received, 1361, amended, 1361, second reading, 1364, third reading, 1364, conference requested, 1387, conferees, 1388

Senate Bill No 420, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eight,'" approved June sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,

Received, 1397, second reading, 1421, third reading 1421

Senate Bill No 421, entitled "A further supplement to a supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections'" (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, which supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Substitute received, 1416, second reading, 1422, tabled, 1422, third reading, 1423

Senate Bill No 422, entitled "A further supplement to a supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, which supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Substitute received, 1416, second reading, 1422, tabled, 1422, third reading, 1423

Senate 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 October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eight,' approved June sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Received, 1396, second reading, 1402, third reading, 1403

Senate Bill No 424, entitled "An act creating a Civil Service Commission for the State of New Jersey and the various municipalities thereof and defining its powers and duties,"

Received, 1397, amended, 1403, second reading, 1404, laid over, 1404, amended, 1410, second reading, 1411, third reading, 1411

Senate Bill No 425, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to prevent the pollution of the waters of this State by the establishment of a State Sewerage Commission, and authorizing the creation of sewerage districts and district sewerage boards, and prescribing, defining and regulating the powers and duties of such commission and such boards,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Received, 1416, laid over, 1420

Senate Bill No 426, 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 October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seven,'" approved May twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and six,

Received, 1397, second reading, 1405, third reading, 1406

Senate Bill No 427, entitled "A supplement to the act entitled 'An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eight,'" approved June fifth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,

Received, 1397, second reading, 1406, third reading, 1407

Senate Bill No 428, entitled "An act creating a Public Utilities Commission and prescribing its powers and duties,"

Received, 1413, amended, 1413, second reading, 1415, third reading, 1415

Senate Bill No 429, entitled "An act regulating the receipt and disbursement of State moneys in certain cases,"

Received, 1416, second reading, 1418, third reading, 1419

Senate Bill No 430, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections" (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,'" which further supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Received, 1416, second reading, 1421, third reading, 1421

Senate Bill No 431, entitled "An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Received, 1416, second reading, 1417, third reading, 1417

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