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OF
VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS,
OF THE
ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTH
GENERAL ASSEMBLY
OF THE
STATE OF NEW JERSEY.

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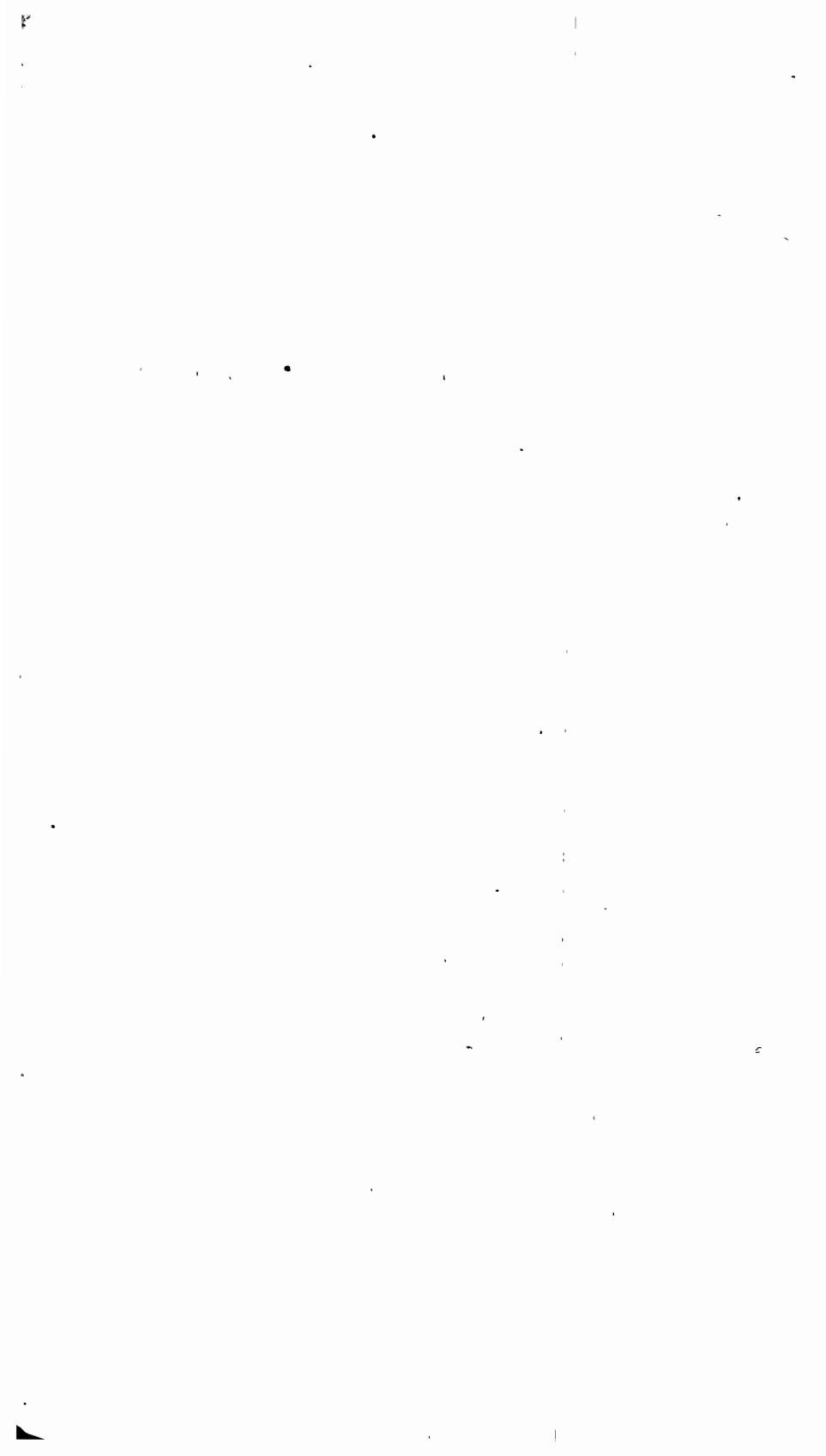
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On Ways and Means.

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On Banks and Insurance.

Messrs. Prall, Robbins, Savage, Stafford and Jenkins.

On Unfinished Business.

Messrs. Jernee, Flynn, Harrigan, Campbell and Burgess.

On Incidental Expenses.

Messrs. Kelly, Larison, Caminade, North and Harrigan.

On Stationery.

Messrs. Flynn, Ross, Hough, Woodruff and See.

On Riparian Rights.

Messrs. Ross, O'Connor, Steljes, Mills and Weaver.

On Revision of Laws.

Messrs. Rich, Neighbour, Branning, Jenkins and Keasbey.

On Fisheries.

Messrs. Savage, Cadmus, Wildrick, Stafford and Burgess.

On Railroads and Canals.

Messrs. Savage, O'Connor, Boud, Campbell and Rue.

On Miscellaneous Business.

Messrs. Wortendyke, Larison, Cadmus, Bell and Harrison.

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On Treasurer's Accounts.

Senate—Stainsby, Pancoast and Doughty.

House—Ludlam, McLaughlin, Armitage, Alcott and Bell.

On State Prison.

Senate—Nichols, Schenck and Cochran.

House—Kelly, Robbins, Caminade, Coombs and Dickinson.

On Lunatic Asylums.

Senate—Youngblood, Merritt and Smith.

House—Hough, Steljes, Ross, Lehlbach and Rue.

On Public Grounds and Buildings.

Senate—Gardner, Nichols and Smith.

House—Byrnes, Scott, O'Donnell, Mills and Holzwarth.

On State Library.

Senate—Youngblood, Merritt and Brinkerhoff.

House—Chapman, Cadmus, Neighbour, Weaver and Haines.

On Sinking Fund.

Senate—Griggs, Merritt and Cochran.

House—Clarke, Rich, Flynn, Cole and Woodruff.

On Federal Relations.

Senate—Schenck, Stainsby and Beatty.

House—Neighbour, Jernee, Prall, Campbell and Fish.

On Commerce and Navigation.

Senate—Hires, Schenck and W. B. Miller.

House—Budd, Branning, Irons, Coombs and Stafford.

On Printing.

Senate—Nichols, Applegate and Carpenter.

House—O'Connor, Flynn, Lake, Applegate and Hoffman.

On Passed Bills.

Senate—Pancoast, Hires and Beatty.

House—McLaughlin, Wildrick, Chattle, Jenkins and Lupton.

On Soldiers' Home at Newark.

Senate—Stainsby, Griggs and E. Miller.

House—Harrigan, Boud, Wildrick, Harrison and See.

On Reform School for Boys.

Senate—Schenck, Pancoast and Smith.

House—Armitage, Chapman, Savage, Stafford and Carson.

On Industrial School for Girls.

Senate—Merritt, Cranmer and Carpenter.

House—Larison, Kelly, Doremus, Armstrong and North.

On Deaf and Dumb Asylum.

Senate—Applegate, Cranmer and Brinkerhoff.

House—Caminade, Prall, Ludlam, Fish and Lupton.

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HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY,
Trenton, Jan. 8th, 1884. }

At 3 o'clock P. M. the House met.

This being the day designated by the constitution for the assembling of the One Hundred and Eighth Legislature of the State of New Jersey, and 3 o'clock P. M. being the hour appointed for the organization of the House of Assembly, the House was called to order by Arthur Wilson, Clerk of the last House.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. Dr. G. K. Morris.

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

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney, Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—59.

Absent—

Mr. Woodruff—1.

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

Resolved, That the Hon. Frederick S. Fish, of Essex county, administer the oath of office to the Hon. Edward S. Savage, of Middlesex, by whom the members-elect shall be sworn.

Whereupon Mr. Savage presented his certificate of election, duly authenticated, and took and subscribed to the oath of office.

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

Resolved, That the reading of certificates of election be dispensed with, unless some objection be made.

The following gentlemen then appeared, presented their certificates of election, and took and subscribed to the oath of office, that is to say, from counties of

Atlantic—Edward North.

Bergen—Peter R. Wortendyke, Jacob W. Doremus.

Burlington—Theodore Budd, Stacy H. Scott, Thomas J. Alcott.

Camden—Edward A. Armstrong, John W. Branning, Clayton Stafford.

Cape May—Jesse D. Ludlam.

Cumberland—Jeremiah H. Lupton, John B. Campbell.

Essex—George B. Harrison, David A. Bell, Edward Q. Keasbey, Herman Lehlbach, Rush Burgess, Frederick S. Fish, William E. O'Connor, Charles Holzwarth, John L. Armitage, William Harrigan.

Gloucester—Job S. Haines.

Hudson—Cornelius S. See, Joseph T. Kelly, Samuel D. Dickinson, Edwin O. Chapman, Frank O. Cole, James C. Clarke, Dennis McLaughlin, Michael J. O'Donnell, Martin Steljes, Augustus A. Rich.

Hunterdon—John V. Robbins, W. Howard Lake.

Mercer—A. Judson Rue, Joseph H. Applegate, John Caminade.

Middlesex—Edward S. Savage, William R. Jernee, Robert Carson.

Monmouth—Charles H. Boud, Thomas G. Chattle, Alfred B. Stoney.

Morris—George W. Jenkins, Amzi F. Weaver, James H. Neighbour.

Ocean—Augustus W. Irons.

Passaic—Clark W. Mills, William Prall, Cornelius A. Cadmus, Thomas Flynn.

Salem—Henry Coombs.

Somerset—Cornelius S. Hoffman.

Sussex—William E. Ross.

Union—Edward J. Byrnes, DeWitt C. Hough.

Warren—Stephen C. Larison, Isaac Wildrick.

The Clerk announced that all the members-elect had now taken and subscribed to the oath of office excepting Mr. Woodruff, of Union, who was absent.

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

Resolved, That the Hon. Augustus A. Rich, of the county of Hudson, being a master in chancery of New Jersey and also a member of this House, administer the oath of office to the Speaker and other officers when elected.

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

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

Whereupon Mr. Neighbour nominated the Hon. Alfred B. Stoney, of Monmouth, for Speaker, and

Mr. Cole nominated the Hon. George W. Jenkins, of Morris county, for Speaker.

The roll was then called, with the following result :

For Mr. Stoney, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Wildrick, Wortendyke—35.

For Mr. Jenkins, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Campbell, Carson, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, North, Rue, See, Stafford, Stoney, Weaver—24.

Mr. Stoney having received a majority of all the votes of the members elected to the House, was duly declared Speaker.

The Clerk appointed Messrs. Chapman, Chattle and Jenkins a committee to escort Mr. Stoney to the chair.

Having taken and subscribed to the oath of office, upon taking the chair, Mr. Stoney spoke as follows :

Gentlemen of the House of Assembly—

I sincerely thank you for the honor conferred in selecting me to preside over your deliberations. To be selected from so distinguished a body of gentlemen, certainly it is a compliment. I do not slightly esteem, nor do I underestimate, the responsibility of the position to which you have chosen me. It shall be my aim to maintain the dignity and honor of the body. The duties that devolve upon me, I shall endeavor to discharge with firmness and impartiality. I ask your assistance in enforcing the

rules adopted for our government, and I have no doubt you will cheerfully co-operate with me in every proper effort to preserve order and facilitate business. Again thanking you for this honor, I await your further pleasure.

Mr. Neighbour nominated Henry D. Winton, of Bergen, for Clerk of the House.

Mr. Cole nominated C. H. Benson, of Hudson, for Clerk of the House.

Whereupon the roll was called with the following result :

For Mr. Winton were—

Messrs. Armitage, Boud, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney, Wildrick, Wortendyke—34.

For Mr. Benson were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Campbell, Carson, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, North, Rue, See, Stafford, Weaver—25.

Whereupon Henry D. Winton was declared Clerk of the House, and took and subscribed to the oath of office.

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

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed to wait on the Governor and inform him that the House has organized by the election of Hon. Alfred B. Stoney as Speaker and Henry D. Winton as Clerk, and is now ready to proceed to business, and also to receive any communication he may be pleased to make.

The Speaker appointed Messrs. Neighbour, Chapman and Hoffman a committee to wait on the Governor and inform him of the organization of the House.

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

Resolved, That the Clerk of this House is hereby directed to inform the Senate the House of Assembly has organized by the election of Hon. Alfred B. Stoney, as Speaker, and Henry D. Winton, Clerk, and has proceeded to business.

Mr. Neighbour nominated Thomas F. Noonan, Jr., of Hudson, for Assistant Clerk of the House.

Mr. Cole nominated W. H. Bennett, of Ocean, for Assistant Clerk of the House.

Whereupon the roll was called with the following result:

For Mr. Noonan were—

Messrs. Armitage, Boud, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney, Wildrick, Wortendyke—34.

For Mr. Bennett were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Campbell, Carson, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, North, Rue, See, Stafford, Weaver—24.

Mr. Noonan was duly declared elected Assistant Clerk, and took and subscribed to the oath of office.

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

Resolved, That until otherwise ordered, the rules of last House be adopted as rules of this House.

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

Resolved, That when this House adjourn it do adjourn until Wednesday morning at ten o'clock.

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

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed to prepare and report to this House suitable rules for its government.

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

Resolved, That a committee of eight, three on the part of the Senate and five on the part of the House, be designated by the President of the Senate and the Speaker of this House, respectively, to make the necessary arrangements for the inauguration of Hon. Leon Abbett as Governor of the State of New Jersey.

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

Resolved, That a special committee of three be appointed by the chair to report at next session of this House a more accurate method of keeping the minutes of its proceedings.

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

Resolved, That until the appointment of the committees of this House, all bills introduced be printed before reference, and that three hundred copies of each bill be printed, together with date of introduction and name of introducer.

A message was received from the Governor at the hands of his Private Secretary, Joseph L. Naar, as follows:

On motion of Mr. Flynn, the reading of the message was dispensed with, and usual number of copies ordered printed.

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE.

Gentlemen of the Senate and General Assembly—

I herewith present to you, as required by law, my annual message, setting forth the condition of the State and its several departments, with such suggestions for its improvement as have commended themselves to my observation and consideration. I am glad to say that it is, in the main, thoroughly gratifying,

and can be made entirely so by a proper attention and action on the part of yourselves. The first subject of importance to claim your attention is, of course,

THE FINANCES.

The reports of the Treasurer and Comptroller give a full presentation of the financial affairs of the State, and it is gratifying to be able to say that the condition is decidedly more favorable than at the date of the last report.

The accounts are divided and kept under the four headings of Agricultural College Fund, the Deaf and Dumb Fund, the School Fund and State Fund.

The Agricultural College Fund consists of one hundred and sixteen thousand dollars (\$116,000) of State bonds, the income from which—six thousand nine hundred and sixty dollars (\$6,960)—is paid directly to the Agricultural College.

The Deaf and Dumb Fund consists of fifty-eight thousand seven hundred and ninety-three dollars and fifty-eight cents (\$58,793.58), derived from the sale of the Stevens Battery, and appropriated by the Legislature to the Institution for the Deaf and Dumb. There has been expended from this amount the sum of forty-five thousand dollars (\$45,000), leaving thirteen thousand seven hundred and ninety-three dollars and fifty-eight cents (\$13,793.58), which will be used in furthering the object to which the fund is devoted.

The School Fund consists of the following:

Railroad and Bank stock.....	\$46,500 00
United States bonds.....	705,000 00
Railroad bonds	117,000 00
State and City bonds.....	35,000 00
Bonds of School Districts.....	93,360 00
Bonds and Mortgages.....	1,012,111 00
Principal of Riparian leases	1,140,426 11
Real Estate.....	86,370 00
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	\$3,235,767 11
Interest due on Bonds and Mortgages....	57,452 72
Rents due on Riparian leases.....	76,848 11
Balance October 31, 1883.	116,560 70
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	\$3,486,628 64

The receipts of the fund were :

Income from investments and securities.....	\$177,831 92
Securities paid off.....	47,901 99
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	\$225,733 91
Balance October 31, 1882.....	201,764 29
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	\$427,498 20

The disbursements were :

Appropriation to Public Schools.....	\$100,000 00
Invested.....	210,937 50
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	\$310,937 50
Balance October 31, 1883.....	116,560 70
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	\$427,498 20

The increase in the principal of the fund, during the year, was one hundred and eighty thousand five hundred and thirty-nine dollars and eight cents (\$180,539.08), and in the income, five thousand four hundred and four dollars and twenty-eight cents (\$5,404.28).

The securities of the *State Fund* consists of two thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven (2,887) shares of stock of the Camden and Amboy Railroad and Delaware and Raritan Canal Companies, with a par value of \$288,700.00. This stock pays ten (10) per cent. interest, and would sell in the market for over half a million dollars. There are also held, as securities of the State fund, Centennial stock which is utterly valueless; and bonds of the counties to secure the repayment of the surplus revenue allotted to them.

The receipts and disbursements of the State Fund are given hereunder, in comparison with those of the previous year :

RECEIPTS.	1882.	1883.
Tax—United Companies.....	\$298,128 99	\$298,128 98
“ Other Railroads.....	371,154 30	404,751 47
“ Foreign Insurance Companies	3,421 95	4,428 31
“ Sundry Corporations.....	750 00	675 00

RECEIPTS.	1882.	1883.
Assessments on Corporations.....		\$18,070 96
State Tax.....		495,549 22
State Prison Receipts.....	\$76,032 78	73,059 45
Interest and Dividends.....	30,310 00	29,590 00
Judicial Fees.....	17,594 12	19,104 45
Official Fees.....	11,758 52	12,067 60
Sales of Revision.....	825 00	412 50
Fines and Forfeited Recogni- zances.....	4,039 13	863 79
Licenses and Fees.....	500 00	500 00
Fees returned.....	7,521 29	.....
Sales of Ordnance.....	1,439 39	1,300 00
Assessments on Private Acts....	50 00	50 00
Securities paid off.....		24,000 00
Yorktown Centennial.....		799 99
Total Receipts.....	\$823,525 47	\$1,383,351 72
Balance at beginning of year..	167,274 39	136,496 11
Temporary loans.....	250,000 00	160,000 00
	\$1,240,799 86	\$1,679,847 83

DISBURSEMENTS.	1882.	1883.
Court Expenses.....	\$115,510 75	\$119,163 53
Legal Expenses.....	3,879 80	1,000 00
Costs on Forfeited Recognizances,	227 60	.....
State Insane Asylums.....	81,235 57	89,342 29
County Insane Asylums.....	37,640 40	32,545 21
Deaf and Dumb, Blind and Fee- ble Minded.....	69,616 91	70,454 00
State Institution for Deaf and Dumb.....	1,500 00	13,500 00
Militia	63,842 49	58,354 69
Rifle Associations.....	5,291 32	3,000 00
Arsenal.....	1,558 41	1,532 36
Advertising.....	32,530 95	32,773 40
Printing.....	64,679 52	60,203 65
Law and Equity Reports.....	4,795 81	7,702 86
Stationery and Postage... ..	6,359 44	6,291 31
Binding.....	1,610 50	1,847 10

DISBURSEMENTS.	1882.	1883.
State Prison Maintenance.....	\$66,032 79	\$66,607 90
State Prison Salaries.....	60,314 93	65,184 48
State Prison Repairs.....	5,793 64	4,012 86
Discharge.....	1,402 00	1,300 00
State Prison Gas Works.....		6,568 57
Transportation and Costs.....	15,115 95	
Reform School.....	32,076 25	26,475 70
Industrial School.....	6,000 00	7,500 00
Normal School.....	15,000 00	15,000 00
Normal School Scholarship.....	5,000 00	5,000 00
Normal School Repairs.....	591 65	188 72
Farnum Preparatory School.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Education.....	8,859 00	6,597 87
School Fund Expenses.....	1,252 96	1,777 50
Free School Libraries.....	2,080 00	2,560 00
Riparian Commission.....	11,000 00	11,000 00
Inspection of Fisheries.....	7,615 98	6,972 67
Food Fishes.....	1,000 00	
Geological Survey.....	6,999 32	8,024 60
Agricultural Experiment Station	7,050 95	7,916 18
Agriculture.....	6,059 78	3,858 44
Salaries and Fees.....	42,548 51	42,702 67
Clerical Service.....	22,269 48	21,789 68
State House Expenses.....	23,297 49	19,300 84
Repairs to State House.....	2,077 69	
State Board of Health.....	3,103 76	1,854 89
Vital Statistics.....	3,489 38	3,815 96
Pleuro-Pneumonia.....	881 07	995 95
Bounty on Sugar.....	1,579 00	8,337 44
Bounty on Fibrous Plants.....	7,447 00	1,376 73
Yorktown Centennial.....	17,510 17	
Yorktown Memorial.....	125 00	
Monmouth Battle Monument.....		2,000 00
Southern Exposition.....		500 00
Public Debt.....	90,000 00	90,000 00
Sinking Fund Expenses.....	1,328 47	1,677 85
Legislature.....	60,084 74	81,563 36
Soldiers' Home.....	35,235 40	30,239 21
Soldiers' Children's Home.....	926 32	
Pensions.....	5,417 54	3,830 64

DISBURSEMENTS.	1882.	1883.
Soldiers' State Bounty.....	\$144 80	\$196 58
Preservation of Records.....	6,404 50	4,804 23
Washington Headquarters.....	2,500 00	2,500 00
Bureau of Statistics.	2,654 25	3,817 43
State Library.....	1,386 04	1,499 47
Incidentals.....	2,550 82	2,962 80
Wrecks.....	738 12	1,115 20
Special Appropriations	147 65	.....
Requisitions.....	952 55	1,138 33
Interest on Temporary Loans....	10,901 96	1,364 47
Northern Boundary Line.....	2,300 00	241 13
Trenton City Assessments.....	3,599 22	.....
Constitutional Commission.....	1,978 15	.....
Commissioners on Water Supply .....	.....	1,700 49
Refunded Assessments.....	.....	467 09
Total disbursements	\$1,104,303 75	\$1,077,748 33
Balance at close of year.....	136,496 11	192,099 50
	\$1,240,799 86	\$1,269,847 83
Temporary loans paid. ....	.....	410,000 00
		\$1,679,847 83

RECEIPTS.	INCREASE.	DECREASE.
Tax—United Companies.....	.....	\$0 01
“ Other Railroads.....	\$33,597 17	.....
“ Foreign Insurance Companies .. .	1,006 36	.....
“ Sundry Corporations.....	.....	75 00
Assessments on Corporations....	18,070 96	.....
State Tax.....	495,549 22	.....
State Prison Receipts.....	.....	2,973 33
Interest and Dividends.....	.....	720 00
Judicial Fees.	1,510 33	.....
Official Fees	309 08	.....
Sales of Revision.....	.....	412 50
Fines and Forfeited Recognizances. ....	.....	3,175 34
Licenses and Fees .....	.....	.....

RECEIPTS.	INCREASE.	DECREASE.
Fees returned.....	.....	\$7,521 29
Sales of Ordnance.....	.....	139 39
Assessments on Private Acts.....	.....	.....
Securities paid off	\$24,000 00	.....
Yorktown Centennial.....	799 99	.....

DISBURSEMENTS.	INCREASE.	DECREASE.
Court Expenses.....	\$3,652 78	.....
Legal Expenses.....	.....	\$2,879 80
Costs on Forfeited Recognizances .....	.....	227 60
State Insane Asylums.....	8,106 72	.....
County Insane Asylums.....	.....	5,095 19
Deaf and Dumb, Blind and Fee- ble Minded	837 09	.....
State Institution for Deaf and Dumb.	12,000 00	.....
Militia.....	.....	5,487 80
Rifle Associations.....	.....	2,291 32
Arsenal ..	.....	26 05
Advertising.....	242 45	.....
Printing .....	.....	4,475 87
Law and Equity Reports	2,907 05	.....
Stationery and Postage.....	.....	68 13
Binding	236 60	.....
State Prison Maintenance.....	575 11	.....
State Prison Salaries.....	4,869 55	.....
State Prison Repairs.....	.....	1,780 78
Discharged Convicts. ....	.....	102 00
State Prison Gas Works.....	6,568 57	.....
Transportation and Costs.....	.....	15,115 95
Reform School.....	.....	5,600 55
Industrial School.....	1,500 00	.....
Normal School.....	.....	.....
Normal School Scholarship.....	.....	.....
Normal School Repairs.....	.....	402 93
Farnum Preparatory School.....	.....	.....
Education.....	.....	2,261 13
School Fund Expenses.....	524 54	.....
Free School Libraries.....	480 00	.....
Riparian Commission.....	.....	.....

DISBURSEMENTS.	INCREASE.	DECREASE.
Inspection of Fisheries.....		\$643 31
Food Fishes.		1,000 00
Geological Survey.	\$1,025 28	
Agricultural Experiment Station	865 23	
Agriculture.....		2,201 34
Salaries and Fees.....	154 16	
Clerical Service		479 80
State House Expenses.....		3,996 65
Repairs to State House.....		2,077 69
State Board of Health.....		1,248 87
Vital Statistics.....	326 58	
Pleuro-Pneumonia	114 88	
Bounty on Sugar.....	7,258 44	
Bounty on Fibrous Plants.....		6,070 27
Yorktown Centennial.....		17,510 17
Yorktown Memorial.....		125 00
Monmouth Battle Monument....	2,000 00	
Southern Exposition.....	500 00	
Public Debt.		
Sinking Fund Expenses.....	349 38	
Legislature.....	21,478 62	
Soldiers' Home		4,996 19
Soldiers' Children's Home.....		926 32
Pensions.....		1,586 90
Soldiers' State Bounty.....	51 78	
Preservation of Records.....		1,600 27
Washington Headquarters		
Bureau of Statistics.....	1,163 18	
State Library... ..	113 43	
Incidentals.	411 98	
Wrecks	377 08	
Special Appropriations.....		147 65
Requisitions.....	185 78	
Interest on Temporary Loans...		9,537 49
Northern Boundary Line.....		2,058 87
Trenton City Assessments.....		3,599 22
Constitutional Commission.....		1,978 15
Commissioners on Water Supply	1,700 49	
Refunded Assessments.....	467 09	

The above table presents facts, which are not only gratifying in themselves, but also in the possibilities which they present. The balance in bank and the ordinary receipts will be ample to meet the usual expenditures, and it is so admitted, for the present year. Our attention need only be directed, then, to future years. The receipts during the last year (excluding the items not to be counted on in the future,) amounted to eight hundred and sixty-one thousand seven hundred and two dollars (\$861,702), and the ordinary disbursements were one million fifty-one thousand nine hundred and ninety-one dollars (\$1,051,991). The deficiency of one hundred and ninety thousand two hundred and eighty-nine dollars (\$190,289) is the amount which it is necessary to provide for in order to avoid the imposition of a State tax hereafter. I have, in a previous message, pointed out the way in which this end can be reached. Of course, the executive can only recommend—it rests with the Legislature to provide the means. But the success which has followed the adoption of a portion of the course laid out, warrants the belief that the result claimed will be produced by the adoption of the balance, and justifies me in again calling your attention to the subject.

The receipts of the State should be increased to one million dollars (\$1,000,000) per annum. That they can be, without doing injustice to any one, I have no doubt. The sum derived from the taxation of railroads should be, at least, seven hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$750,000); tax on foreign insurance companies, five thousand dollars (\$5,000); state prison receipts, seventy-five thousand dollars (\$75,000); interest and dividends, twenty-nine thousand dollars (\$29,000); judicial fees, by an amendment to the law which will meet the difficulties shown in the Comptroller's report, should produce thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000); the item of official fees may safely be put down at thirteen thousand dollars (\$13,000); assessments on corporations, twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000); a tax should be levied on telegraph and express companies, which now pay nothing, for the portion of their route in this State, based either on their income or proportionate miles of service, and would produce, at least, twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000); a small tax on corporations, other than those already taxed as such, could and should be levied with the result of at least one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000).

The excess of the disbursements over one million dollars (\$1,000,000)—viz.: namely, fifty-two thousand dollars (\$52,000)

can very readily be reduced. The State Fund now pays annually forty-three thousand dollars (\$43,000), which is properly a charge upon the School Fund and should be placed there. There is no wisdom in taxing the people in order to allow the School Fund to grow. It is now as large as it need to be, and certainly as large as can well be managed without great expense. While the cost of the public printing may be reduced by the adoption of the contract system, it can be still further diminished by limiting the amount of work to be done. This can only be secured by a practical amendment to the several laws which require the printing of certain matters in the several reports. A prudent reduction would make a saving of twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000) from the expenditures of last year; the publication of the law and equity reports can be equally well done at a cost very much less than now; and so, in various other items of expenditures, as is hereinafter pointed out, a wise, proper and salutary reduction can be made.

The possibility of conducting the affairs of the State, within the limits of its receipts, is, to my mind, so apparent that it seems to be unjustifiable to so conduct matters as to render necessary the imposition of any extra burden upon the people.

SINKING FUND.

The report of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund show that the assets of the fund are as follows:

Loans on mortgages.....	\$493,954 99
Interest accrued thereon.....	11,454 54
Decrees against real estate.....	27,529 92
United States bonds (par value).....	50,000 00
New Jersey bonds (par value).....	11,000 00
School District bonds (par value).....	6,000 00
Balance in bank.....	62,608 21
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	\$662,547 66
Real estate costing.....	425,659 18
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	\$1,088,206 84

The outstanding war bonds amount to one million six hundred and ninety-six thousand three hundred dollars (\$1,696,300.)

The transactions of the fund have been as follows:

Balance November 1, 1882.....	\$36,737	95
Received from State Treasury.....	90,000	00
Interest	33,355	52
Rents of real estate.	7,016	28
Mortgage loans assigned, and paid in full and in part.....	89,700	00
On account of decrees against real estate.....	13,107	88
Real estate sold.....	45,359	31
Bonds paid off.	1,000	00
Sale of chattels under mortgage.....	1,208	50
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	\$317,485	44

Bonds paid off.....	\$101,000	00
Interest paid.....	104,661	00
U. S. bonds purchased, \$30,000, 3 per cent....	30,251	25
N. J. bonds purchased, \$11,000, 6 per cent....	11,341	00
Outstanding coupons paid.....	426	00
Expenses of real estate.....	6,871	25
Insurance, &c., of properties under foreclosure..	446	73
Balance in bank.....	62,488	21
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	\$317,485	44

The fund is responding to the increased attention and care given to it. A considerable amount of the real estate has been disposed of, and the existing loans have been more carefully watched and controlled. A supplementary report, by one of the Commissioners, presents the condition of the real estate owned by the fund, and demonstrates the propriety of disposing of it as rapidly as circumstances will allow. This the Commissioners are doing, at the same time making the effort to prevent a sacrifice. By the supplementary report it is shown that the fund will probably be exhausted by the year 1893, leaving eight hundred thousand dollars (\$800,000) of the debt unprovided for. This result is partly attributable to the imposition upon the fund of a larger burden than it was capable of bearing, and partly to the depreciation of its assets. Unless it is deemed best to allow the fund to exhaust itself, and afterwards to provide for the annual payment of the bonds by direct appropriations from the State

Fund or by State tax, provision should be made for the gradual strengthening of the fund.

RAILROAD TAXATION.

The question of the taxation of railroads in this State has risen to be one of the highest consideration. And properly so. The investment in railroad property in this State, as stated by the Commissioner of Railroad Taxation in a carefully prepared estimate, is two hundred and twenty-seven million three hundred and eighty-four thousand five hundred and thirty-four dollars (\$227,384,534).

Almost the entire amount is withdrawn from the ordinary assessment rolls of the municipalities, and is taxed under a special system, at a special rate, namely, one-half of one per cent. upon its true value, and the tax is paid directly into the State treasury. The tax levied upon the railroads of this State the last year was six hundred and seventy-seven thousand five hundred and fifty-seven dollars and seventy-six cents (\$677,557.76), or less than one-third of one per cent. upon the amount invested. Other property in the State is taxed at rates varying from one (1) to three (3) per cent.

It is apparent that the public burdens are not equally distributed, as between the property of railroads and that of individuals. It is true that much of the property and value of railroads is intangible, and such as would in the hands of private individuals escape taxation; but it is also to be remembered that the rate levied upon them is much lower. Taking one consideration with another, it is fair to assume that the rate paid by the railroads would be a proper one if it were assessed upon the full and true value of their property. The trouble is that it is not so levied. There are a number of reasons for this. Among them is the restricted interpretation which has been put by the courts upon the words "true value," which has cut down the taxable value to the worth of the roadbed, the track, the cars and the buildings, leaving out the far greater elements of the great use made of that roadbed and track and of the buildings, and of the productive value of the plant. Under such an interpretation a road which cost sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000) per mile, and did little business, might be taxed more than one which cost twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000) per mile, and whose

tracks were constantly occupied by a valuable freight and passenger traffic. Another reason is the failure of the appreciation in the value of special roads to find expression in the tax lists. In the case of one company, the valuation fixed when the company was bankrupt and its stock selling for but a few cents on the dollar, is still retained, although it has constantly and largely grown in value since then. I am informed that steps have been taken in the past few months to secure a re-assessment of this company. Another reason is the abandonment and exemption of the property of fifteen (15) railroads, amounting to nearly twelve million dollars (\$12,000,000), under an act passed in 1876 in violation of the contract of 1869—a contract which, in other cases, is being constantly invoked to the prejudice of the State and her people. Another reason is the exclusion from the public of any information concerning the subject. There are no published official reports of the actions of the Commissioners required under the law.

To meet the difficulties caused by this condition of affairs many plans have been proposed, some of them involving the most radical changes, by amendment to the Constitution, and opening up questions of the gravest character, which will take years to decide.

Considerable thought upon the subject, however, has led me to the belief that it is much better to take as the basis of action the present statute, and to correct the weak points in that. This can easily be done, because they can be covered by a very few provisions. First, the power and duty of taxing should be reposed in a board, having no other duty to perform, and owing their appointment to some authority as far removed as possible from the influence of the persons to be taxed. Next, the basis on which the tax is to be levied should be accurately defined, and should include all the elements which go to make up the worth and value of an enterprise, so clearly stated as to leave as little room as possible for a diminishing process by a technical construction. Next, the taxing board should be required to keep themselves constantly informed of any changes in the cost and value of the roads, and to change their assessments in accordance therewith, and the companies should be required to communicate such information fully and regularly. Next, such information should annually be presented to the Legislature. Next, the proviso to the act of 1876 should be repealed. The tax paid by the United Companies is not in excess of what would be pro-

duced by a tax of one-half of one per cent. upon the value of their works, and the proviso of 1876 is unjust to the State.

If the changes, which have been above suggested, should be made, the amount of tax received from railroads will be materially increased, and will not be excessive upon the companies.

RIPARIAN COMMISSION.

The report of the Commissioners is more than usually full, and is deserving of close attention. The operations during the year were as follows :

Grants of the fee.....	\$25,508 79
Leases made.....	22,865 32
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	\$48,374 11
Received on leases heretofore made.....	59,023 03
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	\$107,397 14

In addition to the above, applications have been made for leases and grants amounting to about three hundred and fourteen thousand dollars (\$314,000), some of which have been agreed upon by the Commissioners and the respective parties. This amount would bring the volume of business for the past year nearly up to that of the year previous, which was exceptionally large.

Included in the above statement of uncompleted operations are two applications for lease of lands in Hudson county, on the Hudson river, of the principal sum of two hundred and ninety-eight thousand dollars (\$298,000), which, upon being consulted thereabout, I declined to approve, because of their failure to recognize the right of the public to use as public highways the land in front of streets dedicated or going to high water mark, when extended beyond that mark by filling in or otherwise. Whatever may be said as to the legal effects of grants and leases already made, and whatever as to the power of the State to make these grants to the exclusion of the municipalities, I am convinced that, at least in thickly populated localities bordering on important streams, it is neither politic nor right to exercise that power. It would be a wise amendment of the law which should

recognize this, and either prevent any grant by the State, to other than the municipality, in front of streets dedicated or running to high water mark, or which should require that in such grants the rights of public highway should be reserved.

The Commissioners have prepared a schedule of the riparian lands of the State, and show that out of nearly four and a half million (4,452,750) lineal feet, the State has disposed of but half a million (500,703). The Commissioners attribute the ready sale of these lands to the reasonable prices charged for them, ranging from twenty (20) and thirty (30) cents per lineal foot on unimproved beaches, to fifty dollars (\$50) on the Hudson river and Bay of New York. The maximum price was fixed by the act of 1869, and might well be increased.

STATE PRISON.

The affairs of this institution are fully described in the reports of the several officers. The number of convicts at the beginning of the year was seven hundred and ninety-eight (798) and at its close eight hundred and four (804)—thirty-seven (37) females, and seven hundred and sixty-seven (767) males. Of the men, four hundred (400) are employed on contracts, as follows—shoes, one hundred (100); laundry, eighty (80); shirts, eighty (80); collars, twenty (20); boxes, twenty (20); whips, forty (40); pantaloons, thirty (30); buttons, thirty (30); two hundred and sixteen (216) are employed about the buildings and grounds, and one hundred and fifty-one (151) are unemployed. All of the contracts expire June 30th, 1885.

By the report of the Supervisor, it appears that the receipts and expenditures of the past year were as follows:

Paid for maintenance.....	\$62,462 83
Paid for repairs.....	4,500 72
Paid for salaries of officers and inspectors.....	9,000 00
Paid for salaries of deputies.....	56,209 64
Paid for discharged convicts.....	1,300 00
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	\$133,473 19
Earnings of prisoners.....	72,706 88
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Net loss to the State.....	\$60,766 31
Net loss previous year	61,163 27

The earnings of the prisoners exceeded those of last year by four thousand one hundred and seven dollars and twenty-one cents (\$4,107.21), and the expenses were increased nearly four thousand dollars (\$3,710.25). The reason for this is found in the increase made by the Board of Inspectors in the salaries of the deputies, amounting in six months to over five thousand dollars (\$5,000). I can see no reason to change my opinion that this increase was unwarranted by the circumstances; and also that it should be reconsidered. The salaries paid before the increase was made were the same as prevailed during the time of high prices consequent upon the war; they were fair then, and they would be liberal now. The Supervisor renews his suggestion that provision be made for more shop room, and for enclosing the yard by extending the walls. The fact that there are one hundred and fifty (150) men unemployed, and that an offer to hire a large number of these men was rejected because there was no shop or enclosed place in which they could be worked, gives force to the suggestion, and makes an appropriation for this purpose a wise expenditure. The appropriation made last year for a new gas works has been expended and the works completed, with the result of a better and cheaper light. The management of the institution gives evidence of zealous care on the part of the officers and has produced good results.

REFORMATORY.

Reform School for Boys.—The number of inmates of the School has increased slightly over that of last year, being three hundred and thirty (330) as against three hundred and twenty-two (322). The law of 1882, providing for an appropriation of not exceeding one hundred dollars (\$100) per year for the maintenance of each inmate, has worked well. The amount paid by the State for maintenance during the past year was nineteen thousand four hundred and seventy-five dollars and seventy cents (\$19,475.70), which, with the unexpended balance from the previous year, was sufficient for the needs of the institution. The management of the institution is such as to give to the inmates a combination of work, recreation and instruction. Four hours of each day are devoted to school and to exercise, and the balance to employment on the farm, in the workshops, or at the brick manufactory. As a result of this the boys earned, last

year, nineteen thousand eight hundred and sixteen dollars and four cents (\$19,816.04), nearly one-half of the cost of maintenance. The prices received for the labor of the boys in the manufacturing branches of their work were fixed after opportunity for competition by those desiring it, and are believed to be of full value. The special appropriation of seven thousand dollars (\$7,000), made last year for finishing and furnishing the new family building, has been expended and the building completed. A further appropriation is asked for in order to furnish it. The appropriation of two thousand dollars (\$2,000) for a new barn has not been used, because deemed insufficient, and three thousand dollars (\$3,000) additional is asked for, as are also five thousand dollars (\$5,000) for erection of gas works; two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500) for carriage house; two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500) for coal sheds, and four thousand dollars (\$4,000) for furniture and general repairs. The constant danger to the institution and its inmates from the use of kerosene seems to render necessary the introduction of gas, and I recommend that the appropriation asked for that purpose be made. In the death of Mr. Samuel Allinson the institution has lost an officer to whose philanthropy its inception was largely due, and to whose energy and watchful care much of its success may fairly be attributed.

Industrial School for Girls.—There were in the institution, at the close of the year, twenty-seven (27) inmates, of whom twelve were received during the year. The expense of running the institution the past year was five thousand eight hundred and ninety-three dollars and ninety-three cents (\$5,893.93), and the inventory shows property amounting to about forty-five thousand dollars (\$45,000), an investment of about two thousand dollars (\$2,000), and an annual expense of about two hundred dollars (200) for each inmate. The Trustees claim that of the one hundred and eighty-five (185) girls committed since 1871, over one hundred (100) have been reclaimed; if this be not so, it is certainly not due to the lack of effort on the part of the Managers and officers of the institution, who have given to the duties assigned them a zeal and intelligence most commendable. The Treasurer reports a balance on hand of three thousand three hundred and eighty-one dollars and ninety-five cents (\$3,381.95). An appropriation of three thousand dollars (\$3,000) will be sufficient for the support of the institution for the ensuing year.

SCHOOLS.

The report of the State Superintendent gives a complete exhibit of the condition of the Public Schools of the State. There were raised and appropriated for school purposes the past year the following amounts :

State school tax.....	\$1,375,699	20
State appropriation.....	100,000	00
Township school tax.	24,585	72
Interest from surplus revenue.....	33,004	49
Local tax for teachers' salaries.....	274,560	39
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	\$1,807,849	80
Local tax for school houses.....	507,752	81
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	\$2,315,602	61

The number of children of school age in the State is three hundred and forty-nine thousand two hundred and forty-two (349,242), and there are two hundred and eleven thousand nine hundred and five (211,905) pupils enrolled in the several public schools, and forty-eight thousand seven hundred and seven (48,707) attend private schools. The difference between the number of children of school age (from five to eighteen years) and that of those attending school, represents those who have not yet entered and those who, having attended for some years, have been withdrawn, yet are still kept upon the lists as of school age. The school property of the State is valued at over six and a half million dollars (\$6,515,620), and affords accommodations for one hundred and ninety-four thousand four hundred and fifty-six (194,456) pupils. The cost of each pupil, on the basis of the average attendance, is fifteen dollars and fourteen cents (\$15.14) per year.

Taken as a whole, the school system of the State is one of which we may well feel proud. A good education is placed within the reach of all, who can avail themselves of it, and interest is shown in every branch of the work.

NORMAL SCHOOL.

The Managers of the institution report two hundred and thirteen (213) pupils enrolled during the year, but the largest number in attendance in any one quarter was one hundred and seventy-one (171); the number of pupils graduated was thirty-nine (39). Although the boarding houses were last year completed, the five thousand dollars (\$5,000) appropriated by the State for the establishment of free scholarships was devoted to the repair and improvement of the boarding halls and principal's residence, and promises are made of still further expenditures in this direction during the coming year. There is no proper reason why these boarding halls, having no rent or interest to pay, should not be self-supporting, much less why the State should help pay the board of pupils, to whom they furnish a free education, a considerable proportion of them being from other States. The application of this scholarship fund for twenty years, to the purpose to which it has been devoted, was not such as was contemplated by the Legislature when it was authorized, and I venture the assertion that had the object been known, the appropriation would not have been made. But, letting that pass, it seems that the authorities have demonstrated that no scholarships are necessary, and that the purposes to which the sum has been diverted have reached their full fruition, and it should be cut off. The reports of the institution for the past eleven years, (from 1873 to the present time) show that of two thousand seven hundred and thirteen (2,713) pupils enrolled, the number of graduates was but four hundred and thirty-three (433). The direct expense to the State in this period of time has been over two hundred and fifty-five thousand dollars (\$255,000). This large expenditure for the result obtained, is due to the fact that there has grown into the management of the school a system of accumulation of real estate, which has long since outgrown the needs of the school itself, and has been extended to its collateral enterprise—the Model School. I have no doubt that whatever amount may continue to be appropriated will be used, but I am equally clear, that the limit of productiveness has been reached—and the appropriation should be reduced to a figure which bears some comparison to the results secured. The health of the institution during the period treated

in the reports, has been good. A recent attack of contagious disease has been met by prompt measures, and the ill effects overcome.

LUNATIC ASYLUMS.

The report of the officers of the *Trenton Asylum*, shows that the number of patients on October 31st last, was six hundred and twenty-seven (627), two (2) less than last year. Of these five hundred and twenty seven (527) were county patients; ninety-three (93) private; and seven (7) convict. The expense of maintaining the institution during the past year was one hundred and fifty-six thousand two hundred and eighty-one dollars and thirty-one cents, (\$156,281.31) of which forty-four thousand three hundred and twenty-six dollars and eighteen cents (\$44,326.18) was received from the State; eighty-three thousand two hundred and seventy-four dollars and seventy-three cents (\$83,274.73) from the counties; and twenty-five thousand four hundred and forty-three dollars and seventy-two cents (\$25,443.72) from private patients. The cost of maintaining and caring for each patient was two hundred and fifty-five dollars and thirty-six cents (255.36). The balance on hand at the close of the year was twenty-one thousand and seventeen dollars and ninety-nine cents (\$21,017.99). The institution owns sixty-five (65) acres of farm land, and rents one hundred and seventy (170) more, which the Managers ask authority to purchase, so as to secure an economical management of the dairy and an abundance of produce for supplying the institution for future years. It is suggested that the purchase might be made by using the balance in the hands of the Treasurer without drawing directly on the treasury of the State. There are to my mind two objections to this plan. First—I cannot be convinced that in order to supply a public institution with milk, it is necessary to buy a farm, especially when that institution is located in the midst of a fine agricultural region, upon which it can readily and certainly depend for its supplies. It might just as well undertake, the State furnishing the capital, to raise its own cattle, make its own cloth and leather, and enter into the many operations necessary for the production of its supplies. If the Asylum should do it, why not the Prison, and the other institutions? Second—The counties should be called upon to pay per patient only the actual cost of supporting him. There should be no balance with which to buy

farms or anything else, and if one is to be bought the Legislature should know the fact, and an appropriation should be made for that specific purpose, and be devoted to it;—to do otherwise is to have in every public institution a sort of sub-treasury in which public funds are kept, at the disposal of sub-legislatures in the person of their managers.

The Morristown Asylum reports seven hundred and seven (707) patients at the close of year, an increase of forty (40) since the last report. Of this number, five hundred and thirty (530) are county patients; twenty-nine (29) convict, and one hundred and forty-eight (148) private patients. The expense of maintaining the institution was one hundred and ninety-six thousand six hundred and twenty-four dollars and ninety-six cents (\$196,624.96) of which thirty-nine thousand six hundred and seventy-five dollars and ninety-one cents (\$39,675.91) was received from the State; eighty-three thousand eight hundred dollars and eighty-four cents (\$83,800.84) from the counties, and fifty-seven thousand three hundred and forty dollars and forty-three cents (\$57,340.43) from private patients. The balance at the close of the year was seven thousand three hundred and thirty-nine dollars and ninety-seven cents (\$7,339.97). The average number of patients was six hundred and eighty-seven (687), and the cost of maintaining and caring for each patient per year was two hundred and eighty-six dollars and twenty-nine cents (\$286.29). Complaint was made last year of the fact that the sewage and water from the buildings tended to pollute the small streams into which they flowed. The Legislature, to meet this and another purpose, appropriated the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000). An examination of the subject was made by Professors Brackett and Leeds, and Messrs. Hunt and Osborn, members of the State Board of Health, and it was found that while the waste matter from the Asylum was but a part of the cause of the foulness of the streams, yet it did assist in their pollution. They also ascertained that the necessary alterations could be made within the amount appropriated. Their plan was, if need be, to cut off a part of the storm water, and the greasy matter, and to dispose of the balance by its dispersion over a small plot of land belonging to the institution, on each of the streams. From the report of the institution it appears that this suggestion has not been followed, but it has been determined to adopt the plan proposed by the Superintendent of the Asylum, which is to turn all the water of the institution

into its sewers, and to dispose of it by a system of broad surface irrigation over a large tract of land. This necessitates the purchase of an adjoining property, of which nothing is said except the intimation by the Commissioners that the balance of over eight thousand dollars (\$8,157.91) in their hands, for building purposes, would not be enough. This plan is, no doubt, in keeping with an institution which has cost thirty-five hundred dollars (\$3,500) for every patient within its walls, but I cannot but consider it unnecessary, despite the claim that it will be of profitable use to the institution. I am clear that so much land as is necessary for the proper exercise of the patients should be allowed to these institutions. But it should stop there, and they should not be permitted to go into agricultural or mechanical enterprises, upon the theory that they can work more economically than those whose living depends on them.

In considering this question of management of our Asylums, it seems to me important that they should be kept under strict legislative control. The principle adopted in regard to the Reform School—that of measuring the appropriation for each quarter by its actual expense—is a proper and salutary one. The original system was for the counties to pay the actual cost of supporting their patients in the institution, exclusive of officers' salaries, and for the State to pay those salaries by fixed appropriations; any improvements were made by specific appropriations by the Legislature. Changes have since been made by which the counties are charged three dollars (\$3) per week, and the State one dollar (\$1) per week for county patients, and the State seven dollars (\$7) per week for convict patients, regardless of what the cost of maintenance may be. In addition, the State pays the salaries of all officers. The consequence of this action is seen in the annual reports, scarcely one of which fails to mention some important and expensive improvement of grounds and buildings. Of these the Legislature knows nothing until the work is done and the money paid, and is then expected to approve it. This should not be. I am satisfied that the prices paid by the counties, and certainly, that paid by the State for convict patients, can and should be reduced.

Besides the insane cared for in the two State institutions, there are patients in the several county asylums, for whom the State pays one dollar (\$1) per week. During the past year I have made personal visits to those of Essex, Hudson and Camden counties, and found them well managed and fully up to the

requirements of the case. All of the county institutions have been visited by the officer appointed by the Board of Health for that purpose, with most gratifying results; the suggestions of this officer have been readily adopted and important improvements made, with the result of placing these institutions in a condition worthy of the object for which they were established, and of the communities which they represent.

HOME FOR DISABLED SOLDIERS.

The number of the inmates at the beginning of the year was three hundred and eighty-nine (389); there were two hundred and ninety-one (291) admitted during the year, and four hundred and seventy-four (474) discharged, leaving two hundred and six (206) at the close of the year. The total number under care was six hundred and eighty (680), but nineteen (19) less than the previous year. The Managers say that no appropriation having been made last year in addition to the regular one of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000), they have been compelled to withdraw aid from some to whom they have hitherto extended it. They speak as if this were a hardship, and yet their report shows that of the six hundred and eighty (680) inmates of the Home, one hundred and twenty (120) never belonged to New Jersey regiments; and that a very large sum of money has been paid in cash to persons outside of the Home.

The Managers ask for an additional appropriation of twelve thousand dollars (\$12,000), making thirty-seven thousand dollars (\$37,000) in all. It is for the Legislature to say what shall be done, and whatever action is taken should be upon a full understanding of the necessities of the case. I feel that the institution, if it is to be continued, should be restricted to the disabled soldiers of this State who really need its aid, and for that purpose the twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) is much more than sufficient. The time has arrived in the history of this institution when its future course should be settled upon some other basis than that of the past.

DEAF AND DUMB, BLIND AND FEEBLE-MINDED.

During the past year, the organization of the New Jersey Institution for the Deaf and Dumb was completed and the build-

ing occupied. The number of pupils in the institutions of other States at the time was one hundred and thirty-six (136). As the law organizing the institution provided that the course of instruction should be five years, the admission into the new institution were limited to those pupils who had received instruction for less than that time. They numbered sixty-six (66), which with eighteen (18) original admissions makes the number in the institution eighty-four (84). This is not up to its full capacity, as it can comfortably accommodate one hundred and seventy-five (175) pupils, and the annual cost per pupil will thereby be reduced. The institution is well organized, with capable and efficient officers, and will no doubt be of great use to the State. There has been expended for the remodeling and preparation of the buildings and grounds the sum of forty-nine thousand two hundred and sixty-six dollars and eighty-nine cents (\$49,266.89), and for maintenance four thousand three hundred and four dollars and eight cents (\$4,304.08). The trustees make some suggestions in reference to changes in the laws under which the institution was organized, which their experience has demonstrated to be proper and necessary, and which will commend themselves to you.

The State pays, or assists in paying, for the care of forty-seven (47) pupils in the New York and Pennsylvania Institutions for the Blind, and sixty-three (63) in the Pennsylvania and Connecticut Institutions for the Feeble Minded. All of these institutions are at the head of their class in this country, and the pupils are as well cared for, physically and mentally, as they can well be, and at a reasonable cost to the State.

CHILD LABOR.

The Legislature, at its last session, provided for the limiting of the hours of labor of children by the enactment of certain provisions relative to the subject, and the appointment of an inspector to secure the enforcement of their enactments. The report of the inspector shows much valuable work to have been done, and presents, as fully as could be done with a few months' experience, the condition of the working children of the State, and suggestions as to changes which might be made to make more effective the practical working of the theory on which the law is based.

MILITIA.

The reports of the Adjutant and Quartermaster Generals show that the condition of the National Guard was never better than at the present time. The force consists of two hundred and fifty-three (253) officers and three thousand and thirty-four (3,034) men, a slight increase over the number reported last year. The force is organized into forty-eight (48) companies of infantry and two (2) Gatling gun companies. One (1) company of infantry was disbanded during the year, and one (1) was mustered into the service. Another company was organized, but, owing to the interposition of the Supreme Court, it has not yet been placed on the rolls. The entire force is well armed and equipped; the new uniforms were during the year issued to the only regiment not provided with them; the whole force is now uniformed alike. The drill in rifle practice has been maintained at Brinton Range, the use of the other ranges having been discontinued, with the result of a saving to the treasury, and an equally efficient service of the necessities of the case. The contract with the Brinton Range was made but for the current year. It is now suggested to me that the present system of rifle practice should be abandoned, and that in its stead there be established an annual encampment upon grounds owned by the State for each brigade, at which rifle practice should be a part of the manual. It is claimed that this system will be more effective, and at the same time not more expensive than the one now in operation. If so found, it should be adopted.

Under a joint resolution of the last Legislature, medals were prepared and presented to each officer and member of the New Jersey Battalion at the Yorktown Celebration, at a cost of eight hundred and nineteen dollars and nine cents (\$819.09).

AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE.

The report of this institution shows that it has at last earned a place in the public information and respect which it has long deserved, and which creates a demand for its benefits. Supported entirely by the proceeds of the land donated by the General Government and by the liberality of Rutgers College, to which it is attached, the State is under no expense in regard

to it, and of the sixty (60) students in attendance, thirty-eight (38) are enjoying State scholarships. The trustees have raised the standard of requirements for admission, and made beneficial changes in the course of studies; the graduates find ready employment in scientific pursuits. The agricultural farm attached to the college is utilized in demonstrating theories by practical results, and its work is made known to those whose interests lie in that direction.

AGRICULTURAL EXPERIMENT STATION.

The Managers of this department have wisely limited their work to investigations which individual farmers cannot make for themselves, and which are of economic importance to profitable farming. They have kept within the sum appropriated for the purpose, and for it have done much practical and valuable work, of aid to, and appreciated by, our agriculturists.

LABOR BUREAU.

The operations of this department, as presented in its annual report, are of more than ordinary interest and value. The effort has been to present, in addition to the statistics showing the condition of the wage workers in the State, facts relative to some one or two particular branches of industry. During the past year special attention has been paid to the manufacture of silk goods and pottery and glassware, and the exhibit of these industries is full and instructive. The department has made diligent effort to comply with the law requiring the collection of statistics relative to jails and almshouses, and the report contains many facts of importance bearing on this subject.

It appears by this report that there has been expended in the last three years for the bounty on sugar over twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000), and that, under ordinary circumstances, thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000) will be required for the next two years. A matter worthy of your consideration.

PENSIONS.

There are now eighteen (18) persons on the pension list of the State, five (5) having died during the year. The list is com-

posed of ten (10) survivors, or widows of survivors of the war of 1812, who are paid under the general law, and three (3) of such survivors paid under special laws; two (2) persons who receive pensions for injuries received while firing a Fourth of July salute; and three (3) members of the National Guard, or their survivors, injured while in service. The amount expended last year was three thousand one hundred and sixty-nine dollars and forty-four cents (\$3,169.44).

The Adjutant General's Department has given attention to the duty imposed upon it by the act of 1880, of forwarding the claims of indigent persons for pensions from the General Government. Much intelligent service has been rendered with satisfactory results and at small expense.

NORTHERN BOUNDARY.

The Commissioners appointed by the State of New York and New Jersey to settle and locate the northern boundary line of this State, have concluded their labors. The Commission was composed of Abraham Browning, Thomas N. McCarter and George H. Cook, on the part of New Jersey, and Henry R. Pierson, Elias W. Leavenworth and Chauncey M. Depew, on the part of New York. When the subject was first agitated in this State, it was hoped that it would be possible to secure such a relocation of the line as would make it accord with the verbal description: "A direct and straight line," between the terminal points. Decisions of the Supreme Court of the United States upon similar cases, however, led the Commissioners to the conclusion that the line, as run and marked in 1774, and since then recognized, was the boundary of the two States. The work of the Commission was, therefore, limited to a remarking of that line by the restoration of such of the monuments as had been destroyed or injured. This work has been thoroughly done, and in a manner to insure stability. The Commissioners of the two States have entered into an agreement, on their behalf, that the line, as surveyed and marked in 1774, continue to be the boundary or partition line between the two States; that the monuments originally erected, and those restored by the present Commission, shall be the monuments; that the field books and records of the Commissioners, as attested by them and filed in the offices of the Secretaries of State, shall be the permanent and

authentic records of said boundary line. This agreement needs ratification by the Legislatures of both States, and confirmation by Congress, and I recommend that early action be taken on the part of this State to that end. The fidelity and zeal with which the Commissioners have performed the duty imposed on them, is deserving of recognition.

INVESTIGATING COMMITTEES.

At the last session of the Legislature four committees were appointed under resolutions of single houses, to examine into certain subjects. These committees claimed under "An act to define the powers of Legislative Committees," approved March 11th, 1875, the right to appoint secretaries, and some of them stenographers and legal advisers. The act provided that the compensation of legal and clerical assistance as certified to by the chairman of the committee, and approved by the Governor, should be paid from the State Treasury. Soon after the close of the session I was requested to approve bills for room rent, board, carriage hire and pay of clerks, which, in the exercise of the discretion vested in me, I declined to do, because the sum needed for the several committees threatened to be very large. These bills, with others, will, no doubt, be presented to you, and your attention thus called to a subject which threatens to become an abuse. It seems certain that the State should not be subjected to the danger of large and unexpected expenses by the action of a bare majority of a quorum of one house.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

The work of the Board of Health increases each year in importance. Health and life are material resources for the happiness of the people and the prosperity of the State. So much of disease is preventable and its occurrence so much a tax on industry and comfort that judicious expenditures in this direction are advisable. Besides its co-operation with local boards and its special inquiries into local conditions, I have found the board an efficient aid in the sanitary care of our public institutions.

In addition to its value for legal record and reference, the

Bureau of Vital Statistics gives us definite information as to the health of localities and the influences which are affecting the vital stamina of the people. The mortality of some cities is shown to be double that of the healthier country districts. This and other facts should lead to increased watchfulness over the condition of city population. The returns for the last year show an increase of marriages and of births over any previous year, and a decrease of over two thousand five hundred (2,500) from the number of deaths for the preceding year. These are among the evidences of our prosperity as a State.

GEOLOGICAL SURVEY.

The work of the Geological Survey is in steady progress, and the results which are published in its annual reports and maps are finding important uses in the development and growth of the material interests of the State.

The new geographic and topographic map of the State is in course of publication. A map covering eight hundred and forty-seven (847) square miles of the thickest settled portion of the State is already issued; two other maps, covering about nine hundred and eighty (980) square miles, are engraved and ready for printing, and one thousand and forty-nine (1,049) square miles additional have been surveyed, and the surveys will be mapped in the course of the winter. The maps already published have proved singularly useful in facilitating various works of public importance.

The annual report submitted gives much useful information, and I commend the survey to a continuance of the encouragement and fostering care which it has hitherto received and deserved.

WATER SUPPLY.

The Commissioners on Water Supply have presented a preliminary report of their operations during the past year, and promise a more extended report during your session. Their suggestions are the result of considerable deliberation, and should be thoroughly considered by you. Owing to the peculiar juncture of events, the cities in the northern part of the State are, possibly, not in a condition to demand and provide for any great

increase in their supply, but the time must come, and soon, when they will need all that the surrounding country will provide. I trust that no action will be taken by you which will compel them when that time comes to put themselves in the hands of a private corporation, but that you will hold in trust for the people of this State the public waters so necessary to their comfort, health and prosperity.

The Commissioners of Fisheries present a very full and satisfactory report, which includes a resume of the events of the past three years by the former Commission, and a supplemental report by the present Commissioners. They have evidently given the subject due consideration, and the facts presented are worthy of your attention.

The Pilot Commissioners, to whom was referred the duty of preventing the illegal deposit of solid materials in the navigable waters of the State, call attention to their inability to thoroughly enforce the law, because of the absence of any provision for the payment of the necessary expenses. The subject is of sufficient importance to merit your consideration.

In closing this, the last communication which I shall in all probability make to you, I desire to acknowledge the unvaried courtesy and aid which I have received from the several State officers, and to express the hope that our State may continue to advance in all the material elements of prosperity and progress. To this end, let us invoke and deserve the assistance of the Divine Ruler of the universe.

G. C. LUDLOW.

Executive Department, January 8, 1884.

The Speaker appointed Samuel W. Semple, of Camden county, as his Private Secretary.

The Clerk appointed Samuel Fowler, of Sussex, Journal Clerk of the House.

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

Resolved, That the following named persons be and they are hereby elected to the several positions hereafter named: Ser-

geant-at-Arms, Cornelius J. Donovan, of Hudson; Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms, James Johnson, of Passaic; Keeper of Ladies' Gallery, Jonathan H. Peterson; Keeper of Gentlemen's Gallery, Benjamin Manning, of Hudson; Document Clerk, James Byrnes, of Essex.

Mr. McLaughlin moved to amend by adding the name of John Bunnell for Door-keeper.

The amendment was accepted.

On motion of Mr. Flynn, the resolution was amended by adding the names of John Feeney, for Door-keeper, and James Byrnes, for Document Clerk.

Mr. Cole offered the following substitute, which was not agreed to:

Resolved, That the following named persons be and are hereby elected to the several positions hereinafter named: Sergeant-at-Arms, G. M. Colfax, of Passaic; Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms, William Kearney, of Salem; Keeper of Ladies' Gallery, August Bergeman, of Passaic; Keeper of Gentlemen's Gallery, Reuben Brown, of Mercer.

The original resolution was then adopted by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Boud, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—34.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Campbell, Carson, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Mills, North, Rue, See, Stafford, Weaver—23.

Mr. Neighbour nominated D. S. Stute, of Hunterdon; for Engrossing Clerk.

Mr. Cole nominated W. J. Pohl, of Essex, for Engrossing Clerk.

Whereupon the roll was called with the following result:

For Mr. Stute, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Boud, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—34.

For Mr. Pohl, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Campbell, Carson, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, North, Rue, See, Stafford, Weaver—25.

Mr. Stute was duly declared elected Engrossing Clerk of the House, and took and subscribed to the oath of office.

Cornelius J. Donovan having been duly declared elected Sergeant-at-Arms, James Johnson Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms, respectively took and subscribed to the oath of office.

The Speaker appointed the following named gentlemen a Committee on Rules: Messrs. Clarke, Savage and Stafford.

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

Resolved, That the recommendations contained in the Governor's Message be referred to the appropriate committees when

appointed, and that the usual number of copies be printed for the use of the House.

Mr. O'Connor offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That the usual number of copies of the Governor's Message be printed in the German language, and that the printing of the same be done by Joseph Knorr, of Newark.

On motion of Mr. McLaughlin, the consideration of the resolution was laid over until to-morrow.

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

Resolved, That the Sergeant-at-Arms be empowered to procure and furnish bill files for the use of the members of this House.

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

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed by the Speaker to invite the clergy of Trenton to open the sessions of the House with prayer.

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

Resolved, That the regular hours of meeting of this House be at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Mr. Neighbour offered the following resolution, which was not adopted :

Resolved, That the rules of the last House of Assembly, as printed, be adopted as the rules for the government of this House.

The following message was received from the Senate at the hands of its Secretary :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
January 8th, 1884. }

Mr. Speaker—

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has organized by the election of Hon. Benjamin A. Vail, of Union county, as President, and William A. Stiles, of Sussex, as Secretary.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Flynn, the House adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, January 9th, 1884.

At 10 o'clock the House met.

Prayer was offered by Hon. T. G. Chattle.

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

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—53.

The following communication was received from the Comptroller of the Treasury of the State:

TRENTON, January 8th, 1884.

Hon. A. B. Stoney, Speaker of the House of Assembly:

SIR—I have the honor to inform you that the contract to do the current printing for the House of Assembly for the session of 1884 has been, with the approval of Governor George C. Ludlow, awarded to the Courier Publishing Association, of Camden, N. J., after advertisement for and receipt of proposals, as provided by an act relative to the public printing, approved March 23d, 1883. The article of agreement and the bonds required by law have not yet been executed, but they are now in course of preparation.

Very respectfully,

E. J. ANDERSON,

Comptroller.

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

Resolved, That the Clerk of this House be directed to have five hundred copies of diagrams of the House of Assembly prepared, with the names of the members printed thereon, and that the same be ready early next week.

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

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

The following committees were announced by the Speaker:

Committee on Clergy—Messrs. Caminade, Applegate and Rue.

Committee on Governor's Inauguration—Messrs. McLaughlin, Savage, Caminade, Armstrong, Jenkins.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
January 9th, 1884. }

Mr. Speaker—

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has appointed Messrs. Miller, Youngblood and Hires as members of a Joint Committee on the part of the Senate to make the necessary arrangements for the inauguration of Hon. Leon Abbett as Governor of this State.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Clarke, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 1, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate and regulate telegraph companies" (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

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

Assembly Bill No. 2, entitled

An Act relative to actions for injuries,

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

Assembly Bill No. 3, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of dentistry, and to protect the people against empiricism in relation thereto, in the State of New Jersey," approved March fourteenth, 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 Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 4, entitled

An Act for the protection of life and property in counties of the first class in this State from the explosion of steam boilers,

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

Assembly Bill No. 5, entitled

An Act in relation to cities of this State of the first class, enabling them to form a company to reclaim a stream or streams for the purpose of building a ship canal,

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. Clarke, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 6, entitled

An Act to authorize neighboring cities to improve connecting principal streets so as to form continuous thoroughfares,

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. Flynn (by request), on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 7, entitled

A Supplement to "An act for the relief of persons imprisoned on civil process" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

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

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

Assembly Bill No. 8, entitled

An Act amending chapter CCXIX., of the laws of eighteen hundred and eighty,

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

Mr. Mills (by request), introduced

Assembly Bill No. 9, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the organization of the National Guard of the State of New Jersey," approved March ninth, eighteen hundred and sixty-nine,

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

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

Assembly Bill No. 10, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crime," approved March twenty-seventh, A. D. eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

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

Mr. McLaughlin, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 11, entitled

An Act to fix rates of ferriage for foot passengers on ferries over the waters dividing the State of New Jersey from all adjoining States,

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

Assembly Bill No. 12, entitled

An Act in relation to the receivers of insolvent corporations,

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

Assembly Bill No. 13, entitled

An Act for the better security of depositors and creditors in certain banks 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 Banks and Insurance, when appointed.

Mr. Armitage, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 14, entitled

An Act to protect all citizens in their civil and legal rights,

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

Mr. Rich, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 15, entitled

An Act to provide for the election of delegates to a convention to prepare a constitution for the government of this State, and for submitting the same to the people thereof for ratification or rejection,

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

Mr. Armitage, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 16, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act to encourage the formation of libraries in the free public schools of New Jersey," passed April sixth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one,

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

Mr. Armitage, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 17, entitled

An Act concerning railroad passage tickets,

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

Mr. Ross, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 18, entitled

Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning landlords and tenants," approved April fifteenth, eighteen 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. Cadmus (by request), on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 19, entitled

A Supplement to "An act respecting bridges" (Revision), approved April tenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

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

Mr. Burgess, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 20, entitled

An Act relative to the stoppage of railway trains at cities of the first class in this State,

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

Mr. Fish, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 21, entitled

An Act to provide for the removal of suits at common law to the court of chancery,

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

Mr. Fish, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 22, entitled

An Act to secure to workmen and operatives their wages and the payment thereof,

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

Mr. Mills, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 23, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act appointing commissioners for a sinking fund, and defining their duties," approved March twenty-fifth, eighteen hundred and sixty-four,

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Incidental Expenses, when appointed.

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

Assembly Bill No. 24, entitled

A Supplement to "An act concerning disorderly persons" (Revision), approved April ninth, eighteen 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 Revision of Laws.

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

Assembly Bill No. 25, entitled

A Supplement to "An act concerning juries" (Revision), approved March twenty-seven, 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. Prall, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 26, entitled

An Act to prohibit imprisonment for default in payment 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.

Mr. Prall, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 27, entitled

An Act exempting firemen from taxation,

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

Mr. Rue, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 28, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act relating to turnpike companies," approved February twenty-fourth, 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 Corporations.

Mr. Rue, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 29, entitled

An Act concerning the lighting of streets and public places in townships,

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. Armitage, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 30, entitled

An Act to repeal the second section of an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the Newark Plank Road and Ferry Company,' approved February twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine," which amendatory act was approved February twenty-third, eighteen hundred and seventy,

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

Mr. Armitage, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 31, entitled

An Act to annex to Essex county a part of Hudson county,

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

Mr. Kelly, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 32, entitled

An Act to limit and regulate ferriage for trucks, wagons, coaches and other vehicles,

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. Haines, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 33, entitled

A Further Supplement to "An act relative to sales of lands under a public statute or by virtue of any legal proceeding"

(Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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

Mr. Cole, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 34, entitled

An Act to provide for the taxation of the real estate of railroad corporations 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 Railroads and Canals.

Mr. Cole, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 35, entitled

An Act to further regulate licenses and the sale of liquors,

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. Cole, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 36, entitled

An Act to regulate the rate of fare on railroads of this State,

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

Mr. Cole, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 37, entitled

An Act limiting the powers of 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. Cole, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 38, entitled

An Act respecting the police and fire departments of cities of the first class, and regulating the terms and tenure of office of officers and men employed in these said departments,

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. Cole, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 39, entitled

An Act relative to actions by persons injured or killed at railroad crossings in cities of this State,

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

Mr. Armstrong, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 40, entitled

An Act prohibiting the making of any bonds or other evidences of indebtedness, by any county, city, borough, town, township, or other municipal corporation in this State, or by any board, body, or committee of any such county, city, borough, town, township, or other municipal corporation,

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. Armstrong, on leave introduced

Assembly Bill No. 41, entitled

An Act to regulate the holding of, and to prevent frauds in, the primary elections of the several political parties 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 Elections.

Mr. Armstrong, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 42, entitled

An Act fixing the fiscal year 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, when appointed.

Mr. Armstrong, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 43, entitled

A Supplement to "An act respecting the orphans' court, and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the orphans' court and surrogates" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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

Mr. Armstrong, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 44, entitled

An Act authorizing turnpike companies to take and condemn land for making or repairing their roadway,

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

Also,

Assembly Bill No. 45, entitled

An Act authorizing suits to be brought against 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. Holzwarth, on leave, introduced

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 1, entitled

Joint Resolution relative to the tariff,

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, when appointed.

Mr. Holzwarth, on leave, introduced

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 2, entitled

Joint Resolution relative to a national telegraph,

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

Mr. Keasbey, on leave, introduced

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 3, entitled

Joint Resolution relative to proposed amendments to the Constitution 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.

On motion of Mr. Ross, the House adjourned.

FRIDAY, January 11, 1884.

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

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

Messrs. Applegate, Caminade—2.

Mr. Caminade, 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 EVENING, January 14, 1884.

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

Prayer was offered by the Rev. Mr. Willis Reeves.

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

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—58.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Cole insisted that the minutes should be read in full, but on motion of Mr. McLaughlin, the entire reading of the minutes was dispensed with.

Mr. Rich, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 46, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to re-organize the local government of the township of West Hoboken,' passed March the twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four," which supplement was approved April eighth, 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 Municipal Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 47, entitled

An Act concerning fire departments in townships of this State,

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

Assembly Bill No. 48, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April first, eighteen 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. Burgess, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 49, entitled

An Act in relation to savings institutions and incorporated companies making annual reports,

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. Burgess, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 50, entitled

An Act in relation to past due taxes and assessments,

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

Mr. Burgess, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 51, entitled

A Supplement to "An act to incorporate charitable and benevolent associations," approved March second, eighteen hundred and eighty-three,

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

Mr. Chapman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 52, entitled

An Act concerning taxes,

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

Mr. Flynn, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 53, entitled

An Act in relation to the admission and sale of food for cattle in stock yards of this State, 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. Flynn, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 54, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of pursuing and detective companies," approved March twenty-ninth, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight,

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

Mr. Flynn, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 55, entitled

An Act for the government of persons who are members of companies incorporated under the act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of pursuing and detective companies,"

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

Mr. Fish, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 56, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and materials in erecting any building," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, giving to district courts jurisdiction in certain cases arising under said 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. Fish, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 57, entitled

An Act in relation to past due taxes,

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

Mr. Fish introduced

Assembly Bill No. 58, entitled

An Act to define the term of any letting when no specific term is fixed,

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

Mr. Mills, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 59, entitled

An Act to repeal a part of section two, of chapter CCCCXCIX, of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

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

Mr. Mills, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 60, entitled

An Act in relation to the holding of courts in certain cases,

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

Mr. Harrigan, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 61, entitled

An Act to abolish and prohibit the employment under contract of convicts and inmates of prisons, jails, penitentiaries, and all public reformatory institutions in the State of New Jersey,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, referred to the Committee on State Prison, and ordered printed before reported.

Mr. Caminade, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 62, entitled

An Act to provide for the publication of the "Manual of the Legislature 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 Printing.

Mr. Caminade, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 63, entitled

An Act to repeal "An act constituting district courts,"

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. Caminade, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 64, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the classification of cities," etc.,

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

Mr. Chattle, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 65, entitled

An Act for the compromise and settlement of assessments and past due taxes,

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

Mr. Armstrong, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 66, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and materials in erecting any building" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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

Mr. Keasbey, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 67, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act authorizing the establishment of hospitals in the cities of the State," approved February twenty-third, eighteen hundred and eighty-three,

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

Mr. Ross, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 68, entitled

Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

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

Mr. Holzwarth, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 69, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

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

Mr. Cole, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 70, entitled

An Act to authorize the burial of the bodies of any honorably discharged soldier, sailor or marine, who shall hereafter die without leaving means sufficient to defray funeral expenses,

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. Clarke, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 71, entitled

An Act concerning cities in this State,

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

Mr. Chapman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 72, entitled

An Act to regulate the vacation of streets in cities,

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

Mr. Chapman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 73, entitled

An Act to define the term "Homœopathic," when applied to physicians,

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

Mr. Armstrong, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 74, entitled

An Act constituting assembly district courts in certain assembly districts in this State,

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

Mr. Kelly, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 75, entitled

An Act to provide for the better protection of life and limb on all railroads carrying passengers in this State,

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

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

That all bills be printed before reference to committees,

Which was ruled out of order.

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

Resolved, That the Joint Committee on Inauguration be authorized and empowered to furnish twenty (20) floor tickets to each member of the Legislature for the inauguration ceremonies, and if sufficient tickets are not printed, the committee is required to have them printed forthwith.

Mr. Cole moved to refer the resolution to the Committee on Inauguration,

Which was not agreed to.

On a viva voce vote, the resolution was then declared lost.

The following report was made by the Joint Committee on the inauguration of Leon Abbett, Governor-elect :

To the General Assembly—

The Joint Committee on Inauguration respectfully report that they have decided upon the following arrangements for the inauguration of Hon. Leon Abbett, Governor-elect of New Jersey :

The inaugural ceremonies will take place on Tuesday, the 15th inst., at 12 o'clock, at Taylor Opera House, in Trenton, in the presence of the Legislature, the Judiciary and State officers.

The two Houses of the Legislature will meet in their respect-

ive chambers at the usual hour, and adjourn at 11 o'clock to meet upon the stage of Taylor Opera House at 11:30. They will organize upon the stage, where seats have been prepared for them. Those having been furnished with cards of admission to the stage are requested to be in their places by 11:30 A. M. The Sergeant-at-Arms of each House, with their assistants, will act as ushers at the Opera House. At 11 o'clock A. M. the Joint Committee on Governor's and State Officers' Inauguration, will meet in the Executive Chamber and escort Governor Ludlow and Governor-elect Abbett to a place in the line of parade. On their arrival at the stage of the Opera House the following order of exercises will be observed:

1. Prayer by Rev. Dr. Abercrombie.
2. Administration of the oath of office by Chief Justice Beasley.
3. Delivery of the great seal of the State by Governor Ludlow.
4. Acceptance of the great seal by Governor Abbett.
5. Introduction of Governor Abbett to the President of the Senate by ex-Governor Ludlow.
6. Introduction of the Governor to the Senate and General Assembly by the Hon. Benjamin A. Vail, President of the Senate.
7. Inaugural address.
8. Benediction by Rev. Mr. Studdiford.

A reception will be held in the Executive Chamber from 2:30 to 3:30 P. M. An evening reception will be held in the Executive Chamber from 8 to 10 P. M.

Officers of the National Guard attending the evening reception are requested to appear in uniform.

The following instructions are issued for the guidance of clubs and organizations intending to take part in the parade.

Line will be formed on Warren street, south of, and right resting on East Hanover street, at 11 A. M., in the following order:

1. Young Men's Democratic Association, of Trenton.
2. Joel Parker Association, of Newark.
3. Randolph Light Guards, of Newark.
4. Hudson County delegation.

The procession will move at 11:30 A. M., up Warren street to Perry, through Perry street to Greene, down Greene street to Taylor Opera House, where the line will be dismissed. Colonel Richard A. Donnelly will be in charge of all organizations in the

line of procession. Visiting clubs and organizations which have not signified their intention of being present will, on arrival, be assigned a position in the line.

W. B. MILLER,
GEORGE HIRES,
JAMES YOUNGBLOOD,

Senate Committee.

DENNIS McLAUGHLIN,
JOHN CAMINADE,
EDWARD S. SAVAGE,
E. A. ARMSTRONG,
G. W. JENKINS,

House Committee.

The report was read and accepted.

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

Resolved, That three hundred (300) extra copies be printed of Assembly Joint Resolution No. 3, "Proposed Constitutional Amendments."

The Speaker announced the following committee to report on a more accurate method of keeping the minutes of this House :

Messrs. Cole, Ross and Robbins.

Mr. O'Connor moved to take up the resolution offered by him January 9th, and which was laid over, in reference to the printing of the Governor's message in the German language.

Mr. Flynn seconded the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Clark, the resolution was then adopted.

On motion of Mr. Ross, the House adjourned.

TUESDAY, January 15, 1884.

At 10 o'clock the House met.

Prayer was offered by Rev. W. W. Lovejoy.

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

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—54.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER, 1884. }

Mr. Speaker—

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

Resolved, (the House of Assembly concurring) That when the Senate adjourns, it be to meet at Taylor Opera House, in city of Trenton, at 11:30 A. M., to participate in the ceremonies of Governor-elect Leon Abbett.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER, }
Mr. Speaker— 1884. }

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

Resolved, (the House of Assembly concurring) That a special committee to consist of three members of each House be appointed to take into consideration the subject of equalization of taxation upon the property of railroads, canals, telegraph, telephone and other corporations, and to prepare and report a bill or bills to provide for such equalization.

On motion of Mr. Cole, the resolutions in the above messages were concurred in.

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

Resolved, (the Senate concurring) That when the House adjourn it be to meet at Taylor Opera House, in the city of Trenton, at 11:30 o'clock A. M., to participate in the inaugural ceremonies of Governor-elect Leon Abbett.

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

Resolved, That when this House adjourn it adjourn to meet to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

On motion of Mr. Jenkins, the vote by which the above resolution was adopted was reconsidered.

Mr. Neighbour then withdrew the resolution.

The following report by the Committee on Clergy was made and accepted :

TRENTON, N. J., January 8th, 1884.

Rev.....

DEAR SIR—The undersigned, a committee of the Legislature appointed for that purpose, request you to open the Senate and House with prayer, on the days as fixed hereunder. Please

advise us if the date assigned to you will not be convenient, in order that such substitution may be made as will secure the attendance of some one on each day.

Rev. George K. Morris, D. D., January 8 to 11.

Rev. Willis Reeves, January 14 to 18.

Rev. L. B. Hartman, D. D., January 21 to 25.

Rev. S. M. Studdiford, January 21 to 25.

Rev. J. B. Kennedy, January 28.

Rev. Anthony Smith, February 1.

Rev. J. H. Harpster, February 4 to 8.

Rev. Henry M. Barbour, February 4 to 8.

Rev. J. Y. Dobbins, D. D., February 11 to 15.

Rev. C. H. Richardson, D. D., February 11 to 15.

Rev. O. T. Walker, February 18 to 22.

Rev. F. H. Peabody, February 18 to 22.

Rev. C. F. Garrison, February 25 to 29.

Rev. Thaddeus Hogan, February 25 to 29.

Rev. Jacob Zentner, March 3 to 7.

Rev. W. H. Neilson, Jr., March 3 to 7.

Rev. Elijah Lucas, March 10 to 14.

Rev. C. H. Barry, March 10 to 14.

Rev. J. R. Westwood, March 17 to 21.

Rev. Walter A. Brooks, March 17 to 21.

Rev. C. Rollin Smith, March 24 to 28.

Rev. John Hall, D. D., March 24 to 28.

Rev. Daniel Schnebel, March 31.

Rev. J. A. McFaul, April 4.

Rev. Joseph Gaskill, April 7 to 11.

Rev. A. F. Hutchinson, April 7 to 11.

Respectfully yours,

GEORGE HIRES,
STACY PANCOAST,
GEORGE O. VANDERBILT,

Senate Committee.

JOHN CAMINADE,
JOSEPH H. APPLÉGATE,
A. JUDSON RUE,

House Committee.

Mr. Rich, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 76, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to the election of constables," approved March twelfth, eighteen 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. Rich, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 77, entitled

A Further Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourth, eighteen 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. Harrison, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 78, entitled

A Further Supplement to "An act for the construction, maintenance and operation of water-works for the purpose of supplying cities, towns and villages of this State with water," approved April twenty-first, eighteen hundred and seventy-six,

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

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

Assembly Bill No. 79, entitled

An Act to set off a portion of the township of West Orange, in the county of Essex, and annex the same to the city of Orange,

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

Mr. Larison, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 80, entitled

An Act to provide for the removal of snow and ice from sidewalks and gutters in incorporated towns and boroughs,

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

Mr. Chattle, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 81, entitled

An Act to provide for the election of road overseers in their respective districts,

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

Mr. Chattle (by request), introduced

Assembly Bill No. 82, entitled

An Act prohibiting the desecration of the Sabbath or Sunday.

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

Mr. Lee, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 83, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act to secure to creditors an equal and just division of the estates of debtors who convey to assignees for the benefit of creditors," approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

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

Mr. McLaughlin (by request), introduced

Assembly Bill No. 84, entitled

An Act concerning cities,

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

The Speaker announced the Standing Committees of the House, as follows :

On Ways and Means—Messrs. Chapman, Budd, Irons, Cole and Lehlbach.

On Judiciary—Messrs. Neighbour, Rich, Prall, Fish and See.

On Agriculture and Agricultural College—Messrs. Scott, Lake, Doremus, Coombs and Weaver.

On Education—Messrs. Steljes, Clarke, Chattle, Mills and Hoffman.

On Elections—Messrs. Armitage, Doremus, Caminade, Haines and Armstrong.

On Engrossed Bills—Messrs. Harrigan, Ludlam, Budd, Hoffman and Rue.

On Municipal Corporations—Messrs. McLaughlin, Jernee, Applegate, Branning and Keasbey.

On Militia—Messrs. Lake, Chapman, Wortendyke, Holzwarth and Alcott.

On Claims and Revolutionary Pensions—Messrs. Byrnes, Chattle, Scott, Dickinson and Lupton.

On Corporations—Messrs. Wildrick, Armitage, O'Donnell, Carson and Armstrong.

On Banks and Insurance—Messrs. Prall, Robbins, Savage, Stafford and Jenkins.

On Unfinished Business—Messrs. Jernee, Flynn, Harrigan, Campbell and Burgess.

On Incidental Expenses—Messrs. Kelly, Larison, Caminade, North and Harrigan.

On Stationery—Messrs. Flynn, Ross, Hough, Woodruff and See.

On Riparian Rights—Messrs. Ross, O'Connor, Steljes, Mills and Weaver.

On Revision of Laws—Messrs. Rich, Neighbour, Branning, Jenkins and Keasbey.

On Fisheries—Messrs. Savage, Cadmus, Wildrick, Stafford and Burgess.

On Railroads and Canals—Messrs. Savage, O'Connor, Boud, Campbell and Rue.

On Miscellaneous Business—Messrs. Wortendyke, Larison, Cadmus, Bell and Harrison.

On motion of Mr. Ross, the House adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, January 16th, 1884.

At 10 o'clock the House met.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Hon. John D. Campbell.

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

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Rich, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 85, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning certain townships in this State," approved March twenty-third, eighteen hundred and eighty-three,

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

Mr. Dickinson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 86, entitled

An Act to authorize the payment of five hundred dollars to the paymaster of the Second Battalion, First Brigade, N. G., N. J.

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

Mr. Burgess, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 87, entitled

An Act for the protection of dairymen and to prevent deception in sales of butter,

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. Dickinson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 88, entitled

An Act to amend "An act in relation to the several game laws of this State,"

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

Mr. Armitage, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 89, entitled

An Act regulating the fares collected by railroad companies,

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

Mr. Cadmus (by request), introduced

Assembly Bill No. 90, entitled

An Act to increase the jurisdiction of justices of the peace,

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

Mr. O'Connor, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 91, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning taxes,' approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six," supplement approved April eleventh, eighteen hundred and sixty-six,

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

Mr. O'Connor, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 92, entitled

An act concerning bonds and mortgages given for the same indebtedness,

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

Mr. Fish, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 93, entitled

An Act concerning the action of trover,

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

Mr. Chattle, by request, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 94, entitled

An Act to repeal a certain supplement to "An act respecting the orphans' court," etc.,

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. Armitage, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 95, entitled

An Act in relation to plank roads, turnpikes or toll roads,

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

The Speaker appointed as special committee to take into consideration the subject of the equalization of the taxation of corporate property the following named gentlemen: Messrs. Savage, Neighbour, Armstrong.

The special committee of the House to inquire into the subject of riparian rights reported, which report was read and accepted and ordered to be printed.

On motion of Mr. Prall, the report was accepted and one thousand (1,000) copies were ordered printed.

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

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

On motion of Mr. Burgess, the House adjourned.

FRIDAY, January 18th, 1884.

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

Upon calling the roll, the following gentleman answered to his name:

Mr. Caminade.

Mr. Caminade, 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 EVENING, January 21st, 1884.

At 8 o'clock the House met.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. Dr. Samuel M. Studdiford.

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

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

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

No committee of this House shall report a bill adversely

without notifying the introducer of the bill, nor shall such adverse report be received unless the introducer of the bill is in his seat.

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

WHEREAS, the members of the House of Assembly of the last session of the State Legislature were severely criticised and denounced as thieves by the press of this State, and censured by their constituents for voting themselves what was thought to be an unnecessary supply of stationery, at the expense of the State; therefore, be it

Resolved, That there be no further stationery furnished the members of this House, during the present session, at the expense of the State.

Mr. Rich, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 96, entitled

An Act relating to taxes and assessments and to sales of land for unpaid taxes or assessments,

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

Mr. Rich, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 97, entitled

An Act violating declarations of sale for unpaid taxes or assessments heretofore made by any city, town or township in this State,

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

Mr. Mills, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 98, entitled

An Act to prevent the laying of pipes for carrying oil called pipe lines across the fresh water streams of the State, and to cause the removal of those already laid,

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

Mr. Prall, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 99, entitled

An Act to abolish preferences of creditors by insolvent debtors,

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

Mr. Prall, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 100, entitled

A Further Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

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

Mr. Prall, on leave introduced

Assembly Bill No. 101, entitled

An Act to repeal the proviso in section one of an act entitled "An act providing for State taxes on railroads and the more efficient collection thereof,"

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. Prall, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 102, entitled

An Act to abolish a just rule for the assessment and taxation of real property, hereafter acquired by railroad corporations, for county and municipal purposes,

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. Prall, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 103, entitled

An Act to repeal "An act explanatory of the proviso of first section of an act providing for State taxes on railroads and the more efficient collection 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.

Mr. Prall, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 104 entitled

An Act to authorize the establishment of free public libraries,

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

Mr. Harrigan, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 105, entitled

An Act to give to firemen the same advantages in respect to taxes and jury duty as now are or hereafter may be allowed to members of the National Guard 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, when appointed.

Mr. Lehlbach, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 106, entitled

A Supplement to "An act respecting conveyances" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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

Mr. Hough, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 107, entitled

An Act to authorize thief detecting societies to exercise police powers,

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

Mr. Hough, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 108, entitled

An Act to repeal a supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections,"

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

Mr. Harrison, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 109, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the incorporation of fire companies," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

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

Mr. Byrnes, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 110, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act to revise and amend the charter of the city

of Elizabeth,' approved March three, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three," which supplement was approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy,

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

Mr. Byrnes, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 111, entitled

An Act to regulate fares on horse cars in cities of the second class,

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

Mr. Armstrong, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 112, entitled

An Act authorizing notaries public to take acknowledgment of deeds, &c.,

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

Mr. Chattle, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 113, entitled

An Act to extend the time for the completion of railroads whose charters shall expire by limitation during the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, where work has been performed on said railroad or money expended thereon,

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

Mr. Keasbey, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 114, entitled

An Act to regulate the practice of the law,

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

Mr. Keasbey, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 115, entitled

An Act in relation to the court of chancery,

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

Mr. Keasbey, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 116, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of the courts of law,"

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

Mr. Ross, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 117, entitled

An Act in relation to the retaking of personal property sold on installments,

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. Ross, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 118, entitled

Supplement to "An act to further regulate the licensing of inns," &c.,

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

Mr. Armitage, on leave introduced

Assembly Bill No. 119, entitled

An Act for the relief of William A. Ripley et als.,

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

Mr. Harrigan, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 120, entitled

A Further Supplement respecting railroads and canals,

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, when appointed.

Mr. McLaughlin, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 121, entitled

An Act respecting cities of the first class and to provide for a more efficient government therein,

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

Mr. McLaughlin, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 122, entitled

An Act to provide for raising taxes for the use of the State upon certain corporations, joint stock companies and associations,

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, when appointed.

Mr. Cole, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 123, entitled

An Act regulating the appointment, promotion or transfer of public school teachers in cities of this State,

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

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

Assembly Bill No. 124, entitled

An Act to provide for a board of assessors of taxes and for a board of commissioners of appeal in case of taxation in cities of the first class,

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

Mr. Carson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 125, entitled

An Act concerning certain administrative departments of government of cities of the second class,

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

Mr. Budd (by request), introduced

Assembly Bill No. 126, entitled

An Act to empower notaries public with the power of commissioner of deeds,

Was referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

Mr. Caminade, on leave, introduced

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 4, entitled

Joint Resolution relative to State war claims.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Claims and Revolutionary Pensions, when appointed.

Mr. Chapman (by request), introduced

Assembly Bill No. 127, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize cities in this State to issue and dispose of water bonds or water scrip to renew certain water bonds or water scrip," approved January thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

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

Mr. Chapman (by request), introduced

Assembly Bill No. 128, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting the office of treasurer," approved March sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, when appointed.

Mr. Dickinson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 129, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act to increase the powers of township committees," approved March eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty,

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

Mr. Chattle, on leave, introduced

Concurrent Resolution No. 1, entitled

Concurrent Resolution proposing amendment to the constitution,

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

Mr. Cole, on leave, introduced

Concurrent Resolution No. 2, entitled

Concurrent Resolution proposing amendments to the constitution of the State of New Jersey,

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

Mr. Neighbour, from the Committee on Judiciary, made the following report :

Assembly Bill No. 25, entitled

A Supplement to "An act concerning juries" (Revision), approved March twenty-seven, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Without recommendation,

Which report was read and accepted, and the bill ordered to take its proper place on the calendar.

With the consent of the House, Mr. Burgess withdrew

Assembly Bill No. 88, entitled

An Act to amend "An act in relation to the several game laws of this State."

At 8½ o'clock, on motion of Mr. Clarke, the House agreed to take a recess of one-half hour.

At 9 o'clock P. M. the Speaker called the House to order.

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

Messrs. Alcott, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Mr. Rich, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported Assembly Bills Nos. 33 and 24,

Favorably.

The Committee on Municipal Corporation, reported Assembly Bill No. 71

With amendments.

The Committee on Miscellaneous Business, reported the following bill :

Assembly Bill No. 70, entitled

An Act to authorize the burial of the bodies of any honorably discharged soldier, sailor or marine, who shall hereafter die without leaving means sufficient to defray funeral expenses,

Favorably.

Which reports were read and accepted, and the bills ordered to take their proper place on the calendar.

Mr. Caminade, Chairman of the Committee on Clergy, made the following revised report, which was read and accepted and one hundred copies thereof ordered printed.

TRENTON, N. J., January 8th, 1884.

Rev.....

DEAR SIR—The undersigned, a Committee of the Legislature, appointed for that purpose, request you to open the Senate

and House with prayer, on the days as fixed hereunder. Please advise us if the date assigned to you will not be convenient, in order that such substitution may be made as will secure the attendance of some one on each day.

Rev. George K. Morris, D.D., January 8 to 11.

Rev. Willis Reeves, January 14 to 18.

Rev. L. B. Hartman, D.D., January 21 to 25.

Rev. S. M. Studdiford, January 21 to 25.

Rev. J. B. Kennedy, January 28 to February 1.

Rev. Anthony Smith, January 28 to February 1.

Rev. J. H. Harpster, February 4 to 8.

Rev. Henry M. Barbour, February 4 to 8.

Rev. J. Y. Dobbins, D.D., February 11 to 15.

Rev. C. H. Richardson, D.D., February 11 to 15.

Rev. O. T. Walker, February 18 to 22.

Rev. F. H. Peabody, February 18 to 22.

Rev. C. F. Garrison, February 25 to 29.

Rev. Thaddeus Hogan, February 25 to 29.

Rev. Jacob Zentner, March 3 to 7

Rev. W. H. Neilson, Jr., March 3 to 7.

Rev. Elijah Lucas, March 10 to 14.

Rev. C. H. Barry, March 10 to 14.

Rev. J. R. Westwood, March 17 to 21.

Rev. Walter A. Brooks, March 17 to 21.

Rev. C. Rollin Smith, March 24 to 28.

Rev. John Hall, D.D., March 24 to 28.

Rev. Daniel Schnebel, March 31 to April 4.

Rev. J. A. McFaul, March 31 to April 4.

Rev. Joseph Gaskill, April 7 to 11.

Rev. A. F. Hutchinson, April 7 to 11.

Respectfully yours,

GEORGE HIRES,
STACY PANCOAST,
GEORGE O. VANDERBILT,

Senate Committee.

JOHN CAMINADE,
JOSEPH H. APPLGATE,
A. JUDSON RUE,

House Committee.

Assembly Bill No. 24, entitled

A Supplement to "An act concerning disorderly persons,"
(Revision), approved April ninth, eighteen hundred and seventy-five,

Assembly Bill No. 25, entitled

A Supplement to "An act concerning juries" (Revision), approved March twenty-seven, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 33, entitled

A Further Supplement to "An act relative to sales of lands under a public statute, or by virtue of any legal proceeding" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 70, entitled

An Act to authorize the burial of the bodies of any honorably discharged soldier, sailor or marine, who shall hereafter die without leaving means sufficient to defray funeral expenses,

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

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

Resolved, That the Committee on Municipal Corporations be empowered to employ a clerk, at a salary not to exceed three hundred dollars, and said clerk shall serve the Committee on Corporations.

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

Resolved, That the chairman of the Committee on Judiciary and the chairman of the Committee on Revision, be authorized to appoint one clerk to act for both committees, at a salary not to exceed \$300.

Assembly Bill No. 71, entitled

An Act concerning cities in this State,

Was taken up on its second reading.

Mr. Cole offered the following amendment :

First section, eighth line, strike out word "six" and insert the word "five."

The above amendment was lost by a *viva voce* vote.

The bill was then ordered to be engrossed with committees, amendments, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Cole moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Clarke raised the point of order that, the negative not having been declared, the motion was out of order.

The Speaker declared the point of order well taken.

On motion of Mr. Clark, the House adjourned.

TUESDAY, January 22d, 1884.

At 10 o'clock the House met.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Hartman.

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

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Kelly, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—47.

Mr. Woodruff presented his certificate of election, and took and subscribed to the oath of office.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

On motion of Mr. Cole,

Assembly Bill No. 71, entitled

An Act concerning cities in this State,

Was recommitted.

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

Resolved, That the resolution passed empowering the Committees on Corporations and Municipal Corporations to employ a clerk shall be reconsidered.

Mr. Flynn moved to lay the resolution on the table.

Mr. Armitage called for the ayes and noes.

The roll was called, with the following result:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Hough, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wortendyke—32.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Coombs, Doremus, Hoffman, Irons, Jenkins, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, North, Rue, See, Stafford, Woodruff—22.

The resolution was laid on the table.

Mr. Neighbour, Chairman on Judiciary, reported favorably, with amendments,

Assembly Bill No. 65, entitled

An Act for the compromise and settlement of assessments and past due taxes,

Assembly Bill No 58, entitled

An Act to define the term of any letting when no specific term is fixed,

Reported adversely,

Assembly Bill No. 68, entitled

Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

With amendments.

Mr. Fish moved the adverse report be not concurred in,

Which motion was lost.

The report was read and accepted, and the bill ordered to take its proper place on the calendar.

Mr. Harrigan moved to reconsider the vote by which the adverse report of the committee on

Assembly Bill No. 58, entitled

An Act to define the term of any letting when no specific term is fixed,

Was concurred in,

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Cole moved the adverse report on

Assembly Bill No. 58, entitled

An Act to define the term of any letting when no specific term is fixed,

Be not concurred in,

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Weaver, Woodruff—42.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Cadmus, Chapman, Doremus, Hoffman, Mills, Rich, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wortendyke—10.

Mr. Ross (by request), introduced

Assembly Bill No. 130, entitled

A Supplement to "An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of this State,"

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

The following message was received from the Senate :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
Mr. Speaker— January 22d, 1884. }

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

Senate Bill No. 8, entitled

An Act relating to the payment of money to executors, administrators or trustees, under a trust or power, and discharge on the payment thereof,

Senate Bill No. 11, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of railroad corporations and to regulate the same" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Bill No. 24, entitled

An Act to require the New York, Lake Erie and Western Railroad Company to erect and maintain gates at certain street crossings in the city of Paterson,

Senate Joint Resolution No. 1, entitled

Joint Resolution relative to the planting of forest trees,

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

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Jenkins

Assembly Bill No. 25, entitled

A Supplement to "An act concerning juries" (Revision), approved March twenty-seven, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was recommitted.

Assembly Bill No. 65, entitled

An Act for the compromise and settlement of assessments and past due taxes,

Was taken up on its second reading, and, on motion of Mr. Cole, laid over.

Assembly Bill No. 68, entitled

Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 58, entitled

An Act to define the term of any letting when no specific term is fixed,

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

Assembly Bill No. 65, entitled

An Act for the compromise and settlement of assessments and past due taxes,

Was read a second time, and, on motion of Mr. Neighbour, recommitted.

Mr. Harrigan moved to adjourn.

Mr. Cole called for ayes and noes.

Mr. Cole moved to suspend further reading of minutes, and withdrew his objection to the motion.

The House adjourned until 3 o'clock P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At 3 o'clock P. M. the House met.

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

Messrs. Alcott, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Mr. Jernee, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 131, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "An act to further regulate the licensing of inns and taverns and places for the sale of malt, vinous, spirituous and other intoxicating liquors and drinks," approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

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

Mr. Burgess, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 132, entitled

An Act entitled "An act to amend section two of a supplement to an act to partially consolidate the several game laws of this State, chapter sixteen," approved February eight, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

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

Mr. Burgess, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 133, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the better protection of sheriffs," approved March sixth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine,

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

Mr. Burgess, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 134, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the more easy sale of mortgaged premises," passed February sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one, and to lessen the expense 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 Judiciary.

Mr. Burgess, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 135, entitled

An Act to tax personal property where it is situate,

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

Mr. Burgess, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 136, entitled

A Supplement to an act concerning conveyances, providing that the acknowledgment of married women to deeds and other instruments for the transfer and conveyance of property need not be taken separate and apart from their husband,

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. Burgess, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 137, entitled

An Act in relation to suits in the court of chancery,

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

Mr. Rich, on leave introduced

Assembly Bill No. 138, entitled

An Act concerning incorporated towns and certain officers thereof,

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

Mr. Armitage, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 139, entitled

An Act amending an act to authorize the construction of school-houses in cities of the first class of this State, approved February thirteen, eighteen hundred and eighty-three,

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

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

Resolved, (the Senate concurring) That a joint meeting of the two Houses of the Legislature be held in the Assembly Chamber, at twelve o'clock noon, on Wednesday, the 30th day of January, 1884, for the election of such officers as is proper for said joint meeting to elect, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

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

Resolved, That the Secretary of State be and he is hereby requested to furnish to the House of Assembly, as soon as he conveniently can, a list of officers who are to be elected by the Joint Assembly of the Senate and House of Assembly at the present session of the legislature.

Mr. Ross moved to reconsider the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 68, entitled

Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was ordered to a third reading,

Which was agreed to.

The bill was then taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Mr. McLaughlin reported, with amendments,

Assembly Bill No. 71, entitled

An Act concerning cities in this State,

Which report was read and accepted, and the bill ordered to take its proper place on the calendar.

Mr. Keasbey, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 140, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting conveyances" (Revision), approved March twenty-seven, eighteen hundred and seventy-five,

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

Mr. Burgess offered the following resolution :

BE IT RESOLVED *by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey*, (the Senate concurring) That the Senators and members of the House of Representatives from this State be and they are hereby requested to favor and vote for such a change or modification of existing laws as will continue the present tax on distilled spirits, commonly called the whiskey tax, and pay the amount received therefrom annually to the several States, in proportion to the population of each State.

Assembly Bill No. 71, entitled

An Act concerning cities in this State,

Was taken up on its second reading.

Mr. Cole offered the following amendment :

Amend line 6, by inserting after the word "bonds," "public sale after due advertisement."

Mr. Cole offered the following amendment, which was read :

Amend line 8, by striking out the word "six," and insert the word "five."

Mr. Cole demanded the ayes and noes.

The amendment was lost by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Bell, Burgess, Cole, Coombs, Doremus, Harrison, Hoffman, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, North, Scott, Stafford, Woodruff—16.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Boud, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Lake, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, Savage, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—37.

The bill was then ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

Mr. Cole moved the bill be made the special order for Tuesday morning next,

Which was not agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Armitage, the House adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, January 23d, 1884.

At 10 o'clock the House met.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. S. Hutchinson.

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

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Wildrick, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 81, 51, 19, 109, 12, and Joint Resolution No. 2, relative to a national telegraph, favorably, and Assembly 55, adversely,

Which report was read and accepted, and the bills ordered to take their proper places on the calendar.

It appearing that the introducer of

Assembly Bill No. 55, entitled

An Act for the government of persons who are members of companies incorporated under the act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of pursuing and detective companies,"

Had not been notified of the intention of the committee to report adversely, the bill was recommitted on motion of Mr. Cole.

On motion of Mr. Flynn, the vote by which the bill was recommitted was reconsidered and adverse report not concurred in.

On motion of Mr. Cole, the bill was then placed on the calendar.

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

Assembly Bill No. 76, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to the election of constables," approved March twelfth, eighteen hundred and eighty,

Assembly Bill No. 83, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act to secure to creditors an equal and just division of the estates of debtors who convey to assignees for the benefit of creditors," approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 94, entitled

An Act to repeal a certain supplement to "An act respecting the orphans' court," etc.,

Assembly Bill No. 100, entitled

A Further Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Favorably.

Assembly Bill No. 90, entitled

An Act to increase the jurisdiction of justices of the peace,

Adversely,

Assembly Bill No. 131, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "An act to further regulate the licensing of inns and taverns and places for the sale of malt, vinous, spirituous and other intoxicating liquors and drinks," approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Without recommendation,

Assembly Bill No. 105, entitled

An act to give to firemen the same advantages in respect to taxes and jury duty as now are or hereafter may be allowed to members of the National Guard of this State,

Without recommendation.

Assembly Bill No. 96, entitled

An Act relating to taxes and assessments and to sales of land for unpaid taxes or assessments,

With amendments,

Assembly Bill No. 99, entitled

An Act to abolish preferences of creditors by insolvent debtors,

Assembly Bill No. 57, entitled

An Act in relation to past due taxes,

Assembly Bill No. 65, entitled

An Act for the compromise and settlement of assessments and past due taxes,

With amendments,

Assembly Bill No. 112, entitled

An Act authorizing notaries public to take acknowledgment of deeds, &c.,

Assembly Bill No. 82, entitled

An Act prohibiting the desecration of the Sabbath or Sunday,
Adversely.

On motion of Mr. Chattle, adverse report on Assembly No. 82 was not concurred in.

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

Assembly Bill No. 123, entitled

An Act regulating the appointment, promotion or transfer of public school teachers in cities of this State,

Without recommendation.

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

Senate Bill No. 36, entitled

An Act relative to interest on arrears of taxes and assessments in incorporated cities,

Favorably.

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

Assembly Bill No. 106, entitled

A Supplement to "An act respecting conveyances" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

With amendments.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 33, entitled

A Further Supplement to "An act relative to sales of lands under a public statute, or by virtue of any legal proceeding" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 24, entitled

A Supplement to "An act concerning disorderly persons" (Revision), approved April ninth, eighteen hundred and seventy-five,

Assembly Bill No. 70, entitled

An Act to authorize the burial of the bodies of any honorably discharged soldier, sailor or marine, who shall hereafter die without leaving means sufficient to defray funeral expenses,

Correctly engrossed.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
January 23d, 1884. }

Mr. Speaker—

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate request the return, for further consideration, of

Senate Bill No. 11, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of railroad corporations and to regulate the same" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Bill No. 12, entitled

An Act to extend the time of chartered railroad companies, whose time for completing their railroads shall expire in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, when work has been performed on said railroads and money expended thereon,

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The message was read and accepted, and the request therein complied with.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
January 23d, 1884. }
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. 7, entitled

A Supplement to chapter XI. of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

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,
January 23d, 1884. }
Mr. Speaker—

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

Senate Bill No. 6, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to compel the determination of claims to real estate in certain cases and to quiet

the title to the same," approved March second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy,

Senate Bill No. 12, entitled

An Act to extend the time of chartered railroad companies whose time for completing their railroads shall expire in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, when work has been performed on said railroads and money expended thereon,

Senate Bill No. 31, entitled

An Act respecting telegraph, telephone, electric light and other wires and cables for electric purposes,

Senate Bill No. 36, entitled

An Act relative to interest on arrears of taxes and assessments in incorporated cities,

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

W. A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The message was taken up, and the Senate bills severally read a first time by their titles, and ordered to have a second reading, and referred to their appropriate committees.

Assembly Bill No. 81, entitled

An Act to provide for the election of road overseers in their respective districts,

Was taken up on second reading and laid over.

Assembly Bill No. 51, entitled

A Supplement to "An act to incorporate charitable and benevolent associations," approved March second, eighteen hundred and eighty-three,

Assembly Bill, No. 55, entitled

An Act for the government of persons who are members of companies incorporated under the act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of pursuing and detective companies,"

Assembly Bill No. 19, entitled

A Supplement to "An act respecting bridges," (Revision), approved April tenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

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

Mr. Harrigan, of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported
Assembly Bill No. 58, entitled

An Act to define the term of any letting when no specific term is fixed,

Correctly engrossed.

Assembly Bill No. 12, entitled

An Act in relation to the receivers of insolvent corporations,
Was taken up on second reading and laid over.

Assembly Bill No. 76, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to the election of constables," approved March twelfth, eighteen hundred and eighty,

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

With consent of the House, Mr. Clarke withdrew

Assembly Bill No. 3, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of dentistry, and to protect the people against empiricism in relation thereto, in the State of New Jersey," approved March fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three.

Assembly Bill No. 83, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act to secure to creditors an equal and just division of the estates of debtors who convey to assignees for the benefit of creditors," approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

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

Assembly Bill No. 12, entitled

An Act in relation to the receivers of insolvent corporations.

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

Assembly Bill No. 94, entitled

An Act to repeal a certain supplement to "An act respecting the orphans' court," etc.,

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

Assembly Bill No. 57, entitled

An Act in relation to past due taxes,

Was taken up on second reading.

Mr. Chapman moved to strike out enacting clause.

Mr. Harrigan moved the bill be laid over until Monday,

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Chapman withdrew his motion to strike out the enacting clause.

Mr. Mills moved to refer the bill to a special committee.

Not agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Jenkins, the bill was recommitted.

Mr. Campbell, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 141, entitled

A Supplement to an act for the preservation of fish,

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

Mr. Harrigan, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 142, entitled

An Act to amend "An act to fix the salaries of the officers of Senate and General Assembly,"

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

Mr. Haines, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 143, entitled

A Supplement to an act to regulate fisheries,

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

Mr. Clarke, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 144, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of dentistry and to protect the people against empiricism in relation thereto in the State of New Jersey,"

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

Mr. Hough, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 145, entitled

An Act to authorize any of the cities of this State to sell water works,

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. Rich, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 146, entitled

A Supplement to an act relative to officers and commissioners and negotiations,

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

Mr. Savage, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 147, entitled

An Act to establish a bank and insurance department,

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. Savage, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 148, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act to regulate the practice of courts of law,

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

Mr. McLaughlin, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 149, entitled

An act concerning official newspapers in cities of this State,

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

Mr. Chapman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 150, entitled

An Act providing for payment of fees for the record and report of jail statistics,

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

Mr. Armstrong, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 151, entitled

An Act requiring the publication of county receipts and expenditures quarterly,

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

Mr. O'Connor, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 152, entitled

An Act for the better protection of the health, comfort and safety of persons employed in shops and factories,

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

Mr. Scott, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture and Agricultural College, reported, with amendments,

Assembly Bill No. 87, entitled

An Act for the protection of dairymen, and to prevent deception in sales of butter,

Which report was read and accepted and ordered to take its proper place on the calendar.

Assembly Bill No. 87, entitled

An Act for the protection of dairymen, and to prevent deception in sales of butter,

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

On motion of Mr. Burgess, the vote by which the bill was ordered to a third reading was reconsidered, and bill laid over temporarily for amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 82, entitled

An Act prohibiting the desecration of the Sabbath or Sunday,

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

Mr. Armstrong moved the vote by which the bill was ordered to a third reading be reconsidered,

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Cole moved to strike out the enacting clause,

Which motion was lost by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Caminade, Chapman, Cole, Dickinson, Holzwarth, Lehlbach, O'Connor, Ross, Scott, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick—13.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, Mills, Neighbour, North, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Rue, Savage, See, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Wortendyke—38.

On motion of Mr. Flynn, the vote by which the bill was ordered to a third reading was reconsidered.

Mr. Flynn then offered the following amendment, which was lost :

Amend by striking out the word "saloon" in line 4, section 1.

The bill was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 71, entitled

An Act concerning cities in this State,

Correctly engrossed.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 2, entitled

Joint Resolution relative to a national telegraph,

Was taken up on its second reading, and laid over temporarily.

On motion of Mr. Flynn, the House adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At 3 o'clock the House met.

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

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison,

Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

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

Resolved, That the Committee on Stationery be empowered and authorized to furnish a proper and necessary amount of stationery for the use of this House.

Mr. Armitage moved to lay the resolution on the table,

Which was lost.

Mr. Cole raised the point of order that the resolution offered by Mr. Burgess could not be adopted by the House, inasmuch as the House had adopted a resolution offered by Mr. Budd, January 21st, 1884, to the effect that no stationery should be supplied to the members at the expense of the State.

Mr. Rich moved to expunge Mr. Budd's resolution from the minutes,

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Armstrong offered the following substitute to Mr. Burgess' resolution:

Resolved, That the Clerk of this House be directed to furnish, upon requisition of members, such stationery as is needed by them in the discharge of their official duties.

Mr. Armstrong called for ayes and noes.

The call was sustained.

Upon calling the roll, the substitute was lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armitage, Armstrong, Boud, Campbell, Chattle, Coombs, Dickinson, Haines, Hoffman, Jenkins, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, Neighbour, North, Scott, Stafford, Weaver—19.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Mills, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, See, Steljes, Stoney, (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff—34.

Mr. Keasbey offered the following amendment, which was lost :

Insert the words, “from time to time as such requisitions may be required for the use of the members in the discharge of their duties in this House.”

Mr. Fish offered the following amendment, which was adopted :

Insert after the word “furnish,” the words, “within one week.”

The original resolution was adopted by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Harrigan, Harrison, Jernee, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Mills, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Rue, Savage, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—32.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armitage, Armstrong, Boud, Budd, Campbell, Carson, Coombs, Haines, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Lehlbach, Lupton, Neighbour, North, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Weaver, Wortendyke—22.

Owing to the charges made by Mr. Armitage against the Committee on Stationery, Mr. Flynn asked consent of the House to permit him to resign the chairmanship thereof.

On motion of Mr. Jernee, the request was not granted.

Mr. Flynn was excused from voting on the adoption of the resolution.

Mr. Burgess moved that, in case Mr. Flynn should resign, Mr. Armitage be substituted in his place.

Mr. Flynn seconded the motion.

Mr. Armitage consented to act.

Mr. Wildrick, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 28, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act relating to turnpike companies," approved February twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

Assembly Bill No. 107, entitled

An Act to authorize thief detecting societies to exercise police powers,

Favorably.

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

Assembly Bill No. 126, entitled

An Act to empower notaries public with the power of commissioner of deeds,

Without recommendation.

Mr. Scott, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture and Agricultural College, reported, without recommendation,

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 1, entitled

Joint Resolution relative to the tariff.

Mr. Prall, Chairman of the Committee on Banks and Insurance, reported

Assembly Bill No. 147, entitled

An Act to establish a bank and insurance department,
Favorably.

Mr. Savage, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads and Canals, reported

Assembly Bill No. 113, entitled

An Act to extend the time for the completion of railroads whose charters shall expire by limitation during the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, where work has been performed on said railroad or money expended thereon,

Favorably.

Assembly Bill No. 28, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act relating to turnpike companies," approved February twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

Was taken up on second reading, and, on motion of Mr. Mills, was laid over.

Assembly Bill No. 70, entitled

An Act to authorize the burial of the bodies of any honorably discharged soldier, sailor or marine, who shall hereafter die without leaving means sufficient to defray funeral expenses,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey,

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Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—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. Armstrong offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted :

Resolved, That one thousand copies, for the use of the House, and five hundred for the use of the Governor, of the inaugural address, delivered in the presence of the House, by His Excellency Governor Abbott, January 15th, 1884, be ordered printed.

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

Resolved, That the Committee on Engrossed Bills be authorized to employ a clerk at a salary not to exceed \$500 for the session.

Assembly Bill No. 24, entitled

A Supplement to "An act concerning disorderly persons" (Revision), approved April ninth, eighteen hundred and seventy-five;

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Chatte, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—51.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 2, entitled

Joint Resolution relative to a national telegraph,

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

Assembly Bill No. 33, entitled

A Further Supplement to "An act relative to sales of lands under a public statue, or by virtue of any legal proceeding" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzworth, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—49.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 58, entitled

An Act to define the term of any letting when no specific term is fixed,

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Burgess moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was ordered to a third reading,

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Harrigan moved the bill lay over,

Which was lost.

The bill was then read a third time, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Lake, Lehlbach, O'Connor, Weaver, Wildrick—22.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armstrong, Boud, Budd, Cadmus, Chattle, Coombs, Doremus, Flynn, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, North, Prall, Rich, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Woodruff—28.

Mr. Savage moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was lost.

Mr. Fish moved to lay the motion on the table,

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Clarke, on leave, introduced

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 Federal Relations, when appointed.

Mr. Neighbour offered the following resolution, which was read and not adopted:

Resolved, That when this House adjourns it adjourns to meet on Friday morning at 10 o'clock, and when it then adjourns it adjourns to meet on Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

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

Resolved, That when this House adjourn it be to meet on Friday morning at 9:30 o'clock, and that when it then adjourn it be to meet on Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

On motion of Mr. Jenkins, the House adjourned.

FRIDAY, January 25th, 1884.

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

Upon calling of the roll, the following gentleman answered to his name :

Mr. Caminade.

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

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

MONDAY EVENING, January 28, 1884.

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

Prayer was offered by Rev. Father Smith.

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

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Chattle presented petitions on the subject of the evils of intemperance,

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Judiciary;

Also, petition on the subject of fisheries,

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Fisheries.

Mr. O'Connor, Chairman of the Committee on Printing, reported

Assembly Bill No. 62, entitled

An Act to provide for the publication of the "Manual of the Legislature of New Jersey,"

Favorably.

Mr. Byrnes, Chairman of the Committee on Claims and Revolutionary Pensions, reported

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 4, entitled
Joint Resolution relative to State war claims,
Favorably.

The following communication was received from the Governor, which was read and referred to the Committee on Corporations:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY, }
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, }
Trenton, Jan. 28th, 1884. }

Gentlemen of the Senate and General Assembly:

I deem it my duty to call your attention to the following facts and advise legislation therein.

“The Hackensack Cemetery Company was incorporated under a law of the State, approved February 10th, 1862, (Laws of 1862, page 23.) The sixth section of its charter provides that any religious society may purchase and hold lands in said cemetery, in which they may bury, agreeable to any peculiar rites or ceremonies of their own, subject only to the rules and regulations of the cemetery. I am informed that the First Baptist Church of Hackensack applied to the Cemetery Company to purchase a grave. The church desired to inter therein the body of their deceased sexton. The necessary permission of the burial was granted; this permission was afterwards withdrawn because it was the body of a colored man. The pastor of the church, Rev. R. M. Harrison, was compelled to make the announcement, at the conclusion of the funeral services, that the permission to inter had been revoked. The body of the deceased was taken back to his late residence and the interment subsequently made in another cemetery. The right of the Cemetery Company to make rules and regulations as to interment is limited to making those that are reasonable and lawful. The regulation that refuses a Christian burial to the body of a deceased citizen on the ground of color is not, in my judgment, a reasonable regulation, and therefore the church had the right to make the interment. The State should not attempt to control individuals in their private

and social relations as long as they do not interfere with the rights of others. But the Legislature should see that the civil and political rights of all men, whether white or black, are protected, and, when infringed or violated, that punishment should follow. It ought not to be tolerated in this State that a corporation whose existence depends upon the legislative will, and whose property is exempt from taxation because of its religious uses, should be permitted to make a distinction between the white man and the black man. The church and the friends of the deceased may have a remedy in the courts, but the necessity of burial is immediate, and the law's delay would render practically useless the assertion of any such legal right. I therefore recommend the passage of a law which shall make such a refusal, based on color, a criminal offense, with such penalty as shall prevent a recurrence of such an act."

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

Assembly Bill No. 64, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the classification of cities," etc.,

Assembly Bill No. 46, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled, 'An act to re-organize the local government of the township of West Hoboken,' passed March the twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four," which supplement was approved April eighth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Assembly Bill No. 84, entitled

An Act concerning cities,

Assembly Bill No. 85, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning certain townships in this State," approved March twenty-third, eighteen hundred and eighty-three,

Assembly Bill No. 72, entitled

An Act to regulate the vacation of streets in cities,

Assembly Bill No. 67, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act authorizing the establishment of hospitals in the cities of the State," approved February twenty-third, eighteen hundred and eighty-three,

Favorably.

Assembly Bill No. 6, entitled

An Act to authorize neighboring cities to improve connecting principal streets so as to form continuous thoroughfares,

Assembly Bill No. 29, entitled

An Act concerning the lighting of streets and public places in townships,

Assembly Bill No. 80, entitled

An Act to provide for the removal of snow and ice from sidewalks and gutters in incorporated towns and boroughs,

With amendments.

Mr. Prall, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 153, entitled

An Act to secure to creditors an equal distribution of the assets of insolvent 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. Armstrong, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 154, entitled

An Act providing for the review of convictions and judgments for contempt of court,

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

Mr. Armstrong, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 155, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act respecting the salaries and compensations of clerks of counties in this State," approved March eleventh, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty,

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

Mr. Armstrong, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 156, entitled

An Act authorizing persons having liens for work, labor or materials employed in the repair or construction of any estate to enforce such lien,

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

Mr. Armstrong, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 157, entitled

An Act to provide for the election of chosen freeholders in incorporated boroughs,

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

Mr. Armstrong, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 158, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of law,"

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

Mr. Armstrong, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 159, entitled

A Supplement to an act respecting the orphans' court, and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary, orphans' court and surrogates,

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

Mr. Ross, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 160, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning wards" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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

Mr. Byrnes, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 161, entitled

An Act concerning cities of this State,

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

Mr. Lehlbach, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 162, entitled

An Act relating to the depth and construction of foundation walls of buildings, and the responsibilities of adjoining property owners to each other in cities and towns,

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

Mr. Harrison, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 163, entitled

Supplement to an act to establish a system of public instruction,

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

Mr. See, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 164, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the collection of demands against ships, steamboats and other vessels," approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven,

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

Mr. Branning, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 165, entitled

An Act requiring the sheriffs' sales to be advertised in newspapers of different political faith,

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

Mr. Robbins, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 166, entitled

Amendment to "An act for the protection of fish,"

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

Mr. McLaughlin, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 167, entitled

An Act concerning the safe custody of moneys belonging to the relief fund of any paid fire department of any city of the first class,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have

a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. McLaughlin introduced

Assembly Bill No. 168, entitled

An Act concerning the use of passenger elevators on horse railroads in cities,

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. McLaughlin, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 169, entitled

An Act to provide against the spreading of fire and danger to life and limb occasioned by unguarded and insufficiently guarded elevator passageways and hoistways in buildings,

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. Stafford, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 170, entitled

An Act in relation to pilots,

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Navigation, when appointed.

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

Resolved, That the use of the Assembly Chamber be granted to the State Board of Agriculture in the evening of Tuesday, February 5th, for public exercises.

Mr. Flynn moved to reconsider the vote by which the resolution to reconsider the resolution giving power to the Committee on Municipal Corporations to employ a clerk was adopted,

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Ross offered the following resolution, which was read, and, under the rules, laid over one day :

Resolved, That for the convenience and information of the members of this House, every bill introduced shall be printed before being reported.

Mr. Haines, on leave, introduced

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 6, entitled

Joint Resolution proposing amendments to constitution to provide for biennial sessions 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, when appointed.

With the consent of the House, Mr. Fish withdrew

Assembly Bill No. 57, entitled

An Act in relation to past due taxes.

Assembly Bill No. 81, entitled

An Act to provide for the election of road overseers in their respective districts,

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

Assembly Bill No. 147, entitled

An Act to establish a bank and insurance department,

Was taken up on its second reading, and, on motion of Mr. Cole, laid over temporarily.

Assembly Bill No. 28, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act relating to turnpike companies," approved February twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

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

Assembly Bill No. 109, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the incorporation of fire companies," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

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

Assembly Bill No. 106, entitled

A Supplement to "An act respecting conveyances" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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

Assembly Bill No. 147, entitled

An Act to establish a bank and insurance department,

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

Assembly Bill No. 99, entitled

An Act to abolish preferences of creditors by insolvent debtors,

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

Assembly Bill No. 105, entitled

An Act to give to firemen the same advantages in respect to taxes and jury duty as now are or hereafter may be allowed to members of the National Guard of this State,

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

Assembly Bill No. 123, entitled

An Act regulating the appointment, promotion or transfer of public school teachers in cities of this State,

Was taken up on its second reading, and, on motion of Mr. Armstrong, laid over temporarily.

Assembly Bill No. 107, entitled

An Act to authorize thief detecting societies to exercise police powers,

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

On motion of Mr. Burgess, the vote by which the above bill was ordered to a third reading was reconsidered and laid over.

Assembly Bill No. 126, entitled

An Act to empower notaries public with the power of commissioner of deeds,

Was taken up on second reading.

Mr. Keasbey moved to strike out the enacting clause,

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Chapman moved to refer the bill to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Flynn moved, as a substitute, that the bill be recommitted,

Which was agreed to.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
January 28th, 1884. }

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 State Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to provide, for the use of the members and committees of the Legislature, ten (10) copies of the Revision of the Statutes of New Jersey, which copies shall be stamped with the stamp of the State Library, and kept for the use of the State,

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

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The resolution contained in the above message was concurred in.

Assembly Bill No. 62, entitled

An Act to provide for the publication of the "Manual of the Legislature of New Jersey,"

Was taken up on second reading and laid over.

Assembly Bill No. 71, entitled

An Act concerning cities in this State,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Boud, Branning, Budd; Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—44.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Cole, Fish, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, O'Connor, Woodruff—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. Burgess,

Assembly Bill No. 87, entitled

An Act for the protection of dairymen, and to prevent deception in sales of butter,

Was recommitted.

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

WHEREAS, The diagram of the House of Assembly, by reason of change in the position of desks, is no longer correct; *and whereas*, the electrotype plate from which the diagram has been printed for some years past has become worn and imperfect; therefore,

Resolved, That the current printer of this House be authorized and directed to procure a new electrotype plate as soon as possible, and have the diagrams printed therefrom, in accordance with the existing arrangements of desks and seats of members, officers and reporters of the House.

Senate Bill No. 36, entitled

An Act relative to interest on arrears of taxes and assessments in incorporated cities,

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

Under a suspension of the rules, said bill was taken up and read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison,

Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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. Burgess offered the following resolution, which was read and lost:

Resolved, That the Committee on Stationery be and they are hereby directed, in furnishing stationery to the members of this House, that the entire cost shall not exceed five dollars to each member.

Mr. Harrigan moved to amend by referring to the Committee on Stationery,

Which was not agreed to.

The original resolution was then lost.

A communication was received from the Secretary of State containing the list of offices vacant in this State, to be filled by joint meeting,

Which was ordered to be printed.

On motion of Mr. Fish, the House adjourned.

TUESDAY, January 29, 1884.

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

Prayer was offered by the Rev. James B. Kennedy.

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

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, Savage, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported as correctly engrossed,

Assembly Bill No. 12, entitled

An Act in relation to the receivers of insolvent corporations,

Assembly Bill No. 19, entitled

A Supplement to "An act respecting bridges" (Revision), approved April tenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 28, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act relating to turnpike companies," approved February twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

Assembly Bill No. 83, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act to secure to creditors an equal and just division of the estates of debtors who convey to assignees for the benefit of creditors," approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 94, entitled

An Act to repeal a certain supplement to "An act respecting the orphans' court," etc.,

Assembly Bill No. 76, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to the election of constables," approved March twelfth, eighteen hundred and eighty,

Assembly Bill No. 51, entitled

A Supplement to "An act to incorporate charitable and benevolent associations," approved March second, eighteen hundred and eighty-three,

Assembly Bill No. 55, entitled

An Act for the government of persons who are members of companies incorporated under the act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of, pursuing and detective companies."

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

Assembly Bill No. 126, entitled

An Act to empower notaries public with the power of commissioner of deeds,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Senate Bill No. 8, entitled

An Act relating to the payment of money to executors, administrators or trustees, under a trust or power, and discharge on the payment thereof,

Senate Bill No. 7, entitled

A Supplement to chapter XI. of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

And

Assembly Bill No. 137, entitled

An Act in relation to suits in the court of chancery,

Assembly Bill No. 133, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the better protection of sheriffs," approved March sixth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine,

Assembly Bill No. 48, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April first, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Favorably.

Mr. Neighbour, Chairman of the Committee on the Judiciary, reported adversely,

Assembly Bill No. 25, entitled

A Supplement to "An act concerning juries" (Revision), approved March twenty-seven, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 92, entitled

An act concerning bonds and mortgages given for the same indebtedness,

Assembly Bill No. 115, entitled

An Act in relation to the court of chancery.

The report was read and concurred in.

Mr. Prall, with the consent of the House, withdrew

Assembly Bill No. 104, entitled

An Act to authorize the establishment of free public libraries,
And substituted therefor

Assembly Bill No. 172, entitled

An Act to authorize the establishment of free public libraries
in the cities of this State,

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

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

Resolved, That one thousand additional copies of the report of
the Special Committee of the Assembly on Riparian Rights be
ordered printed for the use of the House.

Mr. Flynn, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 171, entitled

A Supplement to "An act in relation to the powers of commis-
sioners appointed to purchase toll roads in this State," passed
April nineteenth, 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 Corpora-
tions.

Mr. Holzwarth, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 173, entitled

An Act to fix the salaries of the assistant engrossing clerks of
the Senate and House of Assembly,

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

Mr. Budd, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 174, entitled

An Act relating to the assessment 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.

Mr. Armitage, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 175, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "A further supplement to an act concerning 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.

Mr. Branning, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 176, entitled

An Act to amend section one of an act entitled "An act relative to the publication of the laws of the State in the newspapers," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

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

Mr. Woodruff, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 177, entitled

An Act to authorize the lighting of public roads and streets in townships,

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

Mr. Carson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 178, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate Brainard Institute,"

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.

With consent of the House, Mr. O'Connor withdrew

Assembly Bill No. 91, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning taxes,' approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six," supplement approved April eleventh, eighteen hundred and sixty-six,

And substituted therefor

Assembly Bill No. 179, entitled

A Further Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

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

Assembly Bill No. 100, entitled

A Further Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

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

Assembly Bill No. 62, entitled

An Act to provide for the publication of the "Manual of the Legislature of New Jersey,"

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

Assembly Bill No. 46, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to re-organize the local government of the township of West Hoboken,' passed March the twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four," which supplement was approved April eighth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

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

Assembly Bill No. 67, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act authorizing the establishment of hospitals in the cities of the State," approved February twenty-third, eighteen hundred and eighty-three,

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

Assembly Bill No. 72, entitled

An Act to regulate the vacation of streets in cities,

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

Assembly Bill No. 84, entitled

An Act concerning cities,

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

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 82, entitled

An Act prohibiting the desecration of the Sabbath or Sunday,

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 2, entitled

Joint Resolution relative to a national telegraph,

Assembly Bill No. 147, entitled

An Act to establish a bank and insurance department,

Correctly engrossed.

Assembly Bill No. 29, entitled

An Act concerning the lighting of streets and public places in townships,

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

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 6,

Proposing amendments to the constitution,

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

Assembly Bill No. 85, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning certain townships in this State," approved March twenty-third, eighteen hundred and eighty-three,

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

Assembly Bill No. 80, entitled

An Act to provide for the removal of snow and ice from sidewalks and gutters in incorporated towns and boroughs,

Was taken up on its second reading, and laid over temporarily.

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

Assembly Bill No. 149, entitled

An Act concerning official newspapers in cities of this State,

Favorably,

Which report was accepted.

Assembly Bill No. 126, entitled

An Act to empower notaries public with the power of commissioner of deeds,

Was taken up on second reading.

Mr. Chapman moved to refer the bill to the Committee on Judiciary. He then withdrew the motion and moved the bill lie over until to-morrow morning,

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Fish offered the following amendment, which was lost :

In line —, section 1, after the word “public,” insert the words “and justices of the peace.”

Mr. Armstrong offered the following amendment, which was lost :

Add to the end of the first section “and provided that the term of office of all notaries public now in commission, shall expire on the fourth day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

On motion of Mr. Burgess, the vote by which Mr. Armstrong’s amendment “That all commissions of notaries now in existence should expire July 4th, 1884,” was reconsidered by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Flynn, Haines, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, North, Robbins, Ross, Scott, Stafford, Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—34.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Caminade, Chapman, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Harrigan, Jenkins, Keasbey, Kelly, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Rue, Savage, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker)—24.

The amendment was then lost by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Caminade, Chapman, Dickinson, Fish, Harrigan, Harrison, Jenkins, Keasbey, Kelly, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Rue, Savage, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker)—22.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jernee, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, North, Robbins, Ross, Scott, See, Stafford, Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—35.

Mr. Armstrong offered the following amendment, which was lost :

Strike out title and insert instead "An act relating to the office of notary public."

Mr. Keasbey offered the following amendment, which was lost :

Amend the title by striking out the present title and substitute the words "Supplement to an act concerning conveyances" (Revision), approved March 24th, 1877.

Mr. See offered the following amendment, which was lost :

Amend section 1 by inserting in line 2 after the words "notaries public" the words "hereafter appointed."

Mr. Keasbey offered the following amendment, which was lost :

Amend the first section by adding the following : " provided, that the certificate of the notary be accompanied by a certificate of the county clerk of the county where he resides, that he is a notary public of this State duly commissioned, and that his signature is genuine."

Mr. Chapman offered the following amendment :

Add after section 2 a new section, as follows :

"Section 3. *And be it enacted*, That all notaries public and masters in chancery now in commission and hereafter to be appointed shall give bond, with two or more sufficient sureties, to the State of New Jersey in the sum of two thousand dollars, conditioned for the faithful performance of all duties imposed upon them by law."

Strike out section 3.

Mr. Cole moved to amend the amendment by inserting the words " masters in chancery," which was accepted.

The amendment was then lost.

Mr. Fish offered the following amendment, which was lost :

Amend section 1 by inserting "and provided further, that the Governor be and he is hereby authorized to recall the commission of any notary public now commissioned, and that the list as it now stands, before the fourth day of July next."

Strike out section 4.

Mr. Neighbour offered the following amendment, which was lost :

Add to the thirteenth line, after the word "State," "provided, that all notaries public now appointed shall be duly sworn in the same way as a commissioner of deeds is now required by law to be sworn.

Mr. Armstrong moved to strike out the enacting clause.

Mr. Cole called for the ayes and noes, which call was sustained.

The motion was not agreed to, by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Chapman, Fish, Harrison, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lupton, Neighbour, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker)—15.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, North, O'Connor, Robbins, Ross, Scott, Stafford, Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—41.

The bill was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Fish, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 180, entitled

An Act to authorize the payment of the sum of five hundred dollars to the paymaster of the First Regiment Infantry, First Brigade National Guards State of New Jersey, for Company A, of said regiment, its appropriation for the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

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

Assembly Bill No. 80, entitled

An Act to provide for the removal of snow and ice from sidewalks and gutters in incorporated towns and boroughs,

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

Assembly Bill No. 131, entitled

An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to further regulate the licensing of inns and taverns and places for the sale of malt, vinous, spirituous and other intoxicating liquors and drinks," approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Was taken up on second reading, and, on motion of Mr. Harrison, laid over.

Mr. Keasbey, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 181, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning corporations" (Revision), approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

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

Assembly Bill No. 48, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April first, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up on second reading, and, on motion of Mr. McLaughlin, laid over until 3 o'clock P. M.

Mr. O'Connor moved to reconsider the vote by which the adverse report on

Assembly Bill No. 92, entitled

An Act concerning bonds and mortgages given for the same indebtedness,

Was adopted,

Which was agreed to, and the adverse report not concurred in, and

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

On motion of Mr. Rich,

Assembly Bill No. 96, entitled

An Act relating to taxes and assessments and to sales of land for unpaid taxes or assessments,

Was laid over until afternoon.

Assembly Bill No. 123, entitled

An Act regulating the appointment, promotion or transfer of public school teachers in cities of this State,

Was taken up on second reading, and laid over until next week.

On motion of Mr. Clarke,

Assembly Bill No. 107, entitled

An Act to authorize thief detecting societies to exercise police powers,

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

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 68, entitled

Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

As correctly engrossed.

Assembly Bill No. 55, entitled

An Act for the government of persons who are members of companies incorporated under the act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of pursuing and detective companies,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armitage, Bell, Boud, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—52.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Campbell—2.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 131, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "An act to further regulate the licensing of inns and taverns and places for the sale of malt, vinous, spirituous and other intoxicating liquors and drinks," approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

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

Assembly Bill No. 123, entitled

An Act regulating the appointment, promotion or transfer of public school teachers in cities of this State,

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

Assembly Bill No. 76, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to the election of constables," approved March twelfth, eighteen hundred and eighty,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffinan, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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.

The following invitation was received and accepted :

To the Hon. A. B. Stoney, Speaker of the House of Assembly :

SIR—The New Jersey Board of Agriculture will hold its annual meeting at the State House on Tuesday and Wednesday, February 5th and 6th.

The members of Assembly are cordially invited to attend their sessions. On the evening of February 5th, Hon. William Walter Phelps will address the board in the Assembly Chamber on agricultural topics, and the attendance of members will be heartily welcomed.

Very respectfully,

P. T. QUINN,

Secretary.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 2, entitled .

Joint Resolution relative to a national telegraph,

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Lehlbach, Lupton, O'Connor, Prall, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Weaver—30.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Caminade, Clarke, Cole, Flynn, Hoffman, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—26.

The Speaker referred

Assembly Bill No. 23, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act appointing commissioners for a sinking fund and defining their duties," approved March twenty-fifth, eighteen hundred and sixty-four,

To Committee on Riparian Rights instead of Finance.

Mr. Burgess called up his resolution in reference to the taxation on liquors.

Pending its consideration, the House adjourned, on motion of Mr. Flynn.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At 3 o'clock P. M. the House met.

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

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Mr. Rich, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported favorably,

Assembly Bill No. 140, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting conveyances" (Revision), approved March twenty-seven, eighteen hundred and seventy-five.

Mr. Scott, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture and Agricultural College, reported favorably, as amended,

Assembly Bill No. 87, entitled

An Act for the protection of dairymen and to prevent deception in sales of butter.

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

Assembly Bill No. 86, entitled

An Act to authorize the payment of five hundred dollars to the paymaster of the Second Battalion, First Brigade, N. G., N. J.,

Favorably.

Mr. Burgess' resolution in reference to taxation on liquors, was taken up.

Mr. Burgess moved its adoption, and called for ayes and noes.

The resolution was not adopted, by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Bell, Burgess, Dickinson, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, North—9

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Boud, Branning, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Coombs, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Hough, Jenkins, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—41.

Mr. Harrigan, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 182, entitled

An Act limiting fares to be charged by horse railroad companies within the corporate limits of any city of the State 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 Railroads and Canals.

Mr. Campbell, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 183, entitled

An Act to provide for the formation and regulation of co-operative societies of workingmen,

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

Mr. Rich, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 184, entitled

An Act to authorize the boards of councilmen of incorporated towns in this State to license, regulate and prohibit the sale of malt, spirituous, vinous and other liquors,

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. Keasbey, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 185, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning evidence" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, relating to the proof of insanity in criminal cases,

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

Mr. Keasbey, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 186, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act to secure to creditors an equal and just division of the estates of debtors who convey to assignees for the benefit of creditors" (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. Chapman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 187, entitled

An Act for the taxation of corporate property,

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, when appointed, and ordered printed before reported.

Assembly Bill No. 83, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act to secure to creditors an equal and just division of the estates of debtors who convey to assignees for the benefit of creditors," approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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.

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

Resolved, That the Stationery Committee be directed to furnish to legislative correspondents bill files, and extend to them such other courtesies of the House as will enable them to facilitate their business.

Mr. McLaughlin seconded the adoption of the above resolution.

Assembly Bill No. 28, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act relating to turnpike companies," approved February twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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.

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

	STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
	SENATE CHAMBER,	
<i>Mr. Speaker—</i>	January 29th, 1884.	

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

Senate Bill No. 1, entitled

An Act to protect all citizens in their civil and legal rights,

Senate Bill No. 4, entitled

An Act in relation to the salary of the prosecutor of the pleas in the county of Passaic,

Senate Bill No. 15, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Bill No. 30, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of courts of law," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Bill No. 38, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of courts of law" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Bill No. 48, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize and regulate the business of banking," approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Senate Bill No. 49, entitled

An Amendment to "An act to prevent rending, using or exploding of guns, pistols, toy pistols or other fire-arms to or by persons under the age of fifteen years in this State,"

Senate Bill No. 56, entitled

An Act to amend an act approved March nineteenth, eighteen hundred and eighty-three, entitled "An act amending 'An act respecting county jails,' approved April twenty-first, eighteen hundred and seventy-six,"

Senate Bill No. 57, entitled

An Act concerning recognizances in criminal cases,

Senate Bill No. 58, entitled

An Act to quiet litigation,

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

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The message was taken up, and the Senate bills severally read a first time by their titles, and ordered to have a second reading, and referred to their appropriate committees.

Senate Bill No. 1, entitled

An Act to protect all citizens in their civil and legal rights,

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. Chapman, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported adversely

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 1, entitled

Joint Resolution relative to the tariff,

(Signed,)

E. CHAPMAN,
THEODORE BUDD,
AUGUSTUS IRONS.

We, the minority of the committee, respectfully urge the passage of this resolution.

FRANK O. COLE,
HERMAN LEHLBACH.

Mr. Cole moved the minority report be adopted as a substitute for the majority report.

Mr. Chapman moved that the vote be first taken on the adoption of the majority report.

Mr. Cole then withdrew his motion.

Mr. Flynn moved the further consideration of the reports be laid over until to-morrow,

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Cole called for the reading of the resolution.

So ordered.

Mr. Flynn renewed his motion to postpone.

Mr. Neighbour moved to lay the whole matter on the table.

Mr. Fish called for the ayes and noes.

The motion to lay on the table was lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Budd, Byrnes, Chapman, Clarke, Irons, Kelly, Lake, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—19.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud Burgess, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rue, See, Stafford, Weaver, Woodruff—37.

Mr. Flynn withdrew his motion to postpone, and moved to recommit the bill.

Mr. Fish called for the ayes and noes, which call was sustained.

The motion to recommit was lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Boud, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Chapman, Clarke, Flynn, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—28.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, North, Rue, See, Stafford, Weaver, Woodruff—30.

On motion of Mr. Flynn, the House adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, January 30th, 1884.

At 10 o'clock the House met.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Father Smith.

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

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

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

Assembly Bill No. 18, entitled

Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning landlords and tenants," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 26, entitled

An Act to prohibit imprisonment for default in payment of taxes,

Assembly Bill No. 59, entitled

An Act to repeal a part of section two, of chapter CCCCXCIX., of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Without recommendation.

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

Assembly Bill No. 22, entitled

An Act to secure to workmen and operatives their wages and the payment thereof,

With amendments.

Assembly Bill No. 156, entitled

An Act authorizing persons having liens for work, labor or materials employed in the repair or construction of any estate to enforce such lien.

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

Assembly Bill No. 45, entitled

An Act authorizing suits to be brought against the State of New Jersey,

Assembly Bill No. 150, entitled

An Act providing for payment of fees for the record and report of jail statistics,

Favorably.

Mr. Neighbour, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported, adversely,

Assembly Bill No. 60, entitled

An Act in relation to the holding of courts in certain cases,

Assembly Bill No. 157, entitled

An Act to provide for the election of chosen freeholders in incorporated boroughs.

The adverse report on No. 60 was concurred in.

The consideration of the adverse report on

Assembly Bill No. 157, entitled

An Act to provide for the election of chosen freeholders in incorporated boroughs.

Was, on motion of Mr. Armstrong, laid over until February 4th next.

Mr. Ross, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 188, entitled

An Act to provide for State taxes on telegraph, telephone, electric light, horse railroad, express, life insurance and petroleum oil or pipe line companies, and for the efficient collection thereof,

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, when appointed.

Mr. Fish, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 189, entitled

An Act to amend the fourteenth section of an act entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the organization of the National Guard of the State of New Jersey,' approved March nine, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine," and the various amendments thereto,

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

The message from the Senate, received January 29, instant, was read, and the bills therein referred to their appropriate committees.

Mr. Chapman, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Bill No. 128, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting the office of treasurer," approved March sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Favorably.

Assembly Bill No. 45, entitled

An Act authorizing suits to be brought against the State of New Jersey,

Assembly Bill No. 64, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the classification of cities," etc.,

Assembly Bill No. 59, entitled

An Act to repeal a part of section two, of chapter CCCCXCIX., of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 26, entitled

An Act to prohibit imprisonment for default in payment of taxes.

Assembly Bill No. 48, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April first, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 22, entitled

An Act to secure to workmen and operatives their wages and the payment thereof,

The last bill was amended in committee,

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

On motion of Mr. Prall, the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 59, entitled

An Act to repeal a part of section two, of chapter CCCCXCIX., of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Was ordered to a third reading, was reconsidered, and bill laid over until next Tuesday.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
January 30th, 1884. }

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. 24, entitled

A Supplement to "An act concerning disorderly persons," (Revision), approved April ninth, eighteen hundred and seventy-five,

Without amendments,

Senate Bill No. 24, entitled

An Act to require the New York, Lake Erie and Western Railroad Company to erect and maintain gates at certain street crossings in the city of Paterson,

Senate Bill No. 40, 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,

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

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The message was taken up, and the Senate bills severally read a first time by their titles, and ordered to have a second reading, and referred to their appropriate committees.

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

Assembly Bill No. 169, entitled

An Act to provide against the spreading of fire and danger to life and limb, occasioned by unguarded and insufficiently guarded elevator passageways and hoistways in buildings,

Assembly Bill No. 162, entitled

An Act relating to the depth and construction of foundation walls of buildings and the responsibilities of adjoining property owners to each other in cities and towns,

Assembly Bill No. 127, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize cities in this State to issue and dispose of water bonds or water scrip to renew certain water bonds or water scrip," approved January thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Assembly Bill No. 167, entitled

An Act concerning the safe custody of moneys belonging to the relief fund of any paid fire department of any city of the first class,

Assembly Bill No. 110, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act to revise and amend the charter of the city of Elizabeth,' approved March three, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three," which supplement was approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy,

Assembly Bill No. 129, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act to increase the powers of township committees," approved March eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty,

Favorably.

Assembly Bill No. 24, entitled

A Supplement to "An act concerning disorderly persons" (Revision), approved April ninth, eighteen hundred and seventy-five,

Said bill having passed both Houses, was this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills, with the following certificate endorsed thereon :

"I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

HENRY D. WINTON,

Clerk."

Mr. Burgess called up the consideration of the report on
Assembly Joint Resolution No. 1, entitled
Joint Resolution relative to the tariff.

Mr. Savage offered the following substitute to the majority report as an amendment to the resolution :

RESOLVED, *by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey*, That we favor a tariff for revenue limited to the necessary expenditures of the Government, and so adjusted as to give protection and encouragement to home production, industry and labor, without producing or fostering monopoly.

Mr. Armstrong raised a point of order that amendment to the resolution was not in order.

The Speaker ruled the point of order not well taken, and that the question before the House was on the substitute to the report.

Mr. Cole appealed from the decision of the Chair.

The appeal was not sustained.

Mr. Neighbour moved the previous question.

The previous question was ordered by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Boud, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—31.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Campbell, Carson, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, North, Rue, See, Stafford, Weaver—25.

The main question was then put, and the substitute adopted by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Boud, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—32.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Campbell, Carson, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, North, Rue, See, Stafford, Weaver, Woodruff—27.

Mr. Savage moved to reconsider the vote by which the substitute was adopted, which motion was lost by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Campbell, Carson, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, North, Rue, See, Stafford, Weaver, Woodruff—26.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Boud, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—33.

The resolution, by its substitute, was ordered to take its place on the calendar.

The Speaker announced that Mr. Dickinson had been substituted for Mr. Holzwarth on Militia, and Mr. Holzwarth takes Mr. Dickinson place on Revolutionary Claims and Pensions.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 28, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act relating to turnpike companies," approved February twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

Assembly Bill No. 81, entitled

An Act to provide for the election of road overseers in their respective districts,

Assembly Bill No. 84, entitled

An Act concerning cities,

Assembly Bill No. 131, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "An act to further regulate the licensing of inns and taverns and places for the sale of malt, vinous, spirituous and other intoxicating liquors and drinks," approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Assembly Bill No. 105, entitled

An act to give to firemen the same advantages in respect to taxes and jury duty as now are or hereafter may be allowed to members of the National Guard of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 106, entitled

A Supplement to "An act respecting conveyances" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 99, entitled

An Act to abolish preferences of creditors by insolvent debtors,

Assembly Bill No. 109, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the incorporation of fire companies," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Assembly Bill No. 65, entitled

An Act for the compromise and settlement of assessments and past due taxes,

Correctly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. Burgess, the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 147, entitled

An Act to establish a bank and insurance department,

Was laid over,

Was reconsidered.

On motion of Mr. Chapman, the House adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At 3 o'clock P. M. the House met.

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

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

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

Assembly Bill No. 21, entitled

An Act to provide for the removal of suits at common law to the court of chancery,

With amendments,

Assembly Bill No. 8, entitled

An Act amending chapter CCXIX., of the laws of eighteen hundred and eighty,

Adversely,

Assembly Bill No. 54, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of pursuing and detective companies," approved March twenty-ninth, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight,

Favorably.

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

Assembly Bill No. 16, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act to encourage the formation of libraries in the free public schools of New Jersey," passed April sixth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one,

Assembly Bill No. 139, entitled

An Act amending an act to authorize the construction of school-houses in cities of the first class of this State, approved February thirteen, eighteen hundred and eighty-three,

Favorably.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 62, entitled

An Act to provide for the publication of the "Manual of the Legislature of New Jersey,"

Assembly Bill No. 67, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act authorizing the establishment of hospitals in the cities of the State," approved February twenty-third, eighteen hundred and eighty-three,

Assembly Bill No. 85, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning certain townships in this State," approved March twenty-third, eighteen hundred and eighty-three,

Correctly engrossed.

Mr. Savage, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 190, entitled

An Act in relation to railroad corporations leasing their road, or any part thereof,

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

Mr. Hough, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 191, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the examination in certain cases of applicants for admission as attorneys to the supreme court of the 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. Prall, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 192, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

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

Mr. Chapman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 193, entitled

An Act in relation to common carriers,

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

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

Resolved, That when this House adjourns it be to meet at eight o'clock,

And, on motion of Mr. McLaughlin, laid on the table.

Assembly Bill No. 113, entitled

An Act to extend the time for the completion of railroads whose charters shall expire by limitation during the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, where work has been performed on said railroad or money expended thereon,

Was taken up on second reading and laid over.

Assembly Bill No. 16, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act to encourage the formation of libraries in the free public schools of New Jersey," passed April sixth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one,

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

Assembly Bill No. 21, entitled

An Act to provide for the removal of suits at common law to the court of chancery,

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

Assembly Bill No. 147, entitled

An Act to establish a bank and insurance department,

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Harrison moved the bill lie over until next week,

Which was not agreed to.

The bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan,

Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—44.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Campbell, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Haines, Hoffman, North, Weaver—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. Rich, on leave introduced

Assembly Bill No. 194, entitled

An Act concerning fire departments in the townships of this State,

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

Mr. Cole (by request), introduced

Assembly Bill No. 195, entitled

An Act to secure the right of burial,

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. Harrigan,

Assembly Bill No. 105, entitled

An Act to give to firemen the same advantages in respect to taxes and jury duty as now are or hereafter may be allowed to members of the National Guard of this State,

Was recommitted.

Assembly Bill No. 84, entitled

An Act concerning cities,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Boud, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Mills, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
SENATE CHAMBER,	
January 30th, 1884.	

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. 33, entitled

A Further Supplement to "An act relative to sales of lands under a public statute or by virtue of any legal proceeding" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 14, entitled

A Supplement to an act relative to the publication of the laws of this State in the newspapers, approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Senate Bill No. 64, entitled

An Act concerning a division of wards in cities of the third class in this State,

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

W. A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The message was taken up, and the Senate bills severally read a first time by their titles, and ordered to have a second reading, and referred to their appropriate committees.

Assembly Bill No. 33 having passed both Houses, was this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills, with the following certificate endorsed on the same:

"I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

HENRY D. WINTON."

Assembly Bill No. 19, entitled

A Supplement to "An act respecting bridges" (Revision), approved April tenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Jenkins, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—47.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 82, entitled

An Act prohibiting the desecration of the Sabbath or Sunday.

Was taken up on third reading, and, on motion of Mr. Chatte, was recommitted.

Assembly Bill No. 131, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "An act to further regulate the licensing of inns and taverns and places for the sale of malt, vinous, spirituous and other intoxicating liquors and drinks," approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Burgess, Cadmus, Chapman, Clarke, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Kelly, Lake, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick—20.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Boud, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chatte, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, North, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Woodruff, Wortendyke—34.

Before the vote was announced, Mr. Jernee changed his vote from aye to no.

Mr. Armstrong moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was lost.

Mr. Rich moved to lay the motion on the table.

Mr. Campbell called for the ayes and noes, and the call was sustained.

The motion to table was lost by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Branning, Burgess, Byrnes, Chapman, Clarke, Doremus, Fish, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—25.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Boud, Budd, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Hough, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Ludlam, North, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Woodruff—28.

The motion to reconsider was then lost by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Branning, Clarke, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Jernee, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—21.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, North, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Woodruff—34.

On motion of Mr. McLaughlin, the House adjourned.

THURSDAY, January 31, 1884.

At 10 o'clock the House met.

Prayer was offered by Rev. J. B. Kennedy.

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

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Assembly Bill No. 53, entitled

An Act in relation to the admission and sale of food for cattle in stock yards of this State, in cities of the first class,

Was withdrawn from the Committee on Corporations and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations, by order of the Speaker.

Mr. Chattle presented a petition, signed by 5,063 citizens of the State, praying for an amendment to the constitution prohibiting the sale and manufacture of intoxicating liquors.

Mr. Wildrick, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 151, entitled

An Act requiring the publication of county receipts and expenditures quarterly,

Assembly Bill No. 152, entitled

An Act for the better protection of the health, comfort and safety of persons employed in shops and factories,

Without recommendation.

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

Assembly Bill No. 4, entitled

An Act for the protection of life and property in counties of the first class in this State from the explosion of steam boilers,

Without recommendation,

And

Assembly Bill No. 173, entitled

An Act to fix the salaries of the assistant engrossing clerks of the Senate and House of Assembly,

Assembly Bill No. 2, entitled

An Act relative to actions for injuries,

Assembly Bill No. 144, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of dentistry and to protect the people against empiricism in relation thereto in the State of New Jersey,"

Assembly Bill No. 105, entitled

An Act to give to firemen the same advantages in respect to taxes and jury duty as now are or hereafter may be allowed to members of the National Guard of this State,

With amendments,

And

Assembly Bill No. 174, entitled

An Act relating to the assessment of taxes,

Assembly Bill No. 15, entitled

An Act to provide for the election of delegates to a convention to prepare a constitution for the government of this State, and for submitting the same to the people thereof for ratification or rejection,

Assembly Bill No. 73, entitled

An Act to define the term "Homœopathic," when applied to physicians,

Senate Bill No. 48, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize and regulate the business of banking," approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Favorably ;

Also,

Concurrent Resolution No. 2, entitled

Concurrent Resolution proposing amendments to the constitution of the State of New Jersey,

With amendments.

Mr. Kelly, Chairman of the Committee on State Prison, reported

Assembly Bill No. 61, entitled

An Act to abolish and prohibit the employment under contract of convicts and inmates of prisons, jails, penitentiaries, and all public reformatory institutions in the State of New Jersey,

Favorably.

Mr. Prall, Chairman of the Committee on Banks and Insurance, reported

Senate Bill No. 48, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize and regulate the business of banking," approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Favorably.

Mr. Neighbour, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported, adversely,

Assembly Bill No. 50, entitled

An Act in relation to past due taxes and assessments,

Assembly Bill No. 39, entitled

An Act relative to actions by persons injured or killed at railroad crossings in cities of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 5, entitled

An Act in relation to cities of this State of the first class, enabling them to form a company to reclaim a stream or streams for the purpose of building a ship canal,

Assembly Bill No. 114, entitled

An Act to regulate the practice of the law,

Assembly Bill No. 134, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the more easy sale of mortgaged premises," passed February sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one, and to lessen the expense of the same.

The adverse report on

Assembly Bill No. 50, entitled

An Act in relation to past due taxes and assessments,

Assembly Bill No. 114, entitled

An act to regulate the practice of the law,

Was concurred in.

The adverse report on

Assembly Bill No. 39, entitled

An Act relative to actions by persons injured or killed at railroad crossings in cities of this State,

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 5,

For the passage in Congress of a national marriage and divorce law,

Assembly Bill No. 134, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the more easy sale of mortgaged premises," passed February sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one, and to lessen the expense of the same,

And

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 6, entitled

Joint Resolution proposing amendments to constitution to provide for biennial sessions of the legislature,

Was not concurred in.

Mr. Neighbour, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 196, entitled

An Act to defray the expenses of a special committee of the House of Assembly to investigate the subject of riparian rights,

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

Assembly Bill No. 149, entitled

An act concerning official newspapers in cities of this State,

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

Mr. Cole moved

Assembly Bill No. 34, entitled

An Act to provide for the taxation of the real estate of railroad corporations in the State of New Jersey,

Not having been reported within ten days, as required by the rules, be taken from the committee and placed on calendar,

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Savage moved to recommit the bill,

Which motion was lost.

Mr. Cole moved to reconsider the vote by which the last motion was lost,

Which was not agreed to.

On motion of Mr. McLaughlin,

Assembly Bill No. 149, entitled

An Act concerning official newspapers in cities of this State,

Was recommitted.

Assembly Bill No. 54, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of pursuing and detective companies," approved March twenty-ninth, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight,

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

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

Assembly Bill No. 149, entitled

An Act concerning official newspapers in cities of this State,
Assembly Bill No. 117, entitled

An Act in relation to the retaking of personal property sold
on installments,

Favorably.

Assembly Bill No. 2, entitled

An Act relative to actions for injuries,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections,
amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a
third reading, and reprinted with amendments.

Assembly Bill No. 61, entitled

An Act to abolish and prohibit the employment under contract
of convicts and inmates of prisons, jails, penitentiaries, and all
public reformatory institutions in the State of New Jersey,

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

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

Assembly Bill No. 132, entitled

An Act entitled "An act to amend section two of a supple-
ment to an act to partially consolidate the several game laws of
this State, chapter sixteen," approved February eighth, one
thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Adversely.

The adverse report was not concurred in.

A message was received from the Governor at the hands of
his Private Secretary, Willard Fisk, transmitting to the House
the following report:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Trenton, Jan. 31st, 1884. }

Mr. Speaker—

I have this day approved and signed the following bill which originated in the House of Assembly, and have delivered the same to the Secretary of State, to be filed in his office :

Assembly Bill No. 24, entitled

A Supplement to "An act concerning disorderly persons" (Revision), approved April ninth, eighteen hundred and seventy-five:

Respectfully,

LEON ABBETT,

Governor.

Assembly Bill No. 73, entitled

An Act to define the term "Homœopathic," when applied to physicians,

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

Assembly Bill No. 15, entitled

An Act to provide for the election of delegates to a convention to prepare a constitution for the government of this State, and for submitting the same to the people thereof for ratification or rejection,

Was taken up on its second reading, and laid over temporarily.

Assembly Bill No. 94, entitled

An Act to repeal a certain supplement to "An act respecting the orphans' court," etc.,

Was taken up on its third reading, and laid over temporarily.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 105, entitled

An Act to give to firemen the same advantages in respect to taxes and jury duty as now are or hereafter may be allowed to members of the National Guard of this State,

Correctly engrossed.

Assembly Bill No. 106, entitled

A Supplement to "An act respecting conveyances" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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. Neighbour, the Sergeant-at-Arms was directed by the Speaker to deliver printed copies of bills to members only.

Assembly Bill No. 4, entitled

An Act for the protection of life and property in counties of the first class in this State from the explosion of steam boilers,

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

Mr. Rich offered the following amendment to the rules of the House, which was read and ordered to lie over one day, under the rules :

After the calling of the roll has been commenced upon any question, no member shall be permitted to explain his vote.

On motion of Mr. Keasbey, the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 12, entitled

An Act in relation to the receivers of insolvent corporations,

Was ordered to have a third reading, was reconsidered.

The bill was then read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 51, entitled

A Supplement to "An act to incorporate charitable and benevolent associations," approved March second, eighteen hundred and eighty-three,

Was taken up on third reading and laid over.

Assembly Bill No. 105, entitled

An Act to give to firemen the same advantages in respect to taxes and jury duty as now are or hereafter may be allowed to members of the National Guard of this State,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan,

Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—54.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 68, entitled

Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Boud, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Keasbey, Lake, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick—31.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Campbell, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Larison, Rue, Scott, Stafford, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 92, entitled

An act concerning bonds and mortgages given for the same indebtedness,

Correctly engrossed.

Assembly Bill No. 81, entitled

An Act to provide for the election of road overseers in their respective districts,

Was taken up on its third reading, and laid over temporarily.

On motion of Mr. Savage,

Assembly Bill No. 99, entitled

An Act to abolish preferences of creditors by insolvent debtors,

Was recommitted.

Assembly Bill No. 65, entitled

An Act for the compromise and settlement of assessments and past due taxes,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armstrong, Boud, Budd, Byrnes, Campbell, Chattle, Coombs, Haines, Hoffman, Hough, Mills, Ross, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Woodruff—18.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Bell, Burgess, Cadmus, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Rue, See, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—34.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 16, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act to encourage the formation of libraries in the free public schools of New Jersey," passed April sixth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one,

Correctly engrossed.

Mr. Clarke moved to reconsider the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 65, entitled

An Act for the compromise and settlement of assessments and past due taxes,

Was lost.

Mr. Clarke moved to lay the motion on the table,

Which was not agreed to.

The motion to reconsider was then lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armstrong, Boud, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Hough, Jenkins, Larison, McLaughlin, Mills, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff—29.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Bell, Caminade, Carson, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Irons, Keasbey, Lake, Lehlbach, Neighbour, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, See, Steljes, Weaver, Wortendyke—23.

Mr. Fish offered the following resolution, which was read and indefinitely postponed:

Recognizing the fact that there are individual cases where a compromise of taxes would be wise in cities and towns of this State; it is

Resolved, That a special committee of five be appointed by

the Speaker to take into consideration the subject of compromise of taxes, and report by bill or otherwise to this House.

The following invitation was received from the State Normal and Model Schools, which was read and accepted :

To the House of Assembly of the State of New Jersey :

It will please all connected with our schools and boarding halls to receive a visit from you at such time as may suit your convenience. Upon the recommendation of one of the members of the Legislature, I suggest Wednesday, February 6th, at 11 o'clock, as a suitable time.

Respectfully yours,

W. HASBROUCK,

Principal.

On motion of Mr. Lehlbach, the House adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At 3 o'clock the House met.

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

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Keas-

bey, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

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

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

Mr. Wildrick, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 177, entitled

An Act to authorize the lighting of public roads and streets in townships,

Assembly Bill No. 161, entitled

An Act concerning cities of this State,

Without recommendation,

Assembly Bill No. 181, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning corporations" (Revision), approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Assembly Bill No. 44, entitled

An Act authorizing turnpike companies to take and condemn land for making or repairing their roadway,

Assembly Bill No. 153, entitled

An Act to secure to creditors an equal distribution of the assets of insolvent corporations,

Favorably,

And

Assembly Bill No. 11, entitled

An Act to fix rates of ferriage for foot passengers on ferries over the waters dividing the State of New Jersey from all adjoining States,

Adversely.

The adverse report of

Assembly Bill No. 11, entitled

An Act to fix rates of ferriage for foot passengers on ferries over the waters dividing the State of New Jersey from all adjoining States,

Was not concurred in.

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

Assembly Bill No. 191, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the examination in certain cases of applicants for admission as attorneys to the supreme court of the State,"

Assembly Bill No. 35, entitled

An Act to further regulate licenses and the sale of liquors,

With amendments.

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

Resolved, That 300 copies of the rules of the House be printed, with constitutions of the United States and the State of New Jersey, for the use of the members.

Mr. Rich moved to reconsider the vote by which the consideration of the resolution offered by Mr. Fish in the morning was indefinitely postponed,

Which was agreed to, and the resolution adopted.

Mr. Armstrong, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 197, entitled

An Act exempting from taxation persons who served in the military or naval forces of the United States during the late war,

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

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

Assembly Bill No. 172, entitled

An Act to authorize the establishment of free public libraries in the cities of this State,

Favorably.

Mr. Ross, Chairman of the Committee on Riparian Rights, reported

Assembly Bill No. 23, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act appointing commissioners for a sinking fund, and defining their duties," approved March twenty-fifth, eighteen hundred and sixty-four,

With amendments, favorably.

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

WHEREAS, The act entitled "An act to incorporate the New Jersey Railroad and Transportation Company" provided that at any time after the expiration of thirty years from the completion of the said railroad the State should have a right to take the same at its first cost, (Appendix to Laws, 1849, page 59, section 17); *and whereas*, it is more than thirty years since the road of the New Jersey Railroad and Transportation Company was completed and the right of the State to take said road at its first cost has accrued to the State, provided, only, the legislature cause an appraisement of the first cost of building said road to

be made, and the amount to be paid to the stockholders thereof; *and whereas*, the legislature in 1864 passed an act called a further supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the New Jersey Railroad and Transportation Company," (Laws, 1864, page 293,) the first section of which enacted "that the time at the expiration of which it may be lawful for the legislature to cause an appraisement to be made of the New Jersey Railroad and Transportation Company, as provided for in the seventeenth section of the act to which this is a supplement, shall be extended to the first day of January, in the year eighteen hundred and eighty-nine ;"

Resolved, That the attorney-general be requested to furnish an opinion as to the power of the legislature of 1864 to extend the State's right of taking said railroad, and as to what effect said act has upon the rights of the State; and if the attorney-general shall be of the opinion that the legislature of 1864 had a right under the constitution of the State to extend the State's right of taking said railroad, he is also requested to furnish an opinion as to whether the legislature of 1884 has a right, under the constitution of the State, to repeal the act of 1864 extending the time.

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

Assembly Bill No. 198, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize the incorporation of rural cemetery associations and regulate cemeteries" (Revision), approved April nine, 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 Revision of Laws.

Assembly Bill No. 197, entitled

An Act exempting from taxation persons who served in the military or naval forces of the United States during the late war,

And

Assembly Bill No. 182, entitled

An Act limiting fares to be charged by horse railroad companies within the corporate limits of any city of the State of the first class,

Was ordered printed before reported.

Assembly Bill No. 34, entitled

An Act to provide for the taxation of the real estate of railroad corporations in the State of New Jersey,

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

On motion of Mr. Cole, said bill was ordered to be made a special order for Tuesday morning next.

Assembly Bill No. 36, entitled

An Act to authorize the payment of five hundred dollars to the paymaster of the Second Battalion, First Brigade, N. G. N. J.,

Was ordered to be engrossed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Cole moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Which was agreed to.

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

Resolved, That hereafter four hundred copies of each Assembly bill be printed, instead of three hundred.

Assembly Bill No. 18, entitled

Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning landlords and tenants," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up on its second reading, and laid over temporarily.

Assembly Bill No. 87, entitled

An Act for the protection of dairymen, and to prevent deception in sales of butter,

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

Assembly Bill No. 35, entitled

An Act to further regulate licenses and the sale of liquors,

Assembly Bill No. 44, entitled

An Act authorizing turnpike companies to take and condemn land for making or repairing their roadway,

Were taken up on second reading, and, on motion of Mr. Burgess, were laid over until next week.

Assembly Bill No. 51, entitled

A Supplement to "An act to incorporate charitable and benevolent associations," approved March second, eighteen hundred and eighty-three,

Was taken up on third reading and laid over.

Assembly Bill No. 62, entitled

An Act to provide for the publication of the "Manual of the Legislature of New Jersey,"

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Hoffman, Hough, Jenkins, Lake, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, Prall, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—43.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Bell, Haines, Harrison, Holzwarth, Irons, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach—9.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 18, entitled

Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning landlords and tenants," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was recommitted, on motion of Mr. Ross.

Assembly Bill No. 72, entitled

An Act to regulate the vacation of streets in cities,

Was recommitted, on motion of Mr. Caminade.

The vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 81, entitled

An Act to provide for the election of road overseers in their respective districts,

Was ordered to a third reading, was recommitted on motion Mr. Coombs.

Assembly Bill No. 67, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act authorizing the establishment of hospitals in the cities of the State," approved February twenty-third, eighteen hundred and eighty-three,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough,

Irons, Keasbey, Lake, Larrison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Mills, Prall, Rich, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—42.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Lupton—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 16, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act to encourage the formation of libraries in the free public schools of New Jersey," passed April sixth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one,

Was taken up on third reading and laid over.

On motion of Mr. Rich, the House adjourned.

FRIDAY, February 1st, 1884.

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

Upon calling of the roll, the following gentleman answered to his name:

Mr. Caminade.

Mr. Caminade, 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 EVENING, February 4th, 1884.

At 8 o'clock the House met.

Prayer was offered by Rev. D. J. Freas.

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

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Ross, Chairman of Special Committee on State Prison Labor made a report, which was referred to the Committee on State Prison.

Mr. O'Connor offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted :

Resolved, That three thousand copies of the report of the Special Committee on Contract Convict Prison Labor be printed for the use of the members of this House.

Assembly Bill No. 7, entitled

A Supplement to "An act for the relief of persons imprisoned on civil process" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

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

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

Assembly Bill No. 118, entitled

Supplement to "An act to further regulate the licensing of inns," &c.,

Assembly Bill No. 186, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act to secure to creditors an equal and just division of the estates of debtors who convey to assignees for the benefit of creditors" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

With amendments.

Mr. Savage, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads and Canals, reported

Assembly Bill No. 20, entitled

An Act relative to the stoppage of railway trains at cities of the first class in this State,

Assembly Bill No. 120, entitled

A Further Supplement respecting railroads and canals,

Assembly Bill No. 182, entitled

An Act limiting fares to be charged by horse railroad companies within the corporate limits of any city of the State of the first class,

Without recommendation.

Assembly Bill No. 111, entitled

An Act to regulate fares on horse cars in cities of the second class,

Favorably.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 72, entitled

An Act to regulate the vacation of streets in cities,

Assembly Bill No. 46, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to re-organize the local government of the township of West Hoboken,' passed March the twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four," which supplement was approved April eighth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Assembly Bill No. 54, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of pursuing and detective companies, approved March twenty-ninth, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 29, entitled

An Act concerning the lighting of streets and public places in townships,

Assembly Bill No. 45, entitled

An Act authorizing suits to be brought against the State of New Jersey,

Assembly Bill No. 21, entitled

An Act to provide for the removal of suits at common law to the court of chancery,

Assembly Bill No. 48, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April first, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 22, entitled

An Act to secure to workmen and operatives their wages and the payment thereof,

Assembly Bill No. 6, entitled

An Act to authorize neighboring cities to improve connecting principal streets so as to form continuous thoroughfares,

Assembly Bill No. 2, entitled

An Act relative to actions for injuries,

Assembly Bill No. 26, entitled

An Act to prohibit imprisonment for default in payment of taxes,

Assembly Bill No. 80, entitled

An Act to provide for the removal of snow and ice from sidewalks and gutters in incorporated towns and boroughs,

Assembly Bill No. 126, entitled

An Act to empower notaries public with the power of commissioner of deeds,

Assembly Bill No. 100, entitled

A Further Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 149, entitled

An Act concerning official newspapers in cities of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 107, entitled

An Act to authorize thief detecting societies to exercise police powers,

Correctly engrossed.

Mr. Armstrong, on leave, introduced .

Assembly Bill No. 199, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act incorporating the inhabitants of townships, designating their powers and regulating their meetings,"

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

Mr. Clarke, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 200, entitled

An Act concerning cities,

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

Mr. Clarke, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 201, entitled

An Act concerning cities,

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

Mr. Rich, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 202, entitled

An Act to repeal section twenty-three of an act entitled "An act concerning mortgages," approved March twenty-seventh, 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 Revision of Laws.

Mr. Burgess, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 203, entitled

A Bill to define insurance brokers and their liabilities,

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. Dickinson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 204, entitled

An Act concerning cities,

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

Mr. Dickinson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 205, entitled

An Act extending powers of health or sanitary inspectors,

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

Mr. Ross, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 206, entitled

An Act to defray the expenses of the special committee on contract convict prison labor,

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

Mr. Scott, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 207, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate elections," approved April eighteen, eighteen 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 Elections.

Mr. McLaughlin, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 208, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections," approved April eighteen, eighteen 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 Elections.

Mr. McLaughlin, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 209, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to morgues and morgue-keepers," approved March fourth, eighteen hundred and seventy-nine,

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

Mr. McLaughlin, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 210, entitled

An Act for the protection of storage or warehouse-keepers or owners,

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

Mr. Fish, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 211, entitled

An Act regulating lettings in cases where no definite time is fixed,

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

Mr. Fish, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 212, entitled

An Act respecting persons sentenced to be confined in any county jail or penitentiary 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. Mills, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 213, entitled

A Supplement to an act concerning townships and township officers, approved April twenty-one, eighteen 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 Corporations.

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

Assembly Bill No. 214, entitled

An Act for the better government of cemeteries of less than five hundred lots,

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

With consent of the House, Mr. Byrnes withdrew

Assembly Bill No. 161, entitled

An Act concerning cities of this State.

Mr. Burgess withdrew

Assembly Bill No. 135, entitled

An Act to tax personal property where it is situate.

Mr. Holzwarth withdrew

Assembly Bill No. 69, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Mr. Savage, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 215, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning disorderly persons," 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 Revision of Laws.

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

Resolved, That the usual number of members' complimentary slips be ordered printed.

Mr. Harrison offered the following resolution, which was read and not adopted:

Resolved, That the Sergeant-at-Arms procure and supply to each member and officer of the House of Assembly four copies of the Manual for 1884, at a cost not to exceed one dollar per copy.

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

Resolved, That the quartermaster general of the State of New Jersey be requested to fire the usual salute on the capitol grounds the 22d day of February, instant.

Assembly Bill No. 110, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act to revise and amend the charter of the city of Elizabeth,' approved March three, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three," which supplement was approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy,

Assembly Bill No. 151, entitled

An Act requiring the publication of county receipts and expenditures quarterly,

Assembly Bill No. 156, entitled

An Act authorizing persons having liens for work, labor or materials employed in the repair or construction of any estate to enforce such lien,

Assembly Bill No. 173, entitled

An Act to fix the salaries of the assistant engrossing clerks of the Senate and House of Assembly,

Assembly Bill No. 174, entitled

An Act relating to the assessment of taxes,

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

Assembly Bill No. 11, entitled

An Act to fix rates of ferriage for foot passengers on ferries over the waters dividing the State of New Jersey from all adjoining States,

Was taken up on second reading and laid over till next Wednesday.

Assembly Bill No. 177, entitled

An Act to authorize the lighting of public roads and streets in townships,

Assembly Bill No. 167, entitled

An Act concerning the safe custody of moneys belonging to the relief fund of any paid fire department of any city of the first class,

Assembly Bill No. 29, entitled

An Act concerning the lighting of streets and public places in townships,

Assembly Bill No. 94, entitled

An Act to repeal a certain supplement to "An act respecting the orphans' court," etc.,

Were taken up on second reading, and laid over temporarily.

Assembly Bill No. 152, entitled

An Act for the better protection of the health, comfort and safety of persons employed in shops and factories,

Assembly Bill No. 139, entitled

An Act amending "An act to authorize the construction of school-houses in cities of the first class of this State," approved February thirteen, eighteen hundred and eighty-three,

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

Assembly Bill No. 15, entitled

An Act to provide for the election of delegates to a convention to prepare a constitution for the government of this State, and for submitting the same to the people thereof for ratification or rejection.

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

Assembly No. 162, entitled

An Act relating to the depth and construction of foundation walls of buildings and the responsibilities of adjoining property owners to each other in cities and towns,

Was taken up on its second reading, and, on motion of Mr. Lehlbach, laid over until Monday next.

Assembly Bill No. 161, entitled

An Act concerning cities of this State,

Was withdrawn from the files of the House.

Assembly Bill No. 134, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the more easy sale of mortgaged premises," passed February sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one, and to lessen the expense of the same,

Was taken up on its second reading, and laid over until Monday next.

Assembly Bill No. 4, entitled

An Act for the protection of life and property in counties of the first class in this State from the explosion of steam boilers,

Was taken up on third reading.

On motion of Mr. Armstrong, the vote by which the bill was ordered to a third reading was reconsidered.

Mr. Armstrong offered the following amendment which was lost:

Sec. 10. *And be it enacted*, That the provisions of this act shall not apply to the counties of the second class.

The bill was read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading, and ordered reprinted as amendment.

With consent of the House, Mr. McLaughlin withdrew

Assembly Bill No. 121, entitled

An Act respecting cities of the first class and to provide for a more efficient government therein,

And, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 216, entitled

An Act respecting cities in this State, and to provide for a more efficient government therein,

As a substitute,

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

Assembly Bill No. 191, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the examination in certain cases of applicants for admission as attorneys to the supreme court of the State,"

Was taken up on second reading.

Mr. Cole moved strike out the enacting clause.

Mr. Rich called for the ayes and noes, the call was sustained.

The motion was then agreed to by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—



Messrs. Applegate, Bell, Boud, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Chattle, Cole, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Harrison, Hough, Irons, Lake, Larison, Lupton, O'Connor, Robbins, Ross, Scott, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—26.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Branning, Chapman, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, Prall, Rich, Rue, Savage, See, Stafford, Steljes—24.

Assembly Bill No. 153, entitled

An Act to secure to creditors an equal distribution of the assets of insolvent corporations,

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

Assembly Bill No. 172, entitled

An Act to authorize the establishment of free public libraries in the cities of this State,

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

Assembly Bill No. 132, entitled

An Act entitled "An act to amend section two of a supplement to an act to partially consolidate the several game laws of this State, chapter sixteen," approved February eight, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Was taken up on second reading.

Mr. Harrison offered the following amendment, which was lost :

Section 2, line 3, strike out "October" and insert "November;" strike out "February first" and insert "January tenth."

On motion of Mr. Burgess, the bill was then laid over until Wednesday, pending the consideration of Mr. Keasbey's amendment.

The following special committee was announced by the Speaker :

Special Committee on Compromising Taxes—Messrs. Chattle, Robbins, Chapman, Fish and Hoffman.

Assembly Bill No. 16, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act to encourage the formation of libraries in the free public schools of New Jersey," passed April sixth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Chattle, Cole, Doremus, Fish, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach,

Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Woodruff—38.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Caminade, Chapman, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, Robbins, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Woodruff—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.

Assembly Bill No. 100, entitled

A Further Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Jenkins, Larison, Lehlbach, Mills, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Ross, Scott, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—32.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Boud, Branning, Budd, Caminade, Campbell, Coombs, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Irons, Keasbey, Lake, Ludlam, Lupton, Neighbour, Robbins, Rue, Savage, Stafford, Woodruff—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.

Assembly Bill No. 149, entitled

An Act concerning official newspapers in cities of this State,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Hoffman, Hough, Irons, Lake, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Woodruff—34.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Caminade, Campbell, Coombs, Doremus, Haines, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, North, Rue, See, Steljes, Wildrick, Wortendyke—20.

Assembly Bill No. 51, entitled

A Supplement to "An act to incorporate charitable and benevolent associations," approved March second, eighteen hundred and eighty-three,

Was taken up on its third reading, and laid over until to-morrow.

Assembly Bill No. 54, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of pursuing and detective companies," approved March twenty-ninth, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight,

Was taken up on its second reading, and laid over until to-morrow.

Assembly Bill No. 26, entitled

An Act to prohibit imprisonment for default in payment of taxes.

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Boud, Burgess, Caminade, Chattle, Cole, Flynn, Harrigan, Lupton, Mills, O'Connor, Prall, Ross, See, Stoney (Speaker)—14.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Campbell, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Neighbour, North, Rich, Robbins, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—38.

On motion of Mr. Clarke, the House adjourned.

TUESDAY, February 5th, 1884.

At 10 o'clock the House met.

Prayer was offered by Rev. J. H. Harpster.

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

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton,

Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Wildrick, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 183, entitled

An Act to provide for the formation and regulation of co-operative societies of workingmen,

Without recommendation.

Mr. Clarke, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 217, entitled

An Act in relation to the volunteer fire department in any city 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.

Printed before referred.

Mr. Chattle, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 218, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning bridges and turnpikes," approved March twelfth, 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 Corporations.

Mr. Chattle, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 219, entitled

An Act to fix the assessment for licenses for inns and taverns, and for the sale of vinous, spirituous and other liquors by the popular vote,

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

Mr. Harrigan, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 220, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish just rules for the taxation of railroad corporations, and to induce their acceptance and uniform adoption," approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three,

Referred to Special Joint Committee, and printed before reference.

Mr. Armstrong, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 221, entitled

A Supplement to "An act concerning inns and taverns" (Revision), approved April seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

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

Mr. Woodruff, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 222, entitled

An Act concerning persons carrying concealed weapons,

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. Woodruff, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 223, entitled

An Act to annex to the township of Springfield, in the county of Union, a portion of the township of Milburn, in the county of Essex,

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

Mr. Harrison, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 224, entitled

Supplement to the act constituting courts for the trial of small causes,

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

Mr. Chapman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 225, entitled

An Act in relation to apprentices in the service of the pilots for the ports of Jersey City, Newark and Perth Amboy by way of Sandy Hook,

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

Mr. Stoney, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 226, entitled

An Act to authorize the amendment and re-institution of defective or illegal proceedings for laying out, opening, altering or closing streets and avenues in incorporated boroughs, towns and villages and assessments on account thereof,

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

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

Assembly Bill No. 227, entitled

An Act to equalize the fees of assessors and collectors in the several townships in this State for the assessing and collecting the taxation on dogs,

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

Mr. Rich moved to take up and adopt his resolution, laid over under the rules one day, providing for an amendment to the rules of the House to the effect that after the beginning of the call of the roll on any question, no member shall be allowed to explain his vote.

Mr. Cole called for ayes and noes.

The call was sustained.

Upon calling the roll, the resolution was adopted by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Boud, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Ludlam, Neighbour, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—32.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Campbell, Carson, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, North, Rue, See, Stafford, Weaver, Woodruff—26.

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

Resolved, That the previous question shall never be ordered, except by a two-thirds vote of the House.

Mr. Clarke moved to lay the resolution on the table.

Mr. Cole called for ayes and noes.

The call was sustained.

The resolution was laid on the table, by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Boud, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Ludlam, Neighbour, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—30.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Campbell, Carson, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, North, Rue, See, Stafford, Weaver, Woodruff—27.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 61, entitled

An Act to abolish and prohibit the employment under contract of convicts and inmates of prisons, jails, penitentiaries and all public reformatory institutions in the State of New Jersey,

Assembly Bill No. 64, entitled

A Supplément to an act entitled "An act for the classification of cities," etc.,

Assembly Bill No. 123, entitled

An Act regulating the appointment, promotion or transfer of public school teachers in cities of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 73, entitled

An Act to define the term "Homœopathic," when applied to physicians,

Correctly engrossed.

Mr. Neighbour, Chairman of the Committee on Federal Relations, reported

Senate Bill No. 14, entitled

A Supplement to "An act relative to the publication of the laws of this State in the newspapers," approved April twenty-one, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Without recommendation.

The following communication was received from John P. Stockton, attorney-general :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
OFFICE OF ATTORNEY-GENERAL,
Trenton, February 5th, 1884. }

Hon. A. B. Stoney :

MR. SPEAKER—I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt this day of a resolution of the House, requesting an opinion in reference to certain acts of the New Jersey Railroad and Transportation Company. The question involves matters of importance to the State, and requires examination, which I shall make as early as possible, and communicate to the House at an early day thereafter.

Yours truly,

JOHN P. STOCKTON.

Assembly Bill No. 6, entitled

An Act to authorize neighboring cities to improve connecting principal streets so as to form continuous thoroughfares,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam,

Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—55.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 29, entitled

An Act concerning the lighting of streets and public places in townships,

With consent of the House, was withdrawn by Mr. Rue.

Assembly Bill No. 45, entitled

An Act authorizing suits to be brought against the State of New Jersey,

Was taken up on third reading and laid over.

Assembly Bill No. 21, entitled

An Act to provide for the removal of suits at common law to the court of chancery,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Jenkins, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Robbins, Ross, Rue, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff—44.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Boud, Irons, Ludlam—3.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 22, entitled

An Act to secure to workmen and operatives their wages and the payment thereof,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Woodruff, Wortendyke—49.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Larison, Wildrick—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. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 34, entitled

An Act to provide for the taxation of the real estate of railroad corporations in the State of New Jersey,

Assembly Bill No. 174, entitled

An Act to fix the salary of the assistant engrossing clerks of Senate and House of Assembly,

Correctly engrossed.

Mr. Cole moved to take up

Assembly Bill No. 34, entitled

An Act to provide for the taxation of the real estate of railroad corporations in the State of New Jersey,

Which had been laid over and made the special order for the day.

Mr. Clarke demanded a call of the House,

Which was ordered.

On motion of Mr. Cole, rule No. 55 was enforced.

On call of the roll, Mr. Armitage was found to be absent. The Speaker ordered the sergeant-at-arms to produce the absent member.

On motion of Mr. Clarke, the further consideration of the bill was postponed until Mr. Armitage appeared.

Assembly Bill No. No. 92, entitled

An Act concerning bonds and mortgages given for the same indebtedness,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Jernee, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, O'Connor, Rich, Robbins, Ross, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke
—36.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armstrong, Branning, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Coombs, Doremus, Hoffman, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Neighbour, North, Prall, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker)—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.

Assembly Bill No. 80, entitled

An Act to provide for the removal of snow and ice from sidewalks and gutters in incorporated towns and boroughs,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke
—55.

In the negative, was—

Mr. North—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. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 151, entitled

An Act requiring the publication of county receipts and expenditures quarterly,

Assembly Bill No. 173, entitled

An Act relating to the assessment of taxes,

Correctly engrossed.

Mr. Cole arose to a question of privilege, and read an article from the *Philadelphia Press*, and then offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted :

Resolved, That a special committee of three be appointed by the Speaker to investigate the charges made by the *Philadelphia Press*, touching the character and reputation of the members of this House ; that the committee shall have authority to send for papers and persons, and to administer oaths or affirmations to witnesses, and, if necessary, to employ a stenographer.

Mr. Flynn seconded the adoption of the above resolution.

Assembly Bill No. 73, entitled

An Act to define the term "Homœopathic," when applied to physicians,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, Rich, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—51.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 174, entitled

An Act relating to the assessment of taxes,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—50.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 109, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the incorporation of fire companies," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison,

Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Robbins, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—52.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 45, entitled

An Act authorizing suits to be brought against the State of New Jersey,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—50.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Boud, Chatte, Irons, Ludlam—4.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 181, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning corpora-

tions" (Revision), approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Assembly Bill No. 128, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting the office of treasurer," approved March sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

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

Assembly Bill No. 150, entitled

An Act providing for payment of fees for the record and report of jail statistics,

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

Assembly Bill No. 23, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act appointing commissioners for a sinking fund and defining their duties," approved March twenty-fifth, eighteen hundred and sixty-four,

Assembly Bill No. 127, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize cities in this State to issue and dispose of water bonds or water scrip to renew certain water bonds or water scrip," approved January thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Were taken up on second reading, and ordered to lie over.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 87, entitled

An Act for the protection of dairymen and to prevent deception in sales of butter,

Correctly engrossed.

Assembly Bill No. 34, entitled

An Act to provide for the taxation of the real estate of railroad corporations in the State of New Jersey,

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Neighbour moved the bill be committed to the Joint Special Committee on Railroad Taxation.

M. Fish called for the ayes and noes, and the call was sustained.

Upon calling the roll, the motion to commit was agreed to by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Boud, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Harrison, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, Prall Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—34.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Campbell, Carson, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, North, Rue, See, Stafford, Woodruff—24.

On motion of Mr. Harrigan, the House adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At 3 o'clock the House met.

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

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Robins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Fish, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 228, entitled

An Act to regulate fees and expenses of constables in criminal cases,

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

Mr. Chattle, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 229, entitled

An Act to further extend the times before or within the State assessment or other sum required to be paid into the State treasury by virtue of the provisions of the act entitled "An act to

increase the revenues of the State of New Jersey," approved March eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine, or any subsequent act, may be paid, and to remit, release and extinguish any conditions, penalties or forfeitures heretofore provided for, incurred or proclaimed by reason of the non-payment of any assessment or sum aforesaid, required by virtue of the provisions of said act,

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

Mr. Campbell, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 230, entitled

An Act concerning the assessment and collection of taxes in fire districts in the townships of this State,

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

Mr. McLaughlin, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 231, entitled

Supplement to the act to facilitate the collection of certain premiums for the benevolent funds of fire departments of cities, from fire insurance companies not organized under the laws of this State but doing business therein,

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

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

Assembly Bill No. 232, entitled

An Act to allow the use of fishing with purse nets in the waters of Burlington county,

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

Mr. Rich, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 233, entitled

An Act concerning the running of ferry boats,

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, and ordered printed before reference.

Mr. Savage, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 234, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of the State" (Revision), approved April sixteenth, 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 Revision of Laws.

Mr. Savage, Chairman of the Committee on Fisheries, reported

Assembly Bill No. 141, entitled

A Supplement to an act for the preservation of fish,

Assembly Bill No. 143, entitled

A Supplement to an act to regulate fisheries,

Assembly Bill No. 166, entitled

Amendment to "An act for the protection of fish,"

Favorably.

Mr. Kelly, Chairman of the Committee on State Prison, reported

Assembly Bill No. 206, entitled

An Act to defray the expenses of the special committee on contract convict prison labor,

Favorably.

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

Assembly Bill No. 180, entitled

An Act to authorize the payment of the sum of five hundred dollars to the paymaster of the First Regiment Infantry, First Brigade National Guards State of New Jersey, for Company A, of said regiment, its appropriation for the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Favorably.

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

Assembly Bill No. 202, entitled

An Act to repeal section twenty-three of an act entitled "An act concerning mortgages," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Without recommendation.

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

Assembly Bill No. 189, entitled

An Act to amend the fourteenth section of an act entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the organization of the National Guard of the State of New Jersey,' approved March nine, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine," and the various amendments thereto,

Favorably.

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

Assembly Bill No. 179, entitled

A Further Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Adversely.

The adverse report on

Assembly Bill No. 179, entitled

A Further Supplément to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Was not concurred in.

The Speaker announced the following committee to investigate reports in certain papers concerning the conduct of members in relation to certain bills :

Messrs. Rich, Prall and Cole.

Assembly Bill No. 64, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the classification of cities," etc.,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—53.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 61, entitled

An Act to abolish and prohibit the employment under contract of convicts and inmates of prisons, jails, penitentiaries, and all public reformatory institutions in the State of New Jersey,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—49.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Boud, Budd, Jenkins, Ludlam, Scott, Stafford, Weaver—7.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 72, entitled

An Act to regulate the vacation of streets in cities,

Was ordered re-engrossed.

Mr. Armstrong moved the adverse report on

Assembly Bill No. 157, entitled

An Act to provide for the election of chosen freeholders in incorporated boroughs,

Consideration of which had been laid over from Wednesday, be taken up, and not concurred in,

Which was agreed to.

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

Assembly Bill No. 41, entitled

An Act to regulate the holding of, and to prevent frauds in, the primary elections of the several political parties in the State of New Jersey,

Favorably.

Assembly Bill No. 207, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate elections," approved April eighteen, eighteen hundred and seventy-six,

Assembly Bill No. 208, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections," approved April eighteen, eighteen hundred and seventy-six,

Without recommendation.

With consent of the House, Mr. Ross withdrew

Assembly Bill No. 130, entitled

A Supplement to "An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of this State."

Assembly Bill No. 151, entitled

An Act requiring the publication of county receipts and expenditures quarterly,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan,

Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—54.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Dickinson, Harrison, Ludlam—3.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 87, entitled

An Act for the protection of dairymen, and to prevent deception in sales of butter,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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. Cole, the vote by which the enacting clause of Assembly Bill No. 191, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the examination in certain cases of applicants for admission as attorneys to the supreme court of the State,"

Was stricken out, was reconsidered by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Burgess, Cadmus, Campbell, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Jenkins, Keasbey, Mills, Neighbour, North, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, Savage, See, Stafford, Steljes, Weaver, Woodruff—32.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Budd, Byrnes, Caminade, Carson, Chattle, Coombs, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, O'Connor, Robbins, Scott, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—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.

Mr. Ross, Chairman of the Committee on Riparian Rights, reported

Assembly Bill No. 196, entitled

An Act to defray the expenses of a special committee of the House of Assembly to investigate the subject of riparian rights,

Favorably.

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

Assembly Bill No. 200, entitled

An Act concerning cities,

Assembly Bill No. 201, entitled

An Act concerning cities,

Assembly Bill No. 204, entitled

An Act concerning cities,

Assembly Bill No. 209, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to morgues and morgue-keepers," approved March fourth, eighteen hundred and seventy-nine,

Assembly Bill No. 216, entitled

An Act respecting cities in this State, and to provide for a more efficient government therein,

Favorably.

Assembly Bill No. 72, entitled

An Act to regulate the vacation of streets in cities,

With amendments,

Assembly Bill No. 38, entitled

An Act respecting the police and fire departments of cities of the first class, and regulating the terms and tenure of office of officers and men employed in these said departments,

Adversely,

And

Assembly Bill No. 78, entitled

A Further Supplement to "An act for the construction, maintenance and operation of water-works for the purpose of supplying cities, towns and villages of this State with water," approved April twenty-first, eighteen hundred and seventy-six,

Without recommendation.

Mr. Cole moved that the adverse report on

Assembly Bill No. 38, entitled

An Act respecting the police and fire departments of cities of the first class, and regulating the terms and tenure of office of officers and men employed in these said departments,

Be not concurred in.

Mr. McLaughlin called for ayes and noes, and the call was sustained.

The motion not to concur was lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Campbell, Carson, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, North, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Weaver, Woodruff—27.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Boud, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—29.

Mr. McLaughlin moved the adverse report be adopted.

Mr. Cole moved to lay the motion on the table.

The motion to table was lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Campbell, Carson, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lupton, North, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Weaver, Woodruff—25.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Boud, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—30.

The adverse report was then adopted by a viva voce vote.

Assembly Bill No. 51, entitled

A Supplement to "An act to incorporate charitable and benevolent associations," approved March second, eighteen hundred and eighty-three,

Was taken up, and the vote by which the bill was ordered to a third reading was reconsidered.

The bill was read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 123, entitled

An Act regulating the appointment, promotion or transfer of public school teachers in cities of this State,

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Cole, Dickinson, Hoffman, See, Steljes—5.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—51.

The following message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
Mr. Speaker— February 5th, 1884. }

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

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of railroad corporations and to regulate the same" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Bill No. 12, entitled

An Act to extend the time of chartered railroad companies whose time for completing their railroads shall expire in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, when work has been performed on said railroads and money expended thereon,

Senate Bill No. 45, entitled

An Act to change the name of the township of Upper Alloways Creek, in the county of Salem, to the township of Alloway,

Senate Bill No. 28, entitled

A Supplement to 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,"

Senate Bill No. 59, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the more effectual prevention and detection of crime in the township of Hackensack," approved February twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and sixty-nine,

Senate Bill No. 82, entitled

An Act in relation to the expenses of the departments or bureaus of surveys in cities of the second class,

Senate Bill No. 97, entitled

An Act to ratify and confirm an agreement made between the commissioners appointed on the part of the State of New York and the commissioners appointed on the part of the State of New Jersey respecting the location of the northern boundary line between the States of New York and New Jersey and the replacing and erecting of monuments thereon, bearing date the seventh day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Senate Bill No. 102, entitled

An Act to repeal section one of "An act fixing the amount to be expended by boards of education in certain cities of this State for permanent improvements in any one year," approved March fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine,

Senate Joint Resolution No. 3, entitled

Joint Resolution to Congress relative to the establishment of a penal colony,

Senate Joint Resolution No. 4, entitled

Joint Resolution relating to the abolishment of quarantine dues upon certain vessels engaged in the coasting trade,

Senate Bill No. 37, entitled

An Act to facilitate the giving of security on official and other bonds,

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

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The message was taken up, and the Senate bills severally read a first time by their titles, and ordered to have a second reading, and referred to their appropriate committees.

On motion of Mr. Armstrong, the House adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, February 6th, 1884.

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

Prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Freas.

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

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

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

Resolved, That a special committee of three be appointed to take into consideration the question of Women Suffrage, and to report thereon by bill or otherwise, and to whom shall be referred the accompanying petition.

Messrs. Robbins, Chattle and Harrison were appointed a special committee under the above resolution.

The above resolution was accompanied by a petition which was received and placed on the files of the House.

Mr. Budd, Chairman of the Committee on Commerce and Navigation, reported

Assembly Bill No. 225, entitled

An Act in relation to apprentices in the service of the pilots for the ports of Jersey City, Newark and Perth Amboy by way of Sandy Hook,

Favorably.

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

Assembly Bill No. 155, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act respecting the salaries and compensations of clerks of counties in this State," approved March eleventh, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty,

Favorably.

Mr. Chattle, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 235, entitled

An Act providing for the publication of laws in the New Jersey Coast Pilot,

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. Fish, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 236, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and materials in

the erecting any building" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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

Mr. Flynn, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 237, entitled

An Act relating to city and town monuments,

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. Doremus, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 238, entitled

An Act relative to the fees of the assessors and collectors of taxes of this State,

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

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

Assembly Bill No. 116, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of the courts law,"

Adversely,

And

Assembly Bill No. 185, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning evidence" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, relating to the proof of insanity in criminal cases,

Without recommendation.

Mr. Keasbey, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 239, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act respecting the court of chancery" (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. Savage, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 240, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the relief of persons imprisoned on civil process" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

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

Mr. McLaughlin, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 241, entitled

An Act to establish a board of excise commissioners in cities of the first class and to define their duties in regulating the sale of intoxicating beverages,

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

Mr. Prall, Chairman of the Committee on Banks and Insurance, reported

Assembly Bill No. 203, entitled

A Bill to define insurance brokers and their liabilities,

Favorably.

Assembly Bill No. 41, entitled

An Act to regulate the holding of, and to prevent frauds in, the primary elections of the several political parties in the State of New Jersey,

Was taken up on second reading.

Mr. Lehlbach moved to strike out enacting clause,

Which motion was lost.

The bill was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, ordered to be engrossed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 12, entitled

An Act in relation to the receivers of insolvent corporations,

Assembly Bill No. 72, entitled

An Act to regulate the vacation of streets in cities,

Assembly Bill No. 110, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act to revise and amend the charter of the city of Elizabeth,' approved March three, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three," which supplement was approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy,

Assembly Bill No. 181, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning corporations" (Revision), approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Assembly Bill No. 153, entitled

An Act to secure to creditors an equal distribution of the assets of insolvent corporations,

Assembly Bill No. 4, entitled

An Act for the protection of life and property in counties of the first class in this State from the explosion of steam boilers,

Assembly Bill No. 128, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting the office of treasurer," approved March sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Assembly Bill No. 150, entitled

An Act providing for payment of fees for the record and report of jail statistics,

Correctly engrossed.

Assembly Bill No. 177, entitled

An Act to authorize the lighting of public roads and streets in townships,

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

Assembly Bill No. 117, entitled

An Act in relation to the retaking of personal property sold on installments,

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

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

Resolved, That the Committee on Incidental Expenses have power to employ a clerk at an expense not to exceed sixty dollars for the session.

Mr. McLaughlin, on leave, withdrew

Assembly Bill No. 167, entitled

An Act concerning the safe custody of moneys belonging to the relief fund of any paid fire department of any city of the first class.

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

Resolved, That the Clerk of this House be empowered to appoint an Assistant Journal Clerk, at a salary of \$300.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 152, entitled

An Act for the better protection of the health, comfort and safety of persons employed in shops and factories,

Correctly engrossed.

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

Senate Bill No. 64, entitled

An Act concerning a division of wards in cities of the third class in this State,

Favorably.

Assembly Bill No. 129, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act to increase the powers of township committees," approved March eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty,

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

Assembly Bill No. 96, entitled

An Act relating to taxes and assessments and to sales of land for unpaid taxes or assessments,

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

Assembly Bill No. 94, entitled

An Act to repeal a certain supplement to "An act respecting the orphans' court," etc.,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke
—42.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Rich, See—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. Caminade moved the Committee on Normal School visit the school as representatives of the Legislature,

Which was agreed to, and the following committee appointed:

Messrs. Caminade, Larison, Weaver, Irons and Lupton.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 6, entitled

Joint Resolution proposing amendments to constitution to provide for biennial sessions of the Legislature,

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

Assembly Bill No. 191, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the examination in certain cases of applicants for admission as attorneys to the supreme court of the State,"

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

Assembly Bill No. 153, entitled

An Act to secure to creditors an equal distribution of the assets of insolvent corporations,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Jernee, Lake, Lehlbach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wil-drick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—46.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Keasbey, Mills, Neighbour—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. Armitage, the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 153, entitled

An Act to secure to creditors an equal distribution of the assets of insolvent corporations,

Was passed, was reconsidered by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Lake, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—44.

In the negative—none.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 139, entitled

An Act amending an act to authorize the construction of school-houses in cities of the first class of this State, approved February thirteen, eighteen hundred and eighty-three,

Correctly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. Prall,

Assembly Bill No. 153, entitled

An Act to secure to creditors an equal distribution of the assets of insolvent corporations,

Was recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion of Mr. Clarke, the House adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At 3 o'clock P. M. the House met.

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

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

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

Resolved, That the document clerk be directed to pack such documents as each member is entitled to receive, and have same shipped to such points as the members may direct.

Mr. Budd, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 242, entitled

An Act entitled "An act to organize and establish a State Board of Agriculture,"

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, and to be printed before reported.

Mr. Savage, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 243, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning clerks of counties in this State" (Revision), approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

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

Mr. Haines, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 244, entitled

An Act empowering fish wardens to enforce game laws,

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

Mr. Haines, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 245, entitled

Supplement to "An act for the preservation of sheep,"

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

Assembly Bill No. 12, entitled

An Act in relation to the receivers of insolvent corporations,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke
—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. Rich, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No. 231, entitled

Supplement to the act to facilitate the collection of certain premiums for the benevolent funds of fire departments of cities, from fire insurance companies not organized under the laws of this State but doing business therein,

Favorably.

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

Assembly Bill No. 163, entitled

Supplement to an act to establish a system of public instruction,

Favorably.

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

Assembly Bill No. 175, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "A further supplement to an act concerning corporations,"

Assembly Bill No. 10, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crime," approved March twenty-seventh, A. D. eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

With amendments.

Assembly Bill No. 173, entitled

An Act to fix the salaries of the assistant engrossing clerks of the Senate and House of Assembly,

Was taken up on third reading, and the vote by which it was ordered to have a third reading, reconsidered.

The bill was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 150, entitled

An Act providing for payment of fees for the record and report of jail statistics,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—46.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Boud, Branning, Budd, Cole, Coombs, Irons, Ludlam, Scott, Stafford—9.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate, and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

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

Assembly Bill No. 124, entitled

An Act to provide for a board of assessors of taxes and for a board of commissioners of appeal in case of taxation in cities of the first class,

With amendments.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
Feb. 6th, 1884. }

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. 69, entitled

An Act concerning township ordinances,

Senate Bill No. 72, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning corporations," approved April seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-five,

Senate Bill No. 75, entitled

An Act concerning the payment of taxes in cities of this State,

Senate Bill No. 78, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning juries," approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Bill No. 80, entitled

An Act in relation to lay judges in the orphans' common pleas, quarter sessions and special sessions courts in this State,

Senate Bill No. 81, entitled

An Act in relation to the codification and revision of the ordinances of cities of the second class,

Senate Bill No. 87, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to sales of land under a public statute or by virtue of any judicial proceedings" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1, entitled

Concurrent Resolution proposing amendments to the constitution,

Senate Bill No. 92, entitled

A Further Supplement to the act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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

W. A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The message was taken up, and the Senate bills severally read a first time by their titles, and ordered to have a second reading, and referred to their appropriate committees.

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

Resolved, That the Comptroller of the State of New Jersey furnish to the House of Assembly as soon as possible a statement of all the railroad corporations of the State of New Jersey, or doing business in the State of New Jersey, or doing business in this State owned, leased or contracted by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, and also a memorandum of the statutes under and by which they are taxed ; and that the said Comptroller do also furnish a statement of the railroad corporations in this State owned, leased or controlled by the United Companies, to wit : The Delaware and Raritan Canal Company, The Camden and Amboy Railroad and Transportation Company, and the New Jersey Railroad and Transportation Company, in the year eighteen hundred and sixty-nine.

Mr. Keasbey, member of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported a minority report on

Assembly Bill No. 124, entitled

An Act to provide for a board of assessors of taxes and for a board of commissioners of appeal in case of taxation in cities of the first class,

In favor of the bill as originally introduced and against the amendments.

Mr. Cole moved the minority report be adopted as a substitute for the majority report.

Mr. McLaughlin called for the ayes and noes.

The call was sustained.

The motion to substitute was lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Campbell, Carson, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lupton, Rue, See, Stafford, Weaver, Woodruff—23.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—35.

Mr. McLaughlin moved the majority report be adopted.

Mr. Cole demanded the ayes and noes,

Which were ordered.

The majority report was then adopted by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larrison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbor, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—33.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Campbell, Carson, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lupton, North, Rue, See, Stafford, Weaver, Woodruff—25.

Assembly Bill No. 113, entitled

An Act to extend the time for the completion of railroads whose charters shall expire by limitation during the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, where work has been performed on said railroad or money expended thereon,

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

With the consent of the House, Mr. Fish withdrew

Assembly Bill No. 93, entitled

An Act concerning the action of trover,

And

Mr. Carson withdrew

Assembly Bill No. 178, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate Brainard Institute."

Assembly Bill No. 81, entitled

An Act to provide for the election of road overseers in their respective districts,

Was taken up on second reading.

Mr. Keasbey offered the following amendment which was lost:

Amend section 5 by striking out the words "and that this act shall take effect immediately."

Mr. Alcott offered the following amendment which was lost.

Strike out section "3" and insert the following:

Sec. 5. *And be it enacted*, That the said overseers shall perform all the duties required of them under the general statute; they shall also enter into bonds with their townships, in such sums as said township committee shall direct, not less than amount appropriated for highway purposes, conditioned for the faithful performance of all the duties of said office of overseers of highways of said township according to law; and all bills of said overseers, duly verified before a justice of the peace, for any person authorized to administer an oath, shall be presented to the town committee for examination and allowance.

Mr. Doremus offered the following amendment:

Section 3, line 4, after "justice of peace" insert "a clerk of township,"

Which was lost.

Mr. Armstrong moved to recommit the bill,

Which was lost.

On motion of Mr. Keasbey, the bill was laid over.

Assembly Bill No. 118, entitled

Supplement to "An act to further regulate the licensing of inns," &c.,

Was taken up on second reading.

Mr. Armstrong moved to strike out enacting clause, and called for ayes and noes.

The motion was not agreed to by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, North, Rue, Savage, Scott, Woodruff, Wortendyke—26.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Branning, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Clarke, Dickinson, Flynn, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, McLaughlin, Mills, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick—26.

The bill was then laid over temporarily.

' Assembly Bill No. 181, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning corporations" (Revision), approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, North, Prall, Rich, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—40.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Ludlam—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 118, entitled

Supplement to "An act to further regulate the licensing of inns," &c.,

Was taken up on second reading.

Mr. Armstrong offered the following amendment :

Strike out words "second and," section 1, seventh line.

The above amendment was lost, by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Flynn, Haines, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, North, Scott, Stafford, Woodruff, Wortendyke—22.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Branning, Chapman, Clarke, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, See, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick—25.

Mr. Lehlbach offered the following amendment, which was lost :

Amend by inserting the word "first" before the word "second," in 7th line of section 1st.

Amendment by Mr. Larison :

Strike out the words, "and third class," in line 7, section first.

The bill was then laid over until Monday night.

Assembly Bill No. 120, entitled

A Further Supplement respecting railroads and canals,

And

Assembly Bill No. 186, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act to secure to creditors an equal and just division of the estates of debtors who convey to assignees for the benefit of creditors" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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

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

Assembly Bill No. 246, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning roads" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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

Assembly Bill No. 10, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crime," approved March twenty-seventh, A. D. eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Was taken up on second reading.

Mr. O'Connor moved to strike out the enacting clause,

Which was not agreed to, by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Flynn, O'Connor—2.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Byrnes, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Lehl-

bach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, North, Prall, Rich, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—42.

On motion of Mr. Flynn, the bill was laid over until Tuesday morning.

Mr. O'Connor, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 247, 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 Revision of Laws.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 5,

For the passage in Congress of a national marriage and divorce law,

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

On motion of Mr. Lehlbach, the House adjourned.

THURSDAY, February 7th, 1884.

At 10 o'clock the House met.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Harpster.

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

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Owing to a mistake in the announcement of the vote, Mr. Flynn moved that all records of the final passage of

Assembly Bill No. 128, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting the office of treasurer," approved March sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Be expunged from the minutes,

Which was agreed to.

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

WHEREAS, The constitution of this State declares in unequivocal language that all property shall be valued at its true value, and assessed under general laws and by uniform rules; *and whereas*, this constitutional duty is the most important the legislature can prepare;

Resolved, The Committee on Judiciary be directed to prepare and report to the House a bill which will carry into effect the provisions of the constitution.

Mr. Cole moved that all bills held in the committee more than ten days be reported at once,

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Cole then requested that the following list of bills be reported :

Assembly Bill No. 17, entitled

An Act concerning railroad passage tickets,

Assembly Bill No. 30, entitled

An Act to repeal the second section of an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the Newark Plank Road and Ferry Company,' approved February twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine," which amendatory act was approved February twenty-third, eighteen hundred and seventy,

Assembly Bill No. 32, entitled

An Act to limit and regulate ferriage for trucks, wagons, coaches and other vehicles,

Assembly Bill No. 36, entitled

An Act to regulate the rate of fare on railroads of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 37, entitled

An Act limiting the powers of corporations,

Assembly Bill No. 89, entitled

An Act regulating the fares collected by railroad companies,

Assembly Bill No. 95, entitled

An Act in relation to plank roads, turnpikes or toll roads,

Assembly Bill No. 98, entitled

An Act to prevent the laying of pipes for carrying oil, called pipe lines, across the fresh water streams of the State, and to cause the removal of those already laid,

Assembly Bill No. 101, entitled

An Act to repeal the proviso in section one of an act entitled "An act providing for State taxes on railroads and the more efficient collection thereof,"

Assembly Bill No. 102, entitled

An Act to abolish a just rule for the assessment and taxation of real property, hereafter acquired by railroad corporations, for county and municipal purposes,

Assembly Bill No. 111, entitled

An Act to regulate fares on horse cars in cities of the second class.

The Special Committee on Woman's Suffrage reported that, according to respect and courtesy to the sex, we propose to here advocate in their behalf, on Wednesday night, the 16th inst., at 8 o'clock, in the Assembly Chamber.

On motion of Mr. Keasbey, Wednesday was substituted for Tuesday.

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

Assembly Bill No. 222, entitled

An Act concerning persons carrying concealed weapons,

Assembly Bill No. 197, entitled

An Act exempting from taxation persons who served in the military or naval forces of the United States during the late war,

Assembly Bill No. 43, entitled

A Supplement to "An act respecting the orphans' court, and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the orphans' court and surrogates" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 235, entitled

An Act providing for the publication of laws in the New Jersey-Coast Pilot,

Assembly Bill No. 148, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act to regulate the practice of courts of law,

Adversely.

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

Assembly Bill No. 229, entitled

An Act to further extend the times before or within the State assessment or other sum required to be paid into the State treasury by virtue of the provisions of the act entitled "An act to increase the revenues of the State of New Jersey," approved March eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine, or any subsequent act, may be paid, and to remit, release and extinguish any conditions, penalties or forfeitures heretofore provided for, incurred or proclaimed by reason of the non-payment of any assessment or sum aforesaid, required by virtue of the provisions of said act,

Assembly Bill No. 224, entitled

Supplement to the act constituting courts for the trial of small causes,

Assembly Bill No. 160, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning wards" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 215, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning disorderly persons," approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Assembly Bill No. 7, entitled

A Supplement to "An act for the relief of persons imprisoned on civil process" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 204, entitled

An Act concerning cities,

Favorably.

The adverse report on

Assembly Bill No. 197, entitled

An Act exempting from taxation persons who served in the military or naval forces of the United States during the late war,

Assembly Bill No. 43, entitled

A Supplement to "An act respecting the orphans' court, and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary, and the orphans' court and surrogates" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 222, entitled

An Act concerning persons carrying concealed weapons,

Was not concurred in.

Mr. Rich, of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Senate Bill No. 38, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of courts of law" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

With amendments.

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

Senate Bill No. 30, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of courts of law," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 92, entitled

An Act concerning bonds and mortgages given for the same indebtedness,

Assembly Bill No. 87, entitled

An Act for the protection of dairymen and to prevent deception in sales of butter,

Senate Bill No. 59, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the more effectual prevention and detection of crime in the township of Hackensack," approved February twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and sixty-nine,

Favorably.

Mr. Wildrick, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No. 30, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of courts of law," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Favorably.

Mr. Armitage, of the Committee on Elections, reported

Assembly Bill No. 108, entitled

An Act to repeal a supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections."

Mr. Budd, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 248, entitled

Supplement to the "Supplement to 'An act to establish an Agricultural Experiment Station,'"

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. Alcott, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 249, entitled

. An Act concerning overseers of the highways,

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

Mr. See, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 250, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act for rendering the proceedings upon information in the nature of a quo warranto more speedy and effectual," passed March seventeen, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five,

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

Senate Bill No. 35, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections," approved April eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Assembly Bill No. 7, entitled

A Supplement to "An act for the relief of persons imprisoned on civil process" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

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

Assembly Bill No. 113, entitled

An Act to extend the time for the completion of railroads whose charters shall expire by limitation during the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, where work has been performed on said railroad or money expended thereon,

Was taken up on its third reading.

The vote by which the bill was ordered to a third reading was reconsidered, and the bill put on second reading.

The bill was then ordered to be engrossed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 48, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April first, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Burgess, Cadmus, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Cole, Fish, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Jernee, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Mills, North, Rich, Robbins, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff—32.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Budd, Byrnes, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Haines, Harrison, Hough, Irons, Kelly, Lupton, O'Connor, Rich, Ross, Rue—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.

Assembly Bill No. 4, entitled

An Act for the protection of life and property in counties of the first-class in this State from the explosion of steam boilers,

Was taken up on its third reading, and laid over until Wednesday morning.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
February 7th, 1884. }

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. 73, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

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

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The message was taken up, and the Senate bill read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to its appropriate committee.

Assembly Bill No. 139, entitled

An Act amending "An act to authorize the construction of school-houses in cities of the first class of this State," approved February thirteen, eighteen hundred and eighty-three,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, North, O'Connor, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—44.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 191, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the examination in certain cases of applicants for admission as attorneys to the supreme court of the State,"

Assembly Bill No. 96, entitled

An Act relating to taxes and assessments and to sales of land for unpaid taxes or assessments,

Assembly Bill No. 156, entitled

An Act authorizing persons having liens for work, labor or materials employed in the repair or construction of any estate to enforce such lien.

Assembly Bill No. 120, entitled

A Further Supplement respecting railroads and canals,

Correctly engrossed.

Senate Bill No. 64, entitled

An Act concerning a division of wards in cities of the third class in this State,

Was taken up, read a second time, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Mills, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 251, entitled

An Act to fix the salaries of the bill clerks of the Senate and General Assembly,

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

Assembly Bill No. 96, entitled

An Act relating to taxes and assessments, and to sales of land for unpaid taxes or assessments,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrison, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, North, O'Connor, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—46.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Boud, Byrnes, Hough, Woodruff—5.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 156, entitled

An Act authorizing persons having liens for work, labor or materials employed in the repair or construction of any estate to enforce such lien,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons,

Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, North, O'Connor, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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. Wildrick, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported, under the rules of the House,

Assembly Bill No. 37, entitled

An Act limiting the powers of corporations,

Assembly Bill No. 95, entitled

An Act in relation to plank roads, turnpikes or toll roads,

Assembly Bill No. 98, entitled

An Act to prevent the laying of pipes for carrying oil, called pipe lines, across the fresh water streams of the State, and to cause the removal of those already laid.

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

Resolved, That Rule 55 be hereafter strictly enforced, and that the Speaker be requested to issue no passes to this floor unless the recipient shall pledge himself not to seek to influence members on bills pending here.

Assembly Bill No. 197, entitled

An Act exempting from taxation persons who served in the military or naval forces of the United States during the late war,

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

The Speaker made the following announcement:

The special committee for the adjustment of past due taxes will meet in this room on Tuesday afternoon, February 12th, at 5 o'clock, immediately after the adjournment. All persons interested will please present themselves before the committee at that time.

Mr. Cole offered the following resolution, which was read, and, on motion of Mr. Keasbey, laid on the table:

Resolved, That the Clerk of the House be directed to advertise the meeting of this committee in all cities of the first class of this State.

Assembly Bill No. 89, entitled

An Act regulating the fares collected by railroad companies,

Was taken up on second reading.

Mr. Flynn offered the following amendment, which was lost:

Amend section 1, line 4, by striking out the word "ten," and inserting instead, the word "twenty."

Mr. Flynn moved to reconsider the vote by which the amendment was lost,

Which was not agreed to.

The bill was then ordered to be engrossed, 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,	
<i>Mr. Speaker—</i>	February 7th, 1884.	

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

Assembly Bill No. 70, entitled

An Act to authorize the burial of the bodies of any honorably discharged soldier, sailor or marine, who shall hereafter die without leaving means sufficient to defray funeral expenses,

With amendments,

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

WILLIAM A. STILES,

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,

Mr. Speaker—

}
1884. }

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

Assembly Bill No. 174, entitled

An Act to fix the salaries of the assistant engrossing clerks of the Senate and House of Assembly,

Assembly Bill No. 67, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act authorizing the establishment of hospitals in the cities of the State," approved February twenty-third, eighteen hundred and eighty-three,

Assembly Bill No. 28, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act relating to turnpike companies," approved February twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

Assembly Bill No. 84, entitled

An Act concerning cities,

Severally without amendment.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate

Said bills having passed both Houses, were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills, with the following certificate endorsed thereon :

"I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

HENRY D. WINTON,

Clerk."

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
February 7th, 1884. }

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. 74, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Bill No. 67, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of railroad corporations and regulate the same," approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three,

Senate Bill No. 76, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act relating to sales of lands under a public statute, or by virtue of any judicial proceedings" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Bill No. 103, entitled

An Act to provide for drainage and sewerage in densely populated townships, in which there is a public water supply,

Senate Bill No. 105, entitled

An Act amending "An act to provide for the purchase, construction and maintenance of public parks by the cities and other municipalities in this State," approved March fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

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

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The message was taken up, and the Senate bills severally read a first time by their titles, and ordered to have a second reading, and referred to their appropriate committees, and the amendments to the Assembly Bills adopted, and the bills referred to the Committee on Passed Bills.

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

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

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

Assembly Bill No. 245, entitled

Supplement to "An act for the preservation of sheep,"

Favorably.

Assembly Bill No. 125, entitled

An Act concerning certain administrative departments of government of cities of the second class,

Was taken from the committee, and, on motion of Mr. Carson, placed on the calender.

Mr. Rich reported all bills in his hands, and asked that they be recommitted, and that he have further time to consider them.

Mr. Prall, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 252, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to the publication of the laws in the newspapers," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,"

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

Assembly Bill No. 162, entitled

An Act relating to the depth and construction of foundation walls of buildings, and the responsibilities of adjoining property owners to each other in cities and towns,

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

Assembly Bill No. 128, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting the office of treasurer," approved March sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, North, Rich, Rue, Stafford, Steljes, Weaver, Woodruff—29.

In the negative—were.

Messrs. Boud, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chattle, Clarke, Doremus, Flynn, Holzwarth, Hough, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, O'Connor, Prall, Robbins, Scott, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—24.

Mr. Flynn moved to reconsider the vote by which the same was lost,

Which motion was lost by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Campbell, Carson, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, North, Rich, Rue, See, Stafford, Steljes, Weaver, Woodruff—29.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Boud, Branning, Bodd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chattle, Clarke, Doremus, Flynn, Harrison, Hough, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, O'Connor, Prall, Robbins, Ross, Scott, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—25.

Mr. Prall, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 253, entitled

An Act providing for State and municipal taxes on certain corporations, and the collection thereof,

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, when appointed.

Mr. Armstrong offered the following amendment to the rules, which was ordered to lay over one day.

Add to rule 56,

“Provided the same is requested by the introducer.”

Assembly Bill No. 51, entitled

A Supplement to “An act to incorporate charitable and benevolent associations,” approved March second, eighteen hundred and eighty-three,

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Cole moved to strike out the enacting clause.

Pending the consideration, the House adjourned, on motion of Mr. Armstrong.

FRIDAY, February 8th, 1884.

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

Upon calling of the roll, the following gentleman answered to his name:

Mr. Caminade.

Mr. Caminade, 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 EVENING, February 11th, 1884.

At 8 o'clock the House met.

Prayer was offered by Rev. J. Y. Dobbins.

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

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Ross presented a petition, praying for passage of

Assembly Bill No. 160, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning wards" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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

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

Assembly Bill No. 199, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act incorporating the inhabitants of townships, designating their powers and regulating their meetings,"

Assembly Bill No. 194, entitled

An Act concerning fire departments in the townships of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 184, entitled

An Act to authorize the boards of councilmen of incorporated towns in this State to license, regulate and prohibit the sale of malt, spirituous, vinous and other liquors,

Assembly Bill No. 138, entitled

An Act concerning incorporated towns and certain officers thereof,

Assembly Bill No. 237, entitled

An Act relating to city and town monuments,

Assembly Bill No. 97, entitled

An Act violating declarations of sale for unpaid taxes or assessments heretofore made by any city, town or township in this State,

Assembly Bill No. 130, entitled

A Supplement to "An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of this State,"

Assembly Bill No. 1, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate and regulate telegraph companies" (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Assembly Bill No. 217, entitled

An Act in relation to the volunteer fire department in any city of this State,

Favorably.

Assembly Bill No. 40, entitled

An Act prohibiting the making of any bonds or other evidences of indebtedness, by any county, city, borough, town, township, or other municipal corporation in this State, or by any board, body, or committee of any such county, city, borough, town, township, or other municipal corporation,

Adversely.

The adverse report on

Assembly Bill No. 40, entitled

An Act prohibiting the making of any bonds or other evidences of indebtedness, by any county, city, borough, town, township, or other municipal corporation in this State, or by any board, body or committee of any such county, city, borough, town, township, or other municipal corporation,

Was sustained.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 186, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act to secure to creditors an equal and just division of the estates of debtors who convey to assignees for the benefit of creditors" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 162, entitled

An Act relating to the depth and construction of foundation walls of buildings and the responsibilities of adjoining property owners to each other in cities and towns,

Assembly Bill No. 172, entitled

An Act to authorize the establishment of free public libraries in the cities of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 129, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act to increase the powers of township committees," approved March eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty,

Assembly Bill No. 41, entitled

An Act to regulate the holding of, and to prevent frauds, in the primary elections of the several political parties in the State of New Jersey,

Assembly Bill No. 15, entitled

An Act to provide for the election of delegates to a conven-

tion to prepare a constitution for the government of this State, and for submitting the same to the people thereof for ratification or rejection,

Correctly engrossed.

Mr. Jernee, Chairman of the Committee on Unfinished Business, reported

Assembly Bill No. 251, entitled

An Act to fix the salaries of the bill clerks of the Senate and General Assembly,

Favorably.

On motion of Mr. Prall, the Committee on Banks and Insurance was granted further time to report on

Assembly Bill No. 13, entitled

An Act for the better security of depositors and creditors in certain banks in this State,

Assembly Bill No. 49, entitled

An Act in relation to savings institutions and incorporated companies making annual reports.

Mr. O'Connor, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 254, entitled

An Act to provide for granting or disposing of lands under water in this State,

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

Mr. Harrigan, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 255, entitled

An Act to prevent willful trespasses,

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

Mr. Harrison, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 256, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act incorporating the inhabitants of townships, designating their powers and regulating their meetings,"

Assembly Bill No. 257, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to increase the powers of township committees," approved March eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty,

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

Mr. Harrison, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 258, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act for the construction, maintenance and operation of water works for the purpose of supplying cities, towns and villages of this State with water," which act was approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

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

Mr. Bell, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 259, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act for the organization of the National Guard of the State of New Jersey," approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine,

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

Mr. Bell, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 260, entitled

An Act in regard to the numbering of houses 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. Harrigan, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 261, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 262, entitled

An Act relative to the jurisdiction and practice of district courts established in this State 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 Judiciary.

Mr. Flynn, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 263, entitled

An Act to prevent the pollution 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 Corporations.

Mr. Steljes, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 264, entitled

An Act concerning the publication of financial statements 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 Public Printing.

Mr. Dickinson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 265, entitled

An Act to provide for the further relief of poor in cities of the first class,

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

Mr. Prall, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 266, entitled

An Act to increase the jurisdiction of justices of the peace,

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

Mr. Alcott, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 267, entitled

An Act for the support of fire organizations,

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

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

Assembly Bill No. 268, entitled

A Supplement to "An act concerning roads,"

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

Mr. McLaughlin, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 269, entitled

An Act concerning cities of the first class,

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

Mr. McLaughlin, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 270, entitled

A Further 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 Revision of Laws.

Mr. Woodruff, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 271, entitled

An Act to prevent cattle pasturing or running at large on the streets or highways in the townships,

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. Branning

Assembly Bill No. 165, entitled

An Act requiring the sheriffs' sales to be advertised in newspapers of different political faith,

Was withdrawn.

Mr. Keasbey presented memorials protesting against the passage of

Assembly Bill No. 223, entitled

An Act to annex to the township of Springfield, in the county of Union, a portion of the township of Milburn, in the county of Essex.

On motion of Mr. Ross

Assembly Bill No. 118, entitled

Supplement to "An act to further regulate the licensing of inns, &c.,

Was laid over for one week.

Assembly Bill No. 191, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the examination in certain cases of applicants for admission as attorneys to the supreme court of the State,"

Was taken up on third reading, and laid over until Tuesday next.

Assembly Bill No. 51, entitled

A Supplement to "An act to incorporate charitable and benevolent associations," approved March second, eighteen hundred and eighty-three,

Was taken up on third reading, and, on motion of Mr. Burgess, recommitted.

Assembly Bill No. 41, entitled

An Act to regulate the holding of, and to prevent frauds, in the primary elections of the several political parties in the State of New Jersey,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, Prall, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff—49.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Harrison, Lake, Lehlbach, Rich—4.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 15, entitled

An Act to provide for the election of delegates to a convention to prepare a constitution for the government of this State, and for submitting the same to the people thereof for ratification or rejection,

On motion of Mr. Rich, was recommitted to the Committee on Engrossed Bills.

Assembly Bill No. 186, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act to secure to creditors an equal and just division of the estates of debtors who convey to assignees for the benefit of creditors" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff—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.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 70, entitled

An Act to authorize the burial of the bodies of any honorably discharged soldier, sailor or marine, who shall hereafter die without leaving means sufficient to defray funeral expenses,

Were read and adopted by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff—56.

In the negative—none.

The bill was then ordered to be engrossed, with the amendments embodied therein.

Mr. Rich, with the consent of the House, withdrew

Assembly Bill No. 233, entitled

An Act concerning the running of ferry boats.

Assembly Bill No. 129, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act to increase the powers of township committees," approved March eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty,

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Branning, Dickinson, Doremus, Jenkins, Jernee, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, Rich, Rue, Savage, See, Stafford, Steljes, Woodruff
—18.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Cam-
inade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Cole,
Coombs, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman,
Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Keasbey, Kelly, Lehlbach,
Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Con-
nor, Prall, Robbins, Ross, Scott, Weaver, Wildrick
—36.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed
Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 197, entitled

An Act exempting from taxation persons who served in the
military or naval forces of the United States during the late
war,

Assembly Bill No. 7, entitled

A Supplement to "An act for the relief of persons imprisoned
on civil process" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh,
eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 35, entitled

An Act to further regulate licenses and the sale of liquors,

Assembly Bill No. 173, entitled

An Act relating to the assessment of taxes,

Assembly Bill No. 15, entitled

An Act to provide for the election of delegates to a convention
to prepare a constitution for the government of this State, and
for submitting the same to the people thereof for ratification or
rejection,

Assembly Bill No. 89, entitled

An Act regulating the fares collected by railroad companies,
Correctly engrossed.

Assembly Bill No. 2, entitled

An Act relative to actions for injuries,

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Keasbey moved to reconsider the vote by which the same was ordered to a third reading.

Which was agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Clarke, the bill was laid over.

Assembly Bill No. 162, entitled

An Act relating to the depth and construction of foundation walls of buildings and the responsibilities of adjoining property owners to each other in cities and towns,

Was taken up on its third reading, and, on motion of Mr. Lehlbach, laid over temporarily.

Assembly Bill No. 89, entitled

An Act regulating the fares collected by railroad companies,

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Harrison, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, O'Connor, Rich, See, Steljes—24.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armstrong, Boud, Branning, Budd, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Coombs, Doremus, Haines, Hoffman, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey,

Larison, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, Prall, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff—34.

Mr. Keasbey moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was lost.

Mr. Cole moved to lay the motion on the table,

Which was agreed to by a viva voce vote.

Assembly Bill No. 7, entitled

A Supplement to "An act for the relief of persons imprisoned on civil process" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff—50.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Campbell, Coombs, Lupton—3.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 35, entitled

An Act to further regulate licenses and the sale of liquors,

Was taken up on third reading, and recommitted, on motion of Mr. Fish.

Assembly Bill No. 72, entitled

An Act to regulate the vacation of streets in cities,

Was recommitted, on motion of Mr. Chapman.

Mr. Bell, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 272, entitled

An Act to authorize the appointment of fire wardens,

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

Assembly Bill No. 173, entitled

An Act to fix the salaries of the assistant engrossing clerks of Senate and House of Assembly,

Was taken up on third reading, and recommitted, on motion of Mr. Prall.

Mr. Jernée, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 273, entitled

An Act concerning certain administrative departments of government of cities of the second class,

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

On motion of Mr. Chapman,

Assembly Bill No. 193, entitled

An Act in relation to common carriers,

Was placed on the calendar.

Mr. Burgess, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 274, entitled

An Act in relation to the duties, rights and privileges of real estate agents in this State, and imposing a tax upon them for the privilege of conducting and carrying on such business in this State,

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

Assembly Bill No. 197, entitled

An Act exempting from taxation persons who served in the military or naval forces of the United States during the late war,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Robbins, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff—50.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Jenkins, Larison, Ludlam, Rich—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. Prall

Assembly Bill No. 172, entitled

An Act to authorize the establishment of free public libraries in the cities of this State,

Was recommitted.

Assembly Bill No. 171, entitled

A Supplement to "An act in relation to the powers of commissioners appointed to purchase toll roads in this State," passed April nineteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Was placed on the calendar under the ten days' rule.

Assembly Bill No. 30, entitled

An Act to repeal the second section of an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the Newark Plank Road and Ferry Company,' approved February twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine," which amendatory act was approved February twenty-third, eighteen hundred and seventy,

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

And, on motion of Mr. Armitage, made the special order for Thursday morning.

On motion of Mr. McLaughlin,

Assembly Bill No. 216, entitled

An Act respecting cities in this State and to provide for a more efficient government therein,

Was made a special order for Wednesday afternoon.

Senate Bill No. 8, entitled

An Act relating to the payment of money to executors, administrators or trustees, under a trust or power, and discharge on the payment thereof,

Was read a second time, and ordered to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 36, entitled

An Act to regulate the rate of fare on railroads of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 86, entitled

An Act to authorize the payment of five hundred dollars to the paymaster of the Second Battalion, First Brigade, N. G., N. J.,

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

Senate Bill No. 14, entitled

A Supplement to an act relative to the publication of the laws of this State in the newspapers, approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Was taken up on second reading, and ordered to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 200, entitled

An Act concerning cities,

Was taken up on its second reading, amended, and laid over until Wednesday morning.

The following communication was received from the Attorney General, and 300 copies ordered printed :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY, }
OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY-GENERAL, }

Hon. A. B. Stoney, Speaker of the House :

MR. SPEAKER—In further reply to the "Resolution of the House," of January thirtieth ult., requesting me to furnish an opinion as to the power of the Legislature of 1864, to extend the State's right of taking The New Jersey Railroad and Transportation Co., and as to what effect said act has upon the rights of the State, I have the honor to say, I am of the opinion that the Legislature, in the absence of constitutional prohibition, had the power to pass the said act, and that if, as a fact, the said

company has accepted and acted under the act of 1864, the effect is that the right of the State to take the said railroad will accrue in 1889.

I am further asked whether the Legislature of 1884 has a right, under the constitution of this State, to repeal the act of 1864? To which I reply that the statute of our State, which declares that all charters of corporations granted after its passage may be altered, amended or repealed by the Legislature, has received judicial interpretation by the Supreme Court of the United States.

In the case of the State of New Jersey *v. Yard*, 5 Otto, p. 104, the court held that the act in question does not necessarily apply to supplements to an existing charter which were enacted subsequently to the statute.

Mr. Justice Miller said, in commenting upon the act of 1846, "The case before us differs from those in which, by the constitution of some of the States, this right to alter, amend and repeal all laws creating corporate privileges becomes an inalienable legislative power. The power thus conferred cannot be limited or bargained away by any act of the Legislature, because the power itself is beyond legislative control.

"The right asserted in this case, to amend or repeal legislative grants to corporations, being itself but the expression of the will or purpose of the Legislature for one particular session or term of the State of New Jersey, cannot bind any succeeding Legislature which may choose to make a grant or a contract not subject to be altered or repealed; or, if any succeeding Legislature to that of 1846, which enacted 'that the charter of every corporation which shall hereafter be granted by the Legislature shall be subject to alteration, suspension and repeal, in the discretion of the Legislature,' shall grant a charter or amend a charter, declaring in the act that it shall not be subject to alteration and repeal, the former act is of no force in that case. So it can, by a general law, repeal this general reservation of the right to repeal, and all special reservations in separate charters. It follows that, unlike the constitutional provisions in other States, it is, in New Jersey, a question, in every case of a contract made by the Legislature, whether that body intended that the right to change or repeal it should inhere in it, or whether, like other contracts, it was perfect, and not within the power of the Legislature to impair its obligation."

The result of the application of this judicial construction of

the act of 1846, is that if, as a fact, the New Jersey Railroad and Transportation Co. have accepted and acted under the act of 1864, so that it has become a part of their contract with the State, it is beyond the power of the Legislature of 1884 to alter or repeal it without the consent of the said company.

Very truly yours,

JOHN P. STOCKTON,

Attorney-General.

On motion of Mr. Armstrong, the House adjourned.

TUESDAY, February 12, 1884.

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

Prayer was offered by the Rev. Dr. Richardson.

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

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Savage, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads and Canals, reported

Senate Bill No. 11, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of railroad corporations and to regulate the same" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Favorably.

Mr. Budd, Chairman of the Committee on Commerce and Navigation, reported

Senate Joint Resolution No. 4, entitled

Joint Resolution relating to the abolishment of quarantine dues upon certain vessels engaged in the coasting trade,

Favorably.

Mr. Wildrick, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 249, entitled

An Act concerning overseers of the highways,

Assembly Bill No. 195, entitled

An Act to secure the right of burial,

Assembly Bill No. 214, entitled

An Act for the better government of cemeteries of less than five hundred lots,

Assembly Bill No. 210, entitled

An Act for the protection of storage or warehouse-keepers, or owners,

Favorably,

And

Assembly Bill No. 263, entitled

An Act to prevent the pollution of the waters of this State,

With amendments,

And

Senate Bill No. 69, entitled

An Act concerning township ordinances,

Favorably,

Senate Bill No. 103, entitled

An Act to provide for drainage and sewerage in densely populated townships in which there is a public water supply,

Favorably, with amendments,

Senate Bill No. 72, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning corporations," approved April seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-five,

Favorably.

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

Assembly Bill No. 18, entitled

Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning landlords and tenants," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 236, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and materials in the erecting any building" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 3, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of dentistry, and to protect the people against empiricism in relation thereto, in the State of New Jersey," approved March fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three,

Assembly Bill No. 227, entitled

An Act to equalize the fees of assessors and collectors in the several townships in this State for the assessing and collecting the taxation on dogs,

Assembly Bill No. 228, entitled

An Act to regulate fees and expenses of constables in criminal cases,

Favorably ;

And

Assembly Bill No. 77, entitled

A Further Supplement to the act entitled, "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 14, entitled

An Act to protect all citizens in their civil and legal rights,

Assembly Bill No. 99, entitled

An Act to abolish preferences of creditors by insolvent debtors,

Assembly Bill No. 192, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 153, entitled

An Act to secure to creditors an equal distribution of the assets of insolvent corporations,

With amendments ;

And

Assembly Bill No. 159, entitled

A Supplement to an act respecting the orphans' court, and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary, orphans' court and surrogates,

Adversely.

On motion of Mr. Flynn, the vote by which the amendments reported to

Assembly Bill No. 263, entitled

An Act to prevent the pollution of the waters of this State,

Was reconsidered, and amendments not concurred in.

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

Resolved, That the House congratulate the Hon. Mr. O'Donnell on his convalescence, and welcome him on his return to the House.

Mr. Chattle, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 275, entitled

A Supplement to an act concerning inns and taverns,

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

Mr. Holzwarth, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 276, entitled

An Act to repeal section five of an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning taxes,'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

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

Mr. Fish, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 277, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes," (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.

On motion of Mr. Cole,

Assembly Bill No. 214, entitled

An Act for the better government of cemeteries of less than five hundred lots,

Was recommitted.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 5, entitled

Joint Resolution for the passage, in Congress, of a national marriage and divorce act,

Assembly Bill No. 177, entitled

An Act to authorize the lighting of public roads and streets in townships,

Correctly engrossed.

Mr. Harrigan, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 278, entitled

An Act authorizing aqueduct boards of cities of the first class to issue bonds for the payment of indebtedness, and for the construction, extension and maintenance of water works,

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. O'Connor, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 279, entitled

An Act in relation to the hours of labor of the drivers and conductors of horse cars,

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

Assembly Bill No. 17, entitled

An Act concerning railroad passage tickets,

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

On motion of Mr. McLaughlin,

Assembly Bill No. 84, entitled

An Act concerning cities,

Was recalled from the hands of the Governor.

Assembly Bill No. 37, entitled

An Act limiting the powers of corporations,

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

Assembly Bill No. 196, entitled

An Act to defray the expenses of a special committee of the House of Assembly to investigate the subject of riparian rights,

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

Senate Bill No. 48, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize and regulate the business of banking," approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Was read a second time, and ordered a third reading, and made the special order for Thursday morning.

Assembly Bill No. 183, entitled

An Act to provide for the formation and regulation of co-operative societies of workingmen,

Assembly Bill No. 189, entitled

An Act to amend the fourteenth section of an act entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the organization of the National Guard of the State of New Jersey,' approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine," and the various amendments thereto,

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

Mr. O'Connor, Chairman of the Committee on Printing, reported

Assembly Bill No. 264, entitled

An Act concerning the publication of financial statements in cities of this State,

Favorably.

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

Assembly Bill No. 280, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the collection of demands against ships, steamboats and other vessels," approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-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.

Assembly Bill No. 208, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections," approved April eighteenth, eighteen hundred and seventy-six,

Assembly Bill No. 179, entitled

A Further Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 225, entitled

An Act in relation to apprentices in the service of the pilots for the ports of Jersey City, Newark and Perth Amboy by way of Sandy Hook,

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

Assembly Bill No. 162, entitled

An Act relating to the depth and construction of foundation walls of buildings and the responsibilities of adjoining property owners to each other in cities and towns,

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Lehlbach moved to reconsider the vote by which the same was ordered to a third reading,

Which was agreed to.

The bill was then read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 86, entitled

An Act to authorize the payment of five hundred dollars to the paymaster of the Second Battalion, First Brigade, N. G., N. J.,

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Dickinson moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was ordered to a third reading,

Which was agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Dickinson, the preamble was stricken out.

The bill was read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 206, entitled

An Act to defray the expenses of the special committee on contract convict prison labor,

Assembly Bill No. 217, entitled

An Act in relation to the volunteer fire department in any city of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 10, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crime," approved March twenty-seventh, A. D. eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

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

Mr. McLaughlin moved that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 84, entitled

An Act concerning cities,

Was passed, be reconsidered.

Which was agreed to by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff—49.

In the negative—none.

Mr. McLaughlin moved to reconsider the vote by which the same was ordered to a third reading,

Which was agreed to.

The bill was then read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, ordered to be engrossed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 185, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning evidence" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, relating to the proof of insanity in criminal cases,

Assembly Bill No. 144, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of dentistry and to protect the people against empiricism in relation thereto in the State of New Jersey,"

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

Assembly Bill No. 157, entitled

An Act to provide for the election of chosen freeholders in incorporated boroughs,

Assembly Bill No. 160, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning wards" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 224, entitled

Supplement to the act constituting courts for the trial of small causes,

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

Assembly Bill No. 231, entitled

Supplement to the act to facilitate the collection of certain premiums for the benevolent funds of fire departments of cities, from fire insurance companies not organized under the laws of State but doing business therein,

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

Assembly Bill No. 124, entitled

An Act to provide for a board of assessors of taxes and for a board of commissioners of appeal in cases of taxation in cities of the first class,

Was taken up on second reading.

On motion of Mr. Fish, the enacting clause was stricken out by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Dickinson, Fish, Flynn, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lupton, Neighbour, Prall, Robbins, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Weaver—28.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Boud, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Harrigan, Hough, Larison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, See, Wildrick, Woodruff—19.

Assembly Bill No. 191, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the examination in certain cases of applicants for admission as attorneys to the supreme court of the State,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Harrigan moved a call of the House, which was ordered, with the following result :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Robbins, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff—50.

In the negative—none.

The bill was then passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Burgess, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Hough, Jenkins, Keasbey, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, Prall, Ross, Rue, Savage, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Woodruff—33.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Budd, Byrnes, Caminade, Cole, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Holzwarth, Irons, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Robbins, Scott, Weaver, Wildrick—20.

On motion of Mr. Savage, the House adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At 3 o'clock the House met.

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

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Woodruff.

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

Assembly Bill No. 281, entitled

An Act to regulate applications for license to sell liquors,

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

Assembly Bill No. 175, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "A further supplement to an act concerning corporations,"

Assembly Bill No. 125, entitled

An Act concerning certain administrative departments of government of cities of the second class,

Assembly Bill No. 245, entitled

Supplement to "An act for the preservation of sheep,"

Assembly Bill No. 209, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to morgues and morgue-keepers," approved March fourth, eighteen hundred and seventy-nine,

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

Mr. Wildrick, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 268, entitled

A Supplement to "An act concerning roads,"

Assembly Bill No. 218, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning bridges and turnpikes," approved March twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 267, entitled

An Act for the support of fire organizations,

Assembly Bill No. 164, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the collection of demands against ships, steamboats and other vessels," approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven,

Assembly Bill No. 265, entitled

An Act to provide for the further relief of poor in cities of the first class,

Favorably.

Assembly Bill No. 213, entitled

A Supplement to an act concerning townships and township officers, approved April twenty-first, eighteen hundred and seventy-six,

Without recommendation.

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

Assembly Bill No. 256, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act incorporating the inhabitants of townships, designating their powers and regulating their meetings,"

With amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 246, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning roads" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

And

Senate Bill No. 73, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Favorably.

The following message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
Mr. Speaker— February 12th, 1884. }

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

Senate Bill No. 91, entitled

An Act to promote the more general understanding of the system of government of the United States and of the State of New Jersey,

Senate Bill No. 107, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections," approved April eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Senate Bill No. 114, entitled

An Act concerning cities in this State,

And

Assembly Bill No. 80, entitled

An Act to provide for the removal of snow and ice from sidewalks and gutters in incorporated towns and boroughs,

With amendment.

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

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The message was taken up, and the Senate bills severally read a first time by their titles, and ordered to have a second reading, and referred to their appropriate committees.

The following message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
February 6th, 1884. }

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

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 March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Bill No. 90, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the settlement and relief of the poor,"

Senate Bill No. 110, entitled

An Act to amend the act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of courts of law,"

Senate Bill No. 65, entitled

An Act granting to boroughs and towns the right to license inns, taverns and saloons,

Senate Bill No. 116, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the relief of persons imprisoned on civil process," approved March 27th, 1874,

Senate Bill No. 93, entitled

An Act providing for the support of the State Industrial School for Girls,

Senate Bill No. 136, entitled

An Act in relation to licenses granted by the several courts of this State at the April term thereof, eighteen hundred and eighty-three.

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

W. A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The message was taken up, and the Senate bills severally read a first time by their titles, and ordered to have a second reading, and referred to their appropriate committees.

Assembly Bill No. 203, entitled

A Bill to define insurance brokers and their liabilities,

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

Mr. Fish moved to reconsider the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 191, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the examination in certain cases of applicants for admission as attorneys to the supreme court of the State,"

Was passed.

Mr. Cole moved to lay the motion on the table,

Which was lost by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Caminade, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Irons, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Mills, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Robbins, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick—20.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Chattle, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Harrison, Hoffman, Hough, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, Prall, Rich, Röss, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Woodruff—34.

Mr. Caminade moved the further consideration of the bill be postponed until Monday next,

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Fish moved the previous question, which was ordered by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Burgess, Cadmus, Campbell, Chattle, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Harrison, Hoffman, Hough, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbor, North, Prall, Rich, Röss, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Woodruff—34.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Budd, Byrnes, Caminade, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Irons, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Mills, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Robbins, Weaver, Wildrick—20.

The main question was then put, and the motion to reconsider lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Budd, Byrnes, Caminade, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Irons, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Robbins, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick—23.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Burgess, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Harrison, Hoffman, Hough, Jenkins, Keasbey, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Woodruff—32.

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

Senate Bill No. 45, entitled

An Act to change the name of the township of Upper Alloways Creek, in the county of Salem, to the township of Alloway,

And

Senate Bill No. 136, entitled

An Act in relation to licenses granted by the several courts of this State, at the April term thereof, eighteen hundred and eighty-three,

Favorably.

Mr. Keasbey, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 282, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act for the relief of persons imprisoned on civil process" (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.

Senate Bill No. 136, entitled

An Act in relation to licenses granted by the several courts of this State, at the April term thereof, eighteen hundred and eighty-three,

Was read a second time, and ordered to have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, said bill was taken up and read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnés, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—49.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Ludlam—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 182, entitled

An Act limiting fares to be charged by horse railroad companies within the corporate limits of any city of the State of the first class,

Was read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Clarke,

Assembly Bill, No. 1, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled, "An act to incorporate and regulate telegraph companies" (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Was recommitted.

Senate Bill No. 14, entitled

A Supplement to "An act relative to the publication of the laws of this State in the newspapers," approved April twenty-one, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Burgess, Byrnes, Campbell, Chattle, Clarke, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Hough, Jernee, Keasbey, Larison, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff—39.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Cole, Harrison, Holzwarth, Irons, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton—8.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 155, entitled

An act to amend an act entitled "An act respecting the salaries and compensations of clerks of counties in this State," approved March eleventh, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty,

Assembly Bill No. 81, entitled

An Act to provide for the election of road overseers in their respective districts,

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

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 86, entitled

An Act to authorize the payment of five hundred dollars to the paymaster of the Second Battalion, First Brigade, N. G., N. J.,

Assembly Bill No. 225, entitled

An Act in relation to apprentices in the service of the pilots for the ports of Jersey City, Newark and Perth Amboy by way of Sandy Hook,

Assembly Bill No. 84, entitled

An Act concerning cities,

Assembly No. 162, entitled

An Act relating to the depth and construction of foundation walls of buildings and the responsibilities of adjoining property owners to each other in cities and towns,

Correctly engrossed.

Assembly Bill No. 177, entitled

An Act to authorize the lighting of public roads and streets in townships,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Dickinson, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—47.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Boud, Doremus—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.

Senate Bill No. 64, entitled

An Act concerning a division of wards in cities of the third class in this State,

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Boud, Budd, Campbell, Chat-
tle, Cole, Coombs, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Hough,
Larison, Lupton, Rue, Savage, See, Stafford, Steljes,
Wildrick, Woodruff—21.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armitage, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade,
Clarke, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrison, Holzwarth,
Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Mills,
Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rob-
bins, Scott, Weaver, Wortendyke—27.

Assembly Bill No. 163, entitled

Supplement to an act to establish a system of public instruc-
tion,

Was read a second time, considered by sections, amended,
agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 8, entitled

An Act relating to the payment of money to executors, admin-
istrators or trustees, under a trust or power, and discharge on
the payment thereof,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Budd, Byrnes, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Hough, Jenkins, Jernee, Larison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, Rich, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff—33.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Bell, Boud, Burgess, Campbell, Chattle, Coombs, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrison, Holzwarth, Irons, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, O'Connor, Prall, Wortendyke—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.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 70, entitled

An Act to authorize the burial of the bodies of any honorably discharged soldier, sailor or marine, who shall hereafter die without leaving means sufficient to defray funeral expenses,

With Senate amendments correctly engrossed.

Mr. Armstrong moved to reconsider the vote by which

Senate Bill No. 8, entitled

An Act relating to the payment of money to executors, administrators or trustees, under a trust or power, and discharge on the payment thereof,

Was passed.

Mr. Prall moved to lay the motion on the table.

The motion to lay on the table was lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Byrnes, Cole, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Irons, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Mills, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Wortendyke—14.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Boud, Budd, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Doremus, Haines, Hoffman, Jenkins, Jernee, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, See, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff—29.

The motion to reconsider was then lost by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armitage, Bell, Chattle, Cole, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Mills, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Wortendyke—19.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Haines, Hough, Jenkins, Jernee, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, Robbins, Ross, Savage, See, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff—29.

Mr. Fish moved to reconsider the vote by which

Senate Bill No. 64, entitled

An Act concerning a division of wards in cities of the third class in this State,

Was lost,

Which was agreed to by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Byrnes, Campbell, Chapman, Cole, Coombs, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harri-

gan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, North, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, Savage, See, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff—37.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Boud, Doremus, Robbins, Wortendyke—4.

On motion of Mr. Fish, the bill was recommitted.

Assembly Bill No. 23, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act appointing commissioners for a sinking fund, and defining their duties," approved March twenty-fifth, eighteen hundred and sixty-four,

Was taken up on second reading, amended, ordered to be reprinted before it was ordered to a third reading:

On motion of Mr. Fish, the House adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, February 13th, 1884.

At 10 o'clock the House met.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Jos. Gascon.

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

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dick-

inson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

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

Assembly Bill No. 223, entitled

An Act to annex to the township of Springfield, in the county of Union, a portion of the township of Milburn, in the county of Essex,

And respectfully requests that this memorial and accompanying protest be referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations,

And

Senate Bill No. 3, entitled

A Further Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning landlords and tenants" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Favorably.

Mr. Chattle, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 283, entitled

Amendment to an act establishing a system of public instruction,

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

Mr. Chattle (by request) introduced

Assembly Bill No. 284, entitled

An act concerning boroughs of the second and third 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. Chattle (by request), on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 285, entitled

An act concerning marriages,

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

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

Assembly Bill No. 286, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize the construction and repair of sidewalks in townships," approved March twenty-third, 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 Corporations.

Mr. Rich, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 287, entitled

A Supplement to the act to provide means for protection against fires in townships,

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. Rich, on leave introduced

Assembly Bill No. 288, entitled

Supplement to an act to fix the salaries of the officers of the Senate and General Assembly of N. J.,

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

Mr. Neighbour, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 289, entitled

An Act to regulate the making of contracts for public use or improvements,

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. Rich,

Assembly Bill No. 194, entitled

An Act concerning fire departments in the townships of this State,

Was withdrawn.

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

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That his Excellency the Governor be requested to return to the House of Assembly, in which it originated, Assembly Bill No. 33, entitled "A further supplement to an act relative to sales of land, under a public statute or by virtue of any legal proceedings" (Revision) approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

Assembly Bill No. 235, entitled

An Act providing for the publication of laws in the New Jersey Coast Pilot,

Was taken up.

Mr. Chattle moved to reconsider the vote by which the adverse report was adopted, and the bill was recommitted, which was agreed to.

Mr. Wortendyke, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 290, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further act concerning taxes,' making the same a first lien on real estate," etc.,

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

Assembly Bill No. 200, entitled

An Act concerning cities,

Was taken up on its second reading, and, on motion of Mr. Clarke, laid over until the afternoon.

Assembly Bill No. 11, entitled

An Act to fix rates of ferriage for foot passengers on ferries over the waters dividing the State of New Jersey from all adjoining States,

Assembly Bill No. 207, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate elections," approved April eighteen, eighteen hundred and seventy-six,

Assembly Bill No. 202, entitled

An Act to repeal section twenty-three of an act entitled "An act concerning mortgages," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Assembly Bill No. 98, entitled

An Act to prevent the laying of pipes for carrying oil, called pipe lines, across the fresh water streams of the State, and to cause the removal of those already laid,

Assembly Bill No. 229, entitled

An Act to further extend the times before or within the State assessment or other sum required to be paid into the State treasury by virtue of the provisions of the act entitled "An act to increase the revenues of the State of New Jersey," approved March eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine, or any subsequent act, may be paid, and to remit, release and

extinguish any conditions, penalties or forfeitures heretofore provided for, incurred or proclaimed by reason of the non-payment of any assessment or sum aforesaid, required by virtue of the provisions of said act,

Assembly Bill No. 180, entitled

An Act to authorize the payment of the sum of five hundred dollars to the paymaster of the First Regiment Infantry, First Brigade National Guards State of New Jersey, for Company A, of said regiment, its appropriation for the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Assembly Bill No. 143, entitled

A Supplement to an act to regulate fisheries,

Assembly Bill No. 141, entitled

A Supplement to an act for the preservation of fish,

Assembly Bill No. 108, entitled

An Act to repeal a supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections,"

Assembly Bill No. 236, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and materials in the erecting any building" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 95, entitled

An Act in relation to plank roads, turnpikes or toll roads,

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

Assembly Bill No. 166, entitled

Amendment to "An act for the protection of fish,"

Was taken up on its second reading, and, on motion of Mr. Robbins, laid over one week.

Assembly Bill No. 222, entitled

An Act concerning persons carrying concealed weapons,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading, and reprinted with amendments embodied therein.

Assembly Bill No. 204, entitled

An Act concerning cities,

Assembly Bill No. 203, entitled

A Bill to define insurance brokers and their liabilities,

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

Assembly Bill No. 32, entitled

An Act to limit and regulate ferriage for trucks, wagons, coaches and other vehicles,

Was taken up on second reading.

Mr. Scott moved to amend.

Pending the consideration of the amendments, the bill was laid over.

Assembly Bill No. 111, entitled

An Act to regulate fares on horse cars in cities of the second class,

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

Assembly Bill No. 4, entitled

An Act for the protection of life and property in counties of the first class in this State from the explosion of steam boilers,

Was taken up on third reading, and, on motion of Mr. Clarke, recommitted.

Assembly Bill No. 107, entitled

An Act to authorize thief detecting societies to exercise police powers,

Was taken up on third reading and laid over until the afternoon session.

Assembly Bill No. 86, entitled

An Act to authorize the payment of five hundred dollars to the paymaster of the Second Battalion, First Brigade, N. G., N. J.,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Jenkins, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Rich, Robbins, Rue, Scott, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Woodruff, Wortendyke—47.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 107, entitled

An Act to authorize thief detecting societies to exercise police powers,

Was taken up on its third reading, and, on motion of Mr. Chapman, the vote by which the bill was ordered to a third reading was reconsidered.

The bill was then amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 225, entitled

An Act in relation to apprentices in the service of the pilots for the ports of Jersey City, Newark and Perth Amboy by way of Sandy Hook,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Woodruff, Wortendyke—51.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Jenkins—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,
Mr. Speaker— February 12th, 1884. }

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 his Excellency the Governor be requested to return to the House of Assembly, in which it originated,

Assembly Bill No. 33, entitled

A Further Supplement to "An act relative to sales of lands under a public statute, or by virtue of any legal proceeding" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

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

Resolved, That the House, immediately after roll call this afternoon, shall meet in committee of the whole House, to consider House Bill No. 37, that the opponents and advocates of the bill be given an opportunity to present arguments for and against the passage of said bill.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 37, entitled

An Act limiting the powers of corporations,

Assembly Bill No. 196, entitled

An Act to defray the expenses of a special committee of the House of Assembly to investigate the subject of riparian rights,

Assembly Bill No. 206, entitled

An Act to defray the expenses of a special committee on contract convict prison labor,

Assembly Bill No. 217, entitled

An Act in relation to the volunteer fire department in any city of this State,

Correctly engrossed.

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

Assembly Bill No. 269, entitled

An Act concerning cities of the first class,

Favorably.

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

Assembly Bill No. 103, entitled

An Act to repeal "An act explanatory of the proviso of first section of an act providing for State taxes on railroads and the more efficient collection thereof,"

As follows: That it is sought by the said bill to repeal an act explanatory of the proviso of the act providing for State taxation of railroads; that your committee has learned that the introducer of this bill has also introduced another bill to repeal the proviso of said act, which has been referred to some other committee; your committee being of the opinion that the two bills should be considered together, recommend either that said bill No. 103 be referred to the committee that has charge of the other bill, or that it be not placed on the calendar until the other bill shall be reported.

Assembly Bill No. 162, entitled

An Act relating to the depth and construction of foundation walls of buildings, and the responsibilities of adjoining property owners to each other in cities and towns,

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Clarke demanded a call of the House, which was ordered, with the following result:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chatte, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison,

Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—52.

In the negative—none.

The bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Ross, Rue, See, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—38.

In the negative—were.

Messrs. Alcott, Armstrong, Boud, Cadmus, Campbell, Chattle, Coombs, Keasbey, Mills, Neighbour, North, Prall, Rich, Stafford—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. Prall,

Assembly Bill No. 101, entitled

An Act to repeal the proviso in section one of an act entitled "An act providing for State taxes on railroads and the more efficient collection thereof,"

Assembly Bill No. 102, entitled

An Act to abolish a just rule for the assessment and taxation of real property hereafter acquired by railroad corporations, for county and municipal purposes,

Were ordered to take their place on the calendar under the ten-day rule.

Assembly Bill No. 103, entitled

An Act to repeal "An act explanatory of the proviso of first section of an act providing for State taxes on railroads, and the more efficient collection thereof,"

On motion of Mr. Cole, was ordered to take its place on the calendar under the ten day-rule.

Assembly Bill No. 2, entitled

An Act relative to actions for injuries,

Was taken up on second reading.

Mr. Keasbey sent an amendment to the Clerk to be read.

Pending consideration of the amendment, the House adjourned, on motion of Mr. Flynn.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At 3 o'clock the House met.

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

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan,

Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

A message was received from the Governor at the hands of his Private Secretary, Willard Fisk, transmitting to the House the following report :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Trenton, Feb. 13th, 1884. }

Mr. Speaker—

I have this day approved and signed the following bills which originated in the House of Assembly, and have delivered the same to the Secretary of State, to be filed in his office :

Assembly Bill No. 28, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act relating to turnpike companies," approved February twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

Assembly Bill No. 70, entitled

An Act to authorize the burial of the bodies of any honorably discharged soldier, sailor or marine, who shall hereafter die without leaving means sufficient to defray funeral expenses,

Assembly Bill No. 67, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act authorizing the establishment of hospitals in the cities of the State," approved February twenty-third, eighteen hundred and eighty-three,

Assembly Bill No. 80, entitled

An Act to provide for the removal of snow and ice from sidewalks and gutters in incorporated towns and boroughs,

Assembly Bill No. 174, entitled

An Act relating to the assessment of taxes.

Respectfully,

LEON ABBETT,

Governor.

The following communication was received from the Comptroller of the State:

COMPTROLLER'S DEPARTMENT,
STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
Trenton, February 13, 1884, }

Hon. A. B. Stoney, Speaker of the House of Assembly:

SIR—I am in receipt of a copy of the following resolution adopted by the House of Assembly:

Resolved, That the Comptroller of the State of New Jersey furnish to the House of Assembly, as soon as possible, a statement of all the railroad corporations of the State of New Jersey, or doing business in this State, owned, leased or controlled by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, and also a memorandum of the statutes under and by which they are taxed, and that the said Comptroller do also furnish a statement of the railroad corporations in this State, owned, leased or controlled by the United Companies, to wit: the Delaware and Raritan Canal Company, the Camden and Amboy Railroad and Transportation Company, and the New Jersey Railroad and Transportation Company, in the year eighteen hundred and sixty-nine.

In reply, I have the honor to inform the House of Assembly that the railroad corporations in this State, reported to this office as being owned, leased or controlled by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, are as follows:

United New Jersey Railroad and Canal Company.
Belvidere, Delaware Railroad Company.
Camden and Burlington County Railroad Company.
Columbus, Kinkora and Springfield Railroad Company.

Flemington Railroad and Transportation Company.
Freehold and Jamesburg Agricultural Railroad Company.
Jersey City and Bergen Railroad Company.
Millstone and New Brunswick Railroad Company.
Mount Holly, Lumberton and Medford Railroad Company.
Pemberton and Hightstown Railroad Company.
Perth Amboy and Woodbridge Railroad Company.
Rocky Hill Railroad and Transportation Company.
Salem Railroad Company.
Swedesboro Railroad Company.
Vincentown Branch Railroad Company.
West Jersey Railroad Company.
West Jersey and Atlantic Railroad Company.
Camden and Atlantic Railroad Company.
Philadelphia and Long Branch Railroad Company.
Pemberton and Sea Shore Railroad Company.
Philadelphia, Marlton and Medford Railroad Company.
Pleasantville and Ocean City Railroad Company.
Woodstown and Swedesboro Railroad Company.

The United New Jersey Railroad and Canal Company is taxed under the provisions of "An act relative to transit duties," approved March 4, 1869 (P. L. 226), and under a proviso to section one of "An act providing for State taxes on railroads, and the more efficient collection thereof," approved April 13, 1876 (P. L. 129), and an act explanatory of the said proviso, approved April 21, 1876 (P. L. 411); the annual tax paid by the said company "is deemed, considered and taken as full payment and discharge" of the annual tax upon the following named railroads:

United New Jersey Railroad and Canal Company.
Belvidere, Delaware Railroad Company.
Camden and Burlington County Railroad Company.
Columbus, Kinkora and Springfield Railroad Company.
Flemington Railroad and Transportation Company.
Freehold and Jamesburg Agricultural Railroad Company.
Jersey City and Bergen Railroad Company.
Millstone and New Brunswick Railroad Company.
Mount Holly, Lumberton and Medford Railroad Company.
Pemberton and Hightstown Railroad Company.
Perth Amboy and Woodbridge Railroad Company.

Rocky Hill Railroad and Transportation Company.
Salem Railroad Company.
Swedesboro Railroad Company.
Vincentown Branch Railroad Company.
West Jersey Railroad Company.

The following named roads are taxed under the general provisions of the act entitled "An act providing for State taxes on railroads, and the more efficient collection thereof," approved April 13, 1876 :

West Jersey and Atlantic Railroad Company.
Camden and Atlantic Railroad Company.
Philadelphia and Long Branch Railroad Company.
Pemberton and Sea Shore Railroad Company.
Philadelphia, Marlton and Medford Railroad Company.
Pleasantville and Ocean City Railroad Company.
Woodstown and Swedesboro Railroad Company.

Concerning your request to be furnished with a "statement of the railroad corporations in this State, owned, leased or controlled by the United Companies, to wit: the Delaware and Raritan Canal Company, the Camden and Amboy Railroad Company, and the New Jersey Railroad and Transportation Company, in the year eighteen hundred and sixty-nine," I have to say that this information is not within my official knowledge, but I am informed by officers of the companies that, at the date named, in addition to the railroads named in the resolution, the following railroads were so owned, leased or controlled :

Belvidere, Delaware Railroad Company.
Camden and Burlington County Railroad Company.
Columbus, Kinkora and Springfield Railroad Company.
Flemington Railroad and Transportation Company.
Freehold and Jamesburg Agricultural Railroad Company.
Jersey City and Bergen Railroad Company.
Millstone and New Brunswick Railroad Company.
Mount Holly, Lumberton and Medford Railroad Company.
Pemberton and Hightstown Railroad Company.
Perth Amboy and Woodbridge Railroad Company.
Rocky Hill Railroad and Transportation Company.
Salem Railroad Company.

Swedesboro Railroad Company.
Vincetown Branch Railroad Company.
West Jersey Railroad Company.

Respectfully submitted,

E. J. ANDERSON,

Comptroller.

On motion of Mr. Prall, three hundred copies of the communication, and resolution requesting same, were ordered printed.

On motion of Mr. Cole, the House went into Committee of the Whole to consider

Assembly Bill No. 37, entitled

An Act limiting the powers of corporations,

With Mr. Chapman in the Chair.

Mr. Savage moved to reconsider the vote by which the resolution to go into Committee of the Whole was adopted,

Which was not agreed to.

The Chairman extended invitations to any one wishing to appear and oppose the bill to speak. No one appearing, the Chairman invited any one wishing to support the bill to speak.

Mr. Cator took the floor and spoke in favor of the bill.

Mr. Cole then moved the committee rise and report the bill favorably,

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Chapman, Chairman of the Committee of the Whole, then reported

Assembly Bill No. 37, entitled

An Act limiting the powers of corporations,

Favorably.

The Clerk of the House acted as clerk of the committee.

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

Assembly Bill No. 1, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate and regulate telegraph companies" (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Assembly Bill No. 260, entitled

An Act in regard to the numbering of houses in cities,

Assembly Bill No. 272, entitled

An Act to authorize the appointment of fire wardens,

Favorably.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 182, entitled

An Act limiting fares to be charged by horse railroad companies within the corporate limits of any city of the State of the first class,

Assembly Bill No. 185, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning evidence" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, relating to the proof of insanity in criminal cases,

Assembly Bill No. 179, entitled

A Further Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 231, entitled

Supplement to the act to facilitate the collection of certain premiums for the benevolent funds of fire departments of cities, from fire insurance companies not organized under the laws of this State but doing business therein,

Assembly Bill No. 208, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections," approved April eighteen, eighteen hundred and seventy-six,

Assembly Bill No. 144, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of dentistry and to protect the people against empiricism in relation thereto in the State of New Jersey,

Assembly Bill No. 160, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning roads" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 36, entitled

An Act to regulate the rate of fare on railroads of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 157, entitled

An Act to provide for the election of chosen freeholders in incorporated boroughs,

Assembly Bill No. 17, entitled

An Act concerning railroad passage tickets,

Correctly engrossed.

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

Assembly Bill No. 259, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act for the organization of the National Guard of the State of New Jersey," approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine,

Favorably.

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

Assembly Bill No. 172, entitled

An Act to authorize the establishment of free public libraries in the cities of this State,

With amendments,

Senate Bill No. 102, entitled

An Act to repeal section one of "An act fixing the amount to be expended by boards of education in certain cities of this State for permanent improvements in any one year," approved March fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine,

Favorably.

Mr. Savage, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads and Canals, reported

Assembly Bill No. 244, entitled

An Act empowering fish wardens to enforce game laws,

And

Assembly Bill No. 279, entitled

An Act in relation to the hours of labor of the drivers and conductors of horse cars,

Favorably.

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

Assembly Bill No. 250, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act for rendering the proceedings upon information in the nature of a quo warranto more speedy and effectual," passed March seventeen, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five,

With amendments.

Assembly Bill No. 282, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act for the relief of persons imprisoned on civil process" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Favorably.

Assembly Bill No. 266, entitled

An Act to increase the jurisdiction of justices of the peace,

Substitute.

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

Assembly Bill No. 242, entitled

An Act entitled "An act to organize and establish a State Board of Agriculture,"

Assembly Bill No. 248, entitled

Supplement to the "Supplement to 'An act to establish an Agricultural Experiment Station,'"

Favorably.

Mr. Wildrick, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 190, entitled

An Act in relation to railroad corporations leasing their road, or any part thereof,

Favorably.

Mr. Caminade presented a petition referring to the bill creating district courts, which was referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws.

Mr. Armstrong offered the following resolution, which was read and lost :

Resolved, That, commencing with next Monday evening, this House hold a session each evening at 8 o'clock.

Mr. Harrigan, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 291, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to further define the duties of the fish commissioners 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 Fisheries.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
February 13th, 1884. }
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. 109, entitled

An Act to authorize the compromise and discharge of claims against one or more of several joint debtors,

Senate Bill No. 60, entitled

An Act to enable incorporated towns to construct water works for the extinguishment of fires and supplying the inhabitants thereof with pure and wholesome water,

Senate Bill No. 106, entitled

An Act for the relief of Edmund Teel,

Senate Bill No. 99, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning roads," approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six,

Senate Bill No. 94, entitled

An Act to provide for the storage of military stores and equipments in the possession of Companies B, C and D, of the Sixth Regiment Infantry, Second Brigade National Guard of the State of New Jersey,

Senate Bill No. 21, entitled

An Act to authorize the boards of chosen freeholders in the respective counties of this State to renew matured and maturing bonds,

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

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The message was taken up, and the Senate bills severally read a first time by their titles, and ordered to have a second reading, and referred to their appropriate committees.

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

	STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
	SENATE CHAMBER,	
<i>Mr. Speaker—</i>	February 13th, 1884.	

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

Assembly Bill No. 73, entitled

An Act to define the term "Homœopathic," when applied to physicians,

Assembly Bill No. 139, entitled

An Act amending an act to authorize the construction of school-houses in cities of the first class of this State, approved February thirteen, eighteen hundred and eighty-three,

With amendments,

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

WILLIAM A. STILES,

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,
February 13th, 1884. }

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. 62, entitled

An Act to provide for the publication of the "Manual of the Legislature of New Jersey,"

Assembly Bill No. 71, entitled

An Act concerning cities in this State,

Assembly Bill No. 186, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act to secure to creditors an equal and just division of the estates of debtors who convey to assignees for the benefit of creditors" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

With amendments,

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

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 71, entitled

An Act concerning cities in this State,

Assembly Bill No. 62, entitled

An Act to provide for the publication of the "Manual of the Legislature of New Jersey,"

Assembly Bill No. 186, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act to secure to creditors an equal and just division of the estates of debtors who convey to assignees for the benefit of creditors" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Were read and ordered to have third reading, and be re-en-grossed with amendments.

Mr. Woodruff asked leave of the House to withdraw

Assembly Bill No. 222, entitled

An Act concerning persons carrying concealed weapons,

Which was not granted.

On motion of Mr. Prall,

Assembly Bill No. 172, entitled

An Act to authorize the establishment of free public libraries in the cities of this State,

Was ordered reprinted with amendments.

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

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That a joint meeting of the two Houses of the Legislature be held in the Assembly Chamber, at 12 o'clock, on Wednesday, the twentieth day of February, inst., for filling in the office of Commissioner for taking the proof and acknowledgment of deeds, etc., in the several wards and townships of the State.

Mr. Savage, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 292, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the better regulation of proceedings upon writs of mandamus," passed the second day of December, one thousand seven 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, when appointed.

Mr. Rue, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 293, entitled

An Act for the protection of employes,

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

Mr. Prall, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 294, entitled

An Act to regulate the liability of corporations for injuries received by their employes,

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

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

Assembly Bill No. 295, entitled

An Act for the preservation of the health of female employes employed in manufacturing, mechanical and mercantile establishments,

Which was read a 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,
 February 13th, 1884. }

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. 79, entitled

A Further Supplement to "An act concerning inns and taverns," approved April seventeenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

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

W. A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The message was taken up, and the Senate bill read a first time by its title, and ordered to have a second reading, and referred to its appropriate committee.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
 SENATE CHAMBER,
 February 13th, 1884. }

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. 76, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to the election of constables," approved March twelfth, eighteen hundred and eighty,

Assembly Bill No. 87, entitled

An Act for the protection of dairymen, and to prevent deception in sales of butter,

Without amendments.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Said bills having passed both Houses, were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills, with the following certificate endorsed thereon :

“I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

HENRY D. WINTON,

Clerk.”

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

WHEREAS, It is alleged that the Newark Plank Road Company has failed in the duty it owed to the public in return for the corporate franchises it enjoys, by charging unnecessarily high rate of toll, and by failing to keep its road in good order and repair, and by occupying a position of hostility to the community whose money it exacts ; *and whereas*, these allegations are in turn denied by said Plank Road Company ; *and whereas*, in dealing with a question of this character, members of the Legislature, chosen to represent the people of the State and expected calmly to investigate the merits of measures submitted to them, ought not to take unfair action or to proceed upon erroneous information ;

Resolved, That a special committee of five members of the House of Assembly, three from the county of Essex and two from Hudson, be appointed by the Speaker to investigate the questions above referred to, to report the facts to this House on Tuesday morning next, the 19th inst., and to recommend such action in the way of restriction or supervision, as the fact, when ascertained, may seem to demand.

Mr. Lehlbach offered the following resolution, as a substitute :

Resolved, That a committee of five be appointed by the Speaker, to consist of three members from Essex and two members from Hudson, to investigate the condition of the Newark Plank Road Company, and to inquire into the facts as to whether they are living up to the letter of their charter with the State, and to report to this House, on Tuesday morning, the 19th inst.

The substitute was read and adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 216, entitled

An Act respecting cities in this State and to provide for a more efficient government therein,

Was taken up on second reading.

Mr. Dickinson offered the following amendments, which were lost :

Amend section 5, line 5, by striking out "and confirmed by the common council."

Amend section 5, by striking out all of section after the word "appointed" in sixth line.

Amend section 22, line 8, by striking out the words "during the pleasure of the mayor and the common councils" and insert the words "for two years."

Mr. Fish offered the following amendments, which were read and lost :

In section 29, line 6, after the words "immediately" insert the words "after the election of a mayor, as provided by section 28."

In section 3, line 4, after the word "county" strike out the succeeding words of the section.

In section 28, line 8, by striking out the word "passage" and insert in lieu thereof the word "adoption;" strike out the period after word "act" and add to the section the words "by such city."

Mr. Keasbey offered the following amendments, which were lost :

Section 28, in line 3, after the word "city," insert the words "within one year from the approval of this act."

Amend section 28, provided, that the act shall not apply to any city, unless it shall be adopted within one year from the passage of this act.

Mr. See offered the following amendment, which was read and lost :

Amend section 3, on page 2, by striking out all of said section, after the word "council," on line 4.

Mr. Burgess moved the bill lie over,

Which was not agreed to.

The bill was read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, ordered to be engrossed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 10, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crime," approved March twenty-seventh, A. D. eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 62, entitled

An Act to provide for the publication of the "Manual of the Legislature of New Jersey,"

Assembly Bill No. 107, entitled

An Act to authorize thief detecting societies to exercise police powers,

Correctly engrossed.

Senate Bill No. 103, entitled

An Act to provide for drainage and sewerage in densely populated townships in which there is a public water supply,

Was read a second time, and ordered to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 196, entitled

An Act to defray the expenses of a special committee of the House of Assembly to investigate the subject of riparian rights,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Keasbey, Lake, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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. Flynn, the House adjourned.

THURSDAY, February 14th, 1884.

At ten o'clock the House met.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Richardson.

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

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Har-

rison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Assembly Bill No. 248, entitled

Supplement to the "Supplement to 'An act to establish an Agricultural Experiment Station,'"

Assembly Bill No. 242, entitled

An Act entitled "An act to organize and establish a State Board of Agriculture,"

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

Mr. Chattle presented a petition on the subject of constitutional amendment prohibiting sale and manufacture of intoxicating liquors,

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

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

Assembly Bill No. 9, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the organization of the National Guard of the State of New Jersey," approved March ninth, eighteen hundred and sixty-nine,

Without recommendation.

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

Assembly Bill No. 238, entitled

An Act relative to the fees of the assessors and collectors of taxes of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 239, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act respecting the court of chancery" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 230, entitled

An Act concerning the assessment and collection of taxes in fire districts in the townships of this State,

Favorably.

Assembly Bill No. 158, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of law,"

Adversely.

The adverse report was sustained.

Assembly Bill No. 31, entitled

An Act to annex to Essex county a part of Hudson county,

Assembly Bill No. 276, entitled

An Act to repeal section five of an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning taxes,'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Without recommendation.

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

Assembly Bill No. 211, entitled

An Act regulating lettings in cases where no definite time is fixed,

Assembly Bill No. 212, entitled

An Act respecting persons sentenced to be confined in any county jail or penitentiary in this State,

Assembly Bill No. 255, entitled

An Act to prevent willful trespasses,

Assembly Bill No. 261, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 173, entitled

An Act to fix the salaries of the assistant engrossing clerks of the Senate and House of Assembly,

Assembly Bill No. 226, entitled

An Act to authorize the amendment and re-institution of defective or illegal proceedings for laying out, opening, altering or closing streets and avenues in incorporated boroughs, towns and villages and assessments on account thereof,

With amendments.

Mr. Larison, Chairman of Committee on Industrial School for Girls, reported

Assembly Bill No. 93, entitled

An Act concerning the action of trover,

Favorably.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 141, entitled

A Supplement to an act for the preservation of fish,

Correctly engrossed.

Mr. Chapman, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Bill No. 188, entitled

An Act to provide for State taxes on telegraph, telephone, electric light, horse railroad, express, life insurance and petroleum oil or pipe line companies, and for the efficient collection thereof,

With amendments ;

Also, the following resolution :

Resolved, That Assembly Bill No. 188 be reprinted with the amendment, and that the bill be recommitted.

The report was read, and amendments made in committee adopted ; also, the resolution reported.

Mr. Kelly, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 296, entitled

An Act relating to cities,

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

Mr. McLaughlin, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 297, entitled

An Act to defray the expense of a special committee 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. Budd, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 298, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the fisheries in the river Delaware, and for other purposes,'" passed November twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and eight,

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

Mr. Armstrong, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 299, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning corporations," approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

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

Mr. Steljes, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 300, entitled

An Act concerning the construction of sewers in cities of this State,

And

Assembly Bill No. 301, entitled

An Act concerning terms of office of mayors in the cities of this State,

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

Mr. Steljes, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 302, entitled

An Act concerning the purchase of medicines for the poor 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. Steljes, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 303, entitled

An Act concerning 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. Hoffman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 304, entitled

An Act to amend "An act to establish a system of public instruction" (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 Education.

Mr. Haines, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 305, entitled

An Act to enable incorporated cities of the third class to construct water works for the extinguishment of fires and to supply inhabitants thereof with pure and wholesome water,

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. Neighbour (by request), on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 306, entitled

An Act to regulate the manner of publishing ordinances in incorporated cities of the third class,

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

Mr. Fish, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 307, entitled

An Act for the better securing and enjoyment of wages to workmen and laborers in the State of New Jersey,

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

The following bills were placed on the calendar, under the ten-day rule:

Assembly Bill No. 102, entitled

An Act to abolish a just rule for the assessment and taxation of real property hereafter acquired by railroad corporations for county and municipal purposes,

Assembly Bill No. 36, entitled

An Act to regulate the rate of fare on railroads of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 101, entitled

An Act to repeal the proviso in section one of an act entitled "An act providing for State taxes on railroads and the more efficient collection thereof,"

Assembly Bill No. 89, entitled

An Act regulating the fares collected by railroad companies,

Assembly Bill No. 32, entitled

An Act to limit and regulate ferriage for trucks, wagons, coaches, and other vehicles,

Assembly Bill No. 17, entitled

An Act concerning railroad passage tickets.

Assembly Bill No. 33, entitled

A Further Supplement to "An act relative to sales of lands under a public statute, or by virtue of any legal proceeding" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was taken up.

Mr. Haines moved to reconsider the vote by which the same was ordered to a third reading,

Which was agreed to.

The bill was then amended, ordered to be re-engrossed, and to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 11, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of railroad corporations and to regulate the same" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was taken up on second reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, said bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—57.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendments, and requests its concurrence therein.

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

Assembly Bill No. 273, entitled

An Act concerning certain administrative departments of government of cities of the second class,

With amendments.

Senate Bill No. 103, entitled

An Act to provide for drainage and sewerage in densely populated townships, in which there is a public water supply,

Was taken up on second reading, and,

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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 leave, Mr. Ross, was permitted to withdraw

Assembly Bill No. 118, entitled

Supplement to "An act to further regulate the licensing of inns," &c.

On motion of Mr. Armstrong,

Assembly Bill No. 30, entitled

An Act to repeal the second section of an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the Newark Plank Road and Ferry Company,' approved February twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine," which amendatory act was approved February twenty-third, eighteen hundred and seventy,

Was laid over and made the special order for next Tuesday morning.

Assembly Bill No. 37, entitled

An Act limiting the powers of corporations,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Ross, Savage, Scott, See, Steljes, Weaver, Woodruff, Wortendyke—42.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Boud, Chattle, Coombs, Hoffman, Irons, Lake, Lupton, Neighbour, North, Robbins, Rue, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick—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.

Senate Bill No. 48, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize and regulate the business of banking," approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—52.

In the negative—none.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 62, entitled

An Act to provide for the publication of the "Manual of the Legislature of New Jersey,"

Were read and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Keasbey, Lake, Ludlam, Lupton,

Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—47.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Chapman, Lehlbach—2.

Said bill having passed both Houses, was this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills, with the following certificate endorsed on the same:

“I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

HENRY D. WINTON.

Clerk.”

Assembly Bill No. 208, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled “An act to regulate elections,” approved April eighteen, eighteen hundred and seventy-six,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnés, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Ross, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—48.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 132, entitled

An Act entitled "An act to amend section two of a supplement to an act to partially consolidate the several game laws of this State, chapter sixteen," approved February eight, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Was taken up on second reading, amended, and, on motion of Mr. Burgess, recommitted.

Assembly Bill No. 231; entitled

Supplement to the act to facilitate the collection of certain premiums for the benevolent funds of fire departments of cities, from fire insurance companies not organized under the laws of this State but doing business therein,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlback, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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.

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

Senate Bill No. 106, entitled

An Act for the relief of Edmund Teel,

Without recommendation.

Assembly Bill No. 182, entitled

An Act limiting fares to be charged by horse railroad companies within the corporate limits of any city of the State of the first class,

Was taken up on third reading and laid over, and made a special order for next Monday night.

Assembly Bill No. 190, entitled

An Act in relation to railroad corporations leasing their road or any part thereof,

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

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

Assembly Bill No. 283, entitled

Amendment to an act establishing a system of public instruction,

Assembly Bill No. 304, entitled

An Act to amend "An act to establish a system of public instruction" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Favorably.

Assembly Bill No. 217, entitled

An Act in relation to the volunteer fire department in any city of this State,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs,

Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—54.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 273, entitled

An Act concerning certain administrative departments of government of cities of the second class,

Was taken up on second reading and laid over until Monday.

Assembly Bill No. 141, entitled

A Supplement to an act for the preservation of fish,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Boud, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Ross, Scott, See, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—40.

In the negative—none.

Assembly Bill No. 144, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of dentistry and to protect the people against empiricism in relation thereto in the State of New Jersey,"

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, North, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wortendyke—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. Armstrong offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted :

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

Which was carried by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Cole, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker)—27.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Boud, Budd, Burgess, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, North, See, Stafford, Wildrick, Wortendyke—20.

The committee to view the Newark plank road was announced by the Speaker :

Messrs. Burgess, Harrison, Harrigan, O'Donnell and See.

Assembly Bill No. 185, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning evidence" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, relating to the proof of insanity in criminal cases,

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Harrigan, Keasbey, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rue, Wortendyke—7.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armstrong, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Holzwarth, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, Neighbour, North, Prall, Rich, Ross, Scott, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick—31.

Mr. Harrigan offered the following resolution, which, on motion of Mr. Armstrong, was laid on table:

WHEREAS, It has been reported in the public press that the honorable Speaker of the House of Assembly and others of the Legislature have been compelled, under threats of violence, to pay their fare on the New York and Long Branch Railroad; therefore, be it

Resolved, That a committee of inquiry be appointed to ascertain why the New York and Long Branch Railroad Company do not issue passes in accordance with the provision of their charter and the requirements of the laws of New Jersey, and why the Pennsylvania Railroad Company and the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company, who have jointly leased said Long Branch and New York Railroad, do not compel their employes to recognize the passes issued by said companies as valid on said road.

Mr. Haines offered the following resolution, which was laid on the table:

Resolved, That in order to facilitate the business of this House of Assembly, sessions be held during five days of the coming week successively, commencing on Monday.

Assembly Bill No. 46, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to re-organize the local government of the township of West Hoboken,' passed March the twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four," which supplement was approved April eighth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate; Armitage, Armstrong, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Scott, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—43.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

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

Resolved, That the reporter of the Evening Journal, of Jersey City, be allowed a seat at the desk on the right of the Assembly Chamber.

Senate Bill No. 45, entitled

An Act to change the name of the township of Upper Alloways Creek, in the county of Salem, to the township of Alloway,

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Ross, Scott, See, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—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. Cole, the House adjourned.

FRIDAY, February 15th, 1884.

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

Upon calling of the roll, the following gentleman answered to his name:

Mr. Caminade.

Mr. Caminade, 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 EVENING, February 18th, 1884.

At 8 o'clock the House met.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Walker.

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

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernée, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 111, entitled

An Act to regulate fares on horse cars in cities of the second class,

Assembly Bill No. 209, entitled,

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to morgues and morgue-keepers," approved March fourth, eighteen hundred and seventy-nine,

Assembly Bill No. 204, entitled

An Act concerning cities,

Assembly Bill No. 202, entitled

An Act to repeal section twenty-three of an act entitled "An act concerning mortgages," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Assembly Bill No. 186, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act to secure to creditors an equal and just division of the estates of debtors who convey to assignees for the benefit of creditors" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 180, entitled

An Act to authorize the payment of the sum of five hundred dollars to the paymaster of the First Regiment Infantry, First Brigade National Guards State of New Jersey, for Company A, of said regiment, its appropriation for the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Assembly Bill No. 155, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act respecting the salaries and compensations of clerks of counties in this State," approved March eleventh, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty,

Assembly Bill No. 108, entitled

An Act to repeal a supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections,"

Assembly Bill No. 81, entitled

An Act to provide for the election of road overseers in their respective districts,

Assembly Bill No. 71, entitled

An Act concerning cities in this State,

Assembly Bill No. 11, entitled

An Act to fix rates of ferriage for foot passengers on ferries over the waters dividing the State of New Jersey from all adjoining States,

Assembly Bill No. 99, entitled

An Act to abolish preferences of creditors by insolvent debtors,

Assembly Bill No. 229, entitled

An Act to further extend the times before or within the State assessment or other sum required to be paid into the State treasury by virtue of the provisions of the act entitled "An act to increase the revenues of the State of New Jersey," approved March eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine, or any subsequent act, may be paid, and to remit, release and extinguish any conditions, penalties or forfeitures heretofore provided for, incurred or proclaimed by reason of the non-payment of any assessment or sum aforesaid, required by virtue of the provisions of said act,

Assembly Bill No. 203, entitled

A Bill to define insurance brokers and their liabilities,

Assembly Bill No. 143, entitled

A Supplement to an act to regulate fisheries,

Assembly Bill No. 30, entitled

An Act to repeal the second section of an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the Newark Plank Road and Ferry Company,' approved February twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine," which amendatory act was approved February twenty-third, eighteen hundred and seventy,

Assembly Bill No. 190, entitled

An Act in relation to railroad corporations leasing their road or any part thereof,

Assembly Bill No. 236, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and materials in the erecting any building" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 163, entitled

Supplement to an act to establish a system of public instruction,

Assembly Bill No. 207, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate elections," approved April eighteen, eighteen hundred and seventy-six,

Assembly Bill No. 153, entitled

An Act to secure to creditors an equal distribution of the assets of insolvent corporations,

Correctly engrossed.

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

Assembly Bill No. 278, entitled

An Act authorizing aqueduct boards of cities of the first class to issue bonds for the payment of indebtedness, and for the construction, extension and maintenance of water works,

And

Senate Bill No. 75, entitled

An Act concerning the payment of taxes in cities of this State, Favorably.

Mr. Harrison, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 308, entitled

An Act authorizing township committees to discharge the duties of overseers of roads 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 Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Kelly, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 309, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of the State" (Revision), approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

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

Mr. Kelly, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 310, entitled

An Act to exempt hospitals from taxes and water rents,

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. Keasbey, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 311, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting conveyances," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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

Mr. Prall, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 312, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning townships and township officers,' approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three."

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

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

Resolved, That Assembly Bill No. 98 be made a special order for Wednesday afternoon, at 3 o'clock, and that the House resolve itself into the Committee of the Whole, to hear arguments for and against the bill.

Mr. Cole, with consent of the House, withdrew

Assembly Bill No. 214, entitled

An Act for the better government of cemeteries of less than five hundred lots,

And

Assembly Bill No. 35, entitled

An Act to further regulate licenses and the sale of liquors.

Assembly Bill No. 182, entitled

An Act limiting fares to be charged by horse railroad companies within the corporate limits of any city of the State of the first class,

Was taken up on third reading, and, on motion of Mr. Harrigan, was recommitted.

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

Resolved, That House Bill No. 216 be made the special order for Tuesday afternoon.

On motion of Mr. Fish, the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 157, entitled

An Act to provide for the election of chosen freeholders in incorporated boroughs,

Was ordered to a third reading, was reconsidered.

The bill was then taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

The report of the special committee on taxation of the property of railroads and other corporations, was made and ordered printed.

Assembly Bill No. 157, entitled

An Act to provide for the election of chosen freeholders in incorporated boroughs,

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

Assembly Bill No. 251, entitled

An Act to fix the salaries of the bill clerks of the Senate and General Assembly,

Assembly Bill No. 207, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate elections," approved April eighteen, eighteen hundred and seventy-six,

Assembly Bill No. 78, entitled

A Further Supplement to "An act for the construction, maintenance and operation of water works for the purpose of supplying cities, towns and villages of this State with water," approved April twenty-first, eighteen hundred and seventy-six,

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 4, entitled

Joint Resolution relative to State war claims,

Were severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and 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, }
Mr. Speaker— 1884. }

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 his Excellency the Governor be requested to return to the Senate

Senate Bill No. 14, entitled

A Supplement to an act relative to the publication of the laws of this State in the newspapers, approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

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

W. A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 206, entitled

An Act to defray the expenses of the special committee on contract convict prison labor,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Bell, Boud, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—51.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 160, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled “An act concerning wards” (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Cadmus, Chapman, Clarke, Dickinson, Flynn, Jenkins, Kelly, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver—19.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Bell, Boud, Budd, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, North, Prall, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Wil-drick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—35.

Assembly Bill No. 224, entitled

Supplement to the act constituting courts for the trial of small causes,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey,

Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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. Armstrong, the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 207, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate elections," approved April eighteenth, eighteen hundred and seventy-six,

Was ordered to a third reading, was reconsidered.

The bill was then read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, ordered to be engrossed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 10, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crime," approved March twenty-seventh, A. D. eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armstrong, Boud, Budd, Campbell, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Haines, Harrison, Jernee, Keasbey, Ludlam, Lupton, Neighbour, North, Rue, See, Stafford, Woodruff—20.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Clarke, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee,

Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Mills, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—34.

Assembly Bill No. 85 entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning certain townships in this State," approved March twenty-third, eighteen hundred and eighty-three,

Was laid over until Wednesday, February 20th.

Assembly Bill No. 153, entitled

An Act to secure to creditors an equal distribution of the assets of insolvent corporations,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, Prall, Robbins, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—50.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 163, entitled

Supplement to an act to establish a system of public instruction,

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Prall, Robbins, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Woodruff—45.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Doremus, Lake, Wildrick, Woodruff—5.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 245, entitled

Supplement to "An act for the preservation of sheep,"

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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. McLaughlin, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No. 60, entitled

An Act to enable incorporated towns to construct water works for the extinguishment of fires and supplying the inhabitants thereof with pure and wholesome water,

Without recommendation.

Assembly Bill No. 236, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and materials in the erecting any building" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Armstrong, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Prall, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Steljes, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—39.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Campbell, Scott—3.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 204, entitled

An Act concerning cities,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Bell, Boud, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Prall, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—47.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Coombs, Jenkins, Keasbey—4.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 180, entitled

An Act to authorize the payment of the sum of five hundred dollars to the paymaster of the First Regiment Infantry, First Brigade National Guards State of New Jersey, for Company A, of said regiment, its appropriation for the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—48.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Campbell—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 246, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning roads," (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 239, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act respecting the court of chancery" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 249, entitled

An Act concerning overseers of the highways,

Assembly Bill No. 265, entitled

An Act to provide for the further relief of poor in cities of the first class,

Assembly Bill No. 218, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning bridges and turnpikes," approved March twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

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

Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 18, entitled

Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning landlords and tenants," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

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

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

Resolved, That 5,000 copies of the report of Joint Committee on Taxation, together with the bills reported by said committee, be printed in pamphlet form for the use of this House.

Assembly Bill No. 229, entitled

An Act to further extend the times before or within the State assessment or other sum required to be paid into the State treasury by virtue of the provisions of the act entitled "An act to increase the revenues of the State of New Jersey," approved March eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine, or any subsequent act, may be paid, and to remit, release and extinguish any conditions, penalties or forfeitures heretofore provided for, incurred or proclaimed by reason of the non-payment of any assessment or sum aforesaid, required by virtue of the provisions of said act,

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Boud, Budd, Cadmus, Campbell, Chatte, Coombs, Dickinson, Haines, Hoffman, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, Prall, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff—30.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Doremus, Fish, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Robbins, Ross, See, Steljes, Wortendyke—24.

Mr. Harrigan moved that

Assembly Bill No. 220, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish just rules for the taxation of railroad corporations, and to induce their acceptance and uniform adoption," approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three,

Be placed on the calendar.

Mr. Neighbour, a member of the committee to which the bill was referred, stated that the bill had not been in hands of the committee.

The clerk was ordered to investigate the matter and report next day.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 251, entitled

An Act to fix the salaries of the bill clerks of the Senate and General Assembly,

Correctly engrossed.

Mr. Fish moved the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 229, entitled

An Act to further extend the times before or within the State assessment or other sum required to be paid into the State treasury by virtue of the provisions of the act entitled "An act to increase the revenues of the State of New Jersey," approved March eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine, or any subsequent act, may be paid, and to remit, release and extinguish any conditions, penalties or forfeitures heretofore provided for, incurred or proclaimed by reason of the non-payment of any assessment or sum aforesaid, required by virtue of the provisions of said act,

Was lost, be reconsidered.

Mr. Burgess moved to lay the motion on the table,

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Cole moved to reconsider the vote by which the motion to reconsider was laid on the table,

Which motion was lost.

Assembly Bill No. 176, entitled

An Act to amend section one of an act entitled "An act relative to the publication of the laws of the State in the newspapers," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

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

On motion of Mr. O'Connor, the House adjourned.

TUESDAY, February 19, 1884.

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

Prayer was offered by the Rev. F. H. Peabody.

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

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills,

Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

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

Assembly Bill No. 274, entitled

An Act in relation to the duties, rights and privileges of real estate agents in this State, and imposing a tax upon them for the privilege of conducting and carrying on such business in this State,

Without recommendation.

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

Assembly Bill No. 252, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to the publication of the laws in the newspapers," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Favorably.

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

Assembly Bill No. 146, entitled

A Supplement to an act relative to officers and commissioners and negotiations,

Favorably, without amendments.

Mr. Savage, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads and Canals, reported

Senate Bill No. 12, entitled

An Act to extend the time of chartered railroad companies, whose time for completing their railroads shall expire in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, when work has been performed on said railroads and money expended thereon,

With amendments,

The amendments to said bill were read and adopted.

Mr. Wildrick, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 299, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning corporations," approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Favorably.

Assembly Bill No. 286, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize the construction and repair of sidewalks in townships," approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

Adversely,

And

Senate Bill No. 21, entitled

An Act to authorize the boards of chosen freeholders in the respective counties of this State to renew matured and maturing bonds,

Senate Bill No. 29, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for preventing the injury of illegal confinement and better securing the liberty of the people,"

Favorably.

The adverse report on

Assembly Bill No. 286, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize the construction and repair of sidewalks in townships," approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

Was sustained.

The Special Joint Committee on the Taxation of Railroads and other Corporations reported the following bills :

Assembly Bill No. 313, entitled

An Act for the taxation of railroads and canals,

Assembly Bill No. 314, entitled

An Act tendering to any railroad or canal company having contract exemptions and privileges with respect to taxation and subject to the option of the State, reserved in the charter of such company, to take its property at a valuation not exceeding cost, a release of said option on surrender of said exemptions and privileges,

Assembly Bill No. 315, entitled

An Act providing for State taxes on railroads, and the more efficient collection thereof, and the supplements thereto,

Which were ordered to take their place on the calendar.

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

Assembly Bill, No. 316, entitled

An Act relating to newspapers,

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. Neighbour (by request), on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 317, entitled

An Act to protect the fresh water lakes and ponds 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. Keasbey, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 318, entitled

An Act relative to the election of constables,

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

Mr. Holzwarth, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 319, entitled

An Act explanatory of section twenty-two of the act entitled "An act relative to public printing," approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

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

Mr. O'Donnell, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 320, entitled

A Supplement to "An act to authorize the formation of railroad corporations and regulate the same," approved April second, 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 Railroads and Canals.

Mr. O'Donnell (by request), on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 321, entitled

An Act to provide for safety attachments for steam railroad cars carrying passengers 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 Railroads and Canals.

Mr. Bell, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 322, entitled

An Act to amend an act relative to the publication of the laws of this State in the newspapers, approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

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

Mr. Scott, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 323, entitled

A Supplement to an act to amend and consolidate the several acts relating to game and game laws, revised and approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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

Mr. Scott, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 324, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to sales of land under a public statute or by virtue of any judicial proceedings," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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

Assembly Bill No. 169, entitled

An Act to provide against the spreading of fire and danger to life and limb, occasioned by unguarded and insufficiently guarded elevator passageways and hoistways in buildings,

Assembly Bill No. 171, entitled

A Supplement to "An act in relation to the powers of commissioners appointed to purchase toll roads in this State," passed April nineteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Assembly Bill No. 264, entitled

An Act concerning the publication of financial statements in cities of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 256, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act incorporating the inhabitants of townships, designating their powers and regulating their meetings,"

Assembly Bill No. 267, entitled

An Act for the support of fire organizations,

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

Mr. Savage, of the Special Joint Committee on Corporation Taxes, reported

Assembly Bill No. 220, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish just rules for the taxation of railroad corporations, and to induce their acceptance and uniform adoption," approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three,

For the purpose of having the same placed on the calendar.

Assembly Bill No. 101, entitled

An Act to repeal the proviso in section one of an act entitled "An act providing for State taxes on railroads and the more efficient collection thereof,"

Assembly Bill No. 211, entitled

An Act regulating lettings in cases where no definite time is fixed,

Assembly Bill No. 230, entitled

An Act concerning the assessment and collection of taxes in fire districts in the townships of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 103, entitled

An Act to repeal "An act explanatory of the proviso of first section of an act providing for State taxes on railroads and the more efficient collection thereof,"

Assembly Bill No. 212, entitled

An Act respecting persons sentenced to be confined in any county jail or penitentiary in this State,

Assembly Bill No. 268, entitled

A Supplement to "An act concerning roads,"

Assembly Bill No. 304, entitled

An Act to amend "An act to establish a system of public instruction" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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

Assembly Bill No. 238, entitled

An Act relative to the fees of the assessors and collectors of taxes of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 183, entitled

An Act to provide for the formation and regulation of co-operative societies of workingmen,

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

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

Assembly Bill No. 301, entitled

An Act concerning terms of office of mayors in the cities of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 300, entitled

An Act concerning the construction of sewers in cities of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 303, entitled

An Act concerning cities,

Assembly Bill No. 269, entitled

An Act concerning cities of the first class,

Favorably.

Senate Bill No. 60, entitled

An Act to enable boroughs of the fourth class to construct water works for the extinguishment of fires and supplying the inhabitants thereof with pure and wholesome water,

Was taken up on second reading, and pending its reading was laid over.

Senate Bill No. 30, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of courts of law," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was taken up on third reading as a special order for the morning.

Mr. Cole moved a call of the House, with the following result :

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

On motion of Mr. Armitage the bill was laid over until the special committee to examine the condition of the Newark Plank Road made their report.

The special committee then made the following report :

To the General Assembly of the State of New Jersey :

Your committee appointed in pursuance of a resolution adopted by this House, on the fourteenth of February, inst., to review the roadway of the Newark Plank Road and Ferry Co., and report its present condition, respectfully submit the following report :

That on Friday, the 15th inst., your committee, at city of Newark, all the members were present, and proceeded to make a personal inspection over the said roadway over the entire route from its terminus at Newark to its terminus at or near Jersey City ; that we find that the roadway now maintained and controlled by the said company, from the point it leaves the city of Newark to the point where it connects with streets of Jersey City, is about three and one-eighth miles in length ; that no part of the said roadway suitable for travel is over eighteen feet in width, and that, for a considerable portion of the way, is not over sixteen feet in width ; that on one side of the center line said company maintains a planked track eight feet wide in good condition ; that this planked track for a part of the distance is on one side of the center line of the said roadway and for a part of the other side of the same ; that those who use the said road

going east or west use the planked track, except when compelled to turn out upon the other side of the road to pass each other; that the other side of the said roadway being about eight feet in width over the entire length, except bridges, is planked, but the planks are much more worn and mostly covered by a mixture of earth and ashes, and that such covering does not make such a roadway as is evidently contemplated by the charter; that in the opinion of your committee the said road is not kept in the condition required by the charter granted to said company.

R. BURGESS,
G. B. HARRISON,
WM. HARRIGAN,

Committee.

On motion of Mr. O'Connor, another call of the House was ordered, with the following result:

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

The bill having been read a third time, was lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Bell, Burgess, Cadmus, Chapman, Cole, Fish, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Scott, Steljes, Woodruff—23.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Boud, Budd, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs,

Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Hoffman, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, See, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—36.

On motion of Mr. Cole, the House adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At 3 o'clock the House met.

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

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Robbins, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 216, entitled

An Act respecting cities in this State and to provide for a more efficient government therein,

Assembly Bill No. 113, entitled

An Act to extend the time for the completion of railroads whose charters shall expire by limitation during the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, where work has been performed on said railroad or money expended thereon,

Assembly Bill No. 248, entitled

Supplement to the "Supplement to 'An act to establish an Agricultural Experiment Station.'"

Assembly Bill No. 242, entitled

An Act entitled "An act to organize and establish a State Board of Agriculture."

Correctly engrossed.

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

Assembly Bill No. 56, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and materials in erecting any building," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, giving to district courts jurisdiction in certain cases arising under said act,

Without recommendation.

Mr. Rich, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 325, entitled

An Act authorizing constables and police officers in towns and townships to serve warrants and other criminal process,

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. Rich, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 326, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act constituting district courts in certain cities in this State," approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-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. Rich, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 327, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act constituting district courts in certain cities in this State," approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven,

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

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

Assembly Bill No. 328, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to preserve the navigation of the rivers and creeks within the State of New Jersey," approved April twentieth, 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 Commerce and Navigation.

Mr. Campbell, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 329, entitled

An Act fixing and establishing the salaries of door-keepers and gallery-keepers of the Senate and House of Assembly,

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

Senate Bill No. 60, entitled

An Act to enable boroughs of the fourth class to construct water-works for the extinguishment of fires and supplying the inhabitants thereof with pure and wholesome water,

Was taken up on its second reading, and laid over temporarily.

Senate Bill No. 59, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the more effectual prevention and detection of crime in the township of Hackensack," approved February twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and sixty-nine,

Was read a second time, and, under suspension of the rules, ordered to have a third reading, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbor, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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. Bell, on leave, introduced,

Assembly Bill No. 330, entitled

An Act to authorize police service in townships,

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

Mr. Chapman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 331, entitled

An Act concerning the appointment of assessors in cities of the first class,

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

Assembly Bill No. 216, entitled

An Act respecting cities in this State, and to provide for a more efficient government therein,

Was taken up on third reading.

On motion of McLaughlin, the House was called, with the following result:

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

The bill having been read a third time by title, was passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Boud, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Larison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—31.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Campbell, Carson, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rue, See, Stafford, Weaver—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.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 71, entitled

An Act concerning cities in this State,

Were read and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Bell, Boud, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Holzwarth, Irons, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—37.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Cole, Lehlbach, Stafford—4.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
February 19th, 1884. }

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. 134, entitled

An Act relative to the abatement of nuisances by boards of health in cities of the first class in this State,

Senate Bill No. 131, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning judgments" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Bill No. 135, entitled

A Supplement to "An act respecting proceedings in criminal cases" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Bill No. 140, entitled

An Act regulating billiard and pool rooms in this State,

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

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The message was taken up, and the Senate bills severally read a first time by their titles, and ordered to have a second reading, and referred to their appropriate committees.

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

	STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
	SENATE CHAMBER,	
<i>Mr. Speaker—</i>	February 19th, 1884.	

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

Assembly Bill No. 61, entitled

An Act to abolish and prohibit the employment under contract of convicts and inmates of prisons, jails, penitentiaries, and all public reformatory institutions in the State of New Jersey,

Assembly Bill No. 181, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning corporations" (Revision), approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Severally without amendments,

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

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Said bills having passed both Houses, were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills, with the following certificate endorsed on the same:

"I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

HENRY D. WINTON,

Clerk."

Mr. Chapman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 332, entitled

An Act to repeal "An act to secure the performance of contracts for city improvements within the time required by such contracts," approved February eighth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

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

Mr. Burgess, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 333, entitled

An Act to alter and amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Newark Plank Road and Ferry Company," approved February twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act,

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

Mr. See, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 334, entitled

An Act to abolish distress for rent,

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

Assembly Bill No. 107, entitled

An Act to authorize thief detecting societies to exercise police powers,

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote:

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Boud, Budd, Byrnes, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Coombs, Doremus, Haines, Hough, Irons, Larison, Ludlam, Neighbour, Ross, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff—25.

In the negative—were.

Messrs. Alcott, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Cadmus, Carson, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Fish, Flynn, Holzwarth, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Weaver, Wortendyke—24.

Assembly Bill No. 251, entitled

An Act to fix the salaries of the bill clerks of the Senate and General Assembly,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Dore-

mus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Rue, Scott, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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. McLaughlin, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No. 64, entitled

An Act concerning a division of wards in cities of the third class in this State,

With amendments,

Which amendments were adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 113, entitled

An Act to extend the time for the completion of railroads whose charters shall expire by limitation during the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, where work has been performed on said railroad or money expended thereon,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Boud, Budd, Byrnes, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Doremus, Haines, Harrigan, Irons, Kelly, Lake, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, Scott, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—34.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Bell, Burgess, Cole, Dickinson, Fish, Holzwarth, Keasbey, Lehlbach, O'Connor, See—10.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 127, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize cities in this State to issue and dispose of water bonds or water scrip to renew certain water bonds or water scrip," approved January thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Was taken up on its second reading and laid over temporarily.

Mr. Cole presented the following communication :

CLERK'S OFFICE BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS, }
Jersey City, February 14th, 1884. }

The following is a copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Public Works, at its meeting, held February 11th, 1884, and approved by his Honor the Mayor.

Very respectfully,
GEO. E. BOUTON,
Clerk pro tem.

Resolved, That the Senate and members of Assembly from Jersey City be and are hereby requested to amend the act entitled "An act to authorize cities in this State to issue and dispose of water bonds or water scrip to renew certain water bonds or water scrip," to read "all not less than par."

Assembly Bill No. 278, entitled

An Act authorizing aqueduct boards of cities of the first class to issue bonds for the payment of indebtedness, and for the construction, extension and maintenance of water works,

Was taken up on second reading, and, on motion of Mr. Flynn, laid over until next Thursday.

Assembly Bill No. 127, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize cities in this State to issue and dispose of water bonds or water scrip to renew certain water bonds or water scrip," approved January thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Was again taken up on second reading, amended, ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Cole, the House adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, February 20th, 1884.

At 10 o'clock the House met.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Walker.

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

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbách, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

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

Assembly Bill No. 289, entitled

An Act to regulate, the making of contracts for public use or improvements,

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1, entitled

Concurrent Resolution proposing amendments to the constitution,

Senate Bill No. 49, entitled

An Amendment to "An act to prevent rending, using or exploding of guns, pistols, toy pistols or other fire-arms to or by persons under the age of fifteen years in this State,"

Senate Bill No. 57, entitled

An Act concerning recognizances in criminal cases,

Senate Bill No. 58, entitled

An Act to quiet litigation,

Senate Bill No. 76, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act relating to sales of lands under a public statute, or by virtue of any judicial proceedings" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Bill No. 10, 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 March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Bill No. 15, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Bill No. 37, entitled

An Act to facilitate the giving of security on official and other bonds,

Favorably,

And

Assembly Bill No. 219, entitled

An Act to fix the assessment for licenses for inns and taverns, and for the sale of vinous, spirituous and other liquors by the popular vote,

Assembly Bill No. 221, entitled

A Supplement to "An act concerning inns and taverns" (Revision), approved April seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 275, entitled

A Supplement to an act concerning inns and taverns,

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1, entitled

Concurrent Resolution proposing amendments to the constitution,

Senate Bill No. 65, entitled

An Act granting to boroughs and towns the right to license inns, taverns and saloons,

Without recommendation,

And

Assembly Bill No. 285, entitled

An act concerning marriages,

Assembly Bill No. 312, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning township and township officers,' approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,"

Adversely,

Which adverse reports were sustained.

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

Resolved, That Assembly Joint Resolution No. 3, with the proposed amendments to the constitution, be reprinted with the amendments reported by the Judiciary Committee.

Mr. Harrison, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 335, entitled

An Act relating to the adulteration of food and drugs,

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

Mr. Lake, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 336, entitled

An Act regarding usury and interest,

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. Prall, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 337, entitled

A Supplement to "An act concerning juries," 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. Robbins, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 338, entitled

An Act concerning inns and taverns,

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

Senate Bill No. 12, entitled

An Act to extend the time of chartered railroad companies whose time for completing their railroads shall expire in the year one-thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, when work has been performed on said railroads and money expended thereon,

Was amended, ordered to be re-engrossed, and have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 106, entitled

An Act for the relief of Edmund Teel,

Was read a second time and ordered to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 60, entitled

An Act to enable boroughs of the fourth class to construct water works for the extinguishment of fires and supplying the inhabitants thereof with pure and wholesome water,

Was read a second time, amended, and ordered to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 72, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning corporations," approved April seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-five,

Was read a second time and ordered to have a third reading.

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

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That his Excellency be requested to return to this House of Assembly, in which it originated, Assembly Bill No. 62, entitled "An act to provide for the publication of the Manual of the Legislature of New Jersey."

Mr. Neighbour offered the following resolution :

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That a joint meeting of the two Houses of the Legislature be held in the Assembly Chamber at 12 o'clock noon, on Wednesday, the 27th day of February, inst., for the election of such officers as it is proper for said joint meeting to elect.

Mr. Rich called for ayes and noes, which call was sustained.

Upon calling of the roll, the resolution was adopted by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Boud, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Doremus, Flynn, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—38.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Bell, Burgess, Carson, Dickinson, Harrison, Hoffman, Jenkins, Keasbey, Mills, Rue, See, Weaver, Woodruff—15.

Assembly Bill No. 155, entitled

An act to amend an act entitled "An act respecting the salaries and compensations of clerks of counties in this State," approved March eleventh, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrison, Hoffman, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—45.

In the negative—none.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 5, entitled

Joint Resolution for the passage in Congress of a national marriage and divorce act,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Larison, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rue, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—43.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Flynn, Ludlam—2.

Mr. Savage offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted, after having been amended on motion of Mr. Cole:

Resolved, That the House go into Committee of the Whole on Tuesday, February 26th, P. M., to consider House Bill No. 253, and the bills presented by the joint committee relative to taxes on corporations.

Senate Bill No. 75, entitled

An Act concerning the payment of taxes in cities of this State,

Was read a second time, and ordered 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,
Mr. Speaker— February 20th, 1884. }

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

Assembly Bill No. 64, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the classification of cities," etc.,

With amendments,

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

W. A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The amendments were read, and bill ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 265, entitled

An Act to provide for the further relief of poor in cities of the first class,

Assembly Bill No. 264, entitled

An Act concerning the publication of financial statements in cities of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 256, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act incorporating the inhabitants of townships, designating their powers and regulating their meetings,"

Assembly Bill No. 249, entitled

An Act concerning overseers of the highways,

Assembly Bill No. 218, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning bridges and turnpikes," approved March twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 207, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate elections," approved April eighteen, eighteen hundred and seventy-six,

Assembly Bill No. 190, entitled

An Act in relation to railroad corporations leasing their road or any part thereof,

Assembly Bill No. 189, entitled

An Act to amend the fourteenth section of an act entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the organization of the National Guard of the State of New Jersey,' approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine," and the various amendments thereto,

Assembly Bill No. 169, entitled

An Act to provide against the spreading of fire and danger to life and limb occasioned by unguarded and insufficiently guarded elevator passageways and hoistways in buildings,

Assembly Bill No. 95, entitled

An Act in relation to plank roads, turnpikes or toll roads,

Assembly Bill No. 103, entitled

An Act to repeal "An act explanatory of the proviso of first section of an act providing for State taxes on railroads and the more efficient collection thereof,"

Assembly Bill No. 78, entitled

A Further Supplement to "An act for the construction, maintenance and operation of water-works for the purpose of supplying cities, towns and villages of this State with water," approved April twenty-first, eighteen hundred and seventy-six,

Assembly Bill No. 33, entitled

A Further Supplement to "An act relative to sales of lands under a public statute or by virtue of any legal proceeding" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 18, entitled

Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning landlords and tenants," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 183, entitled

An Act to provide for the formation and regulation of co-operative societies of workingmen,

Assembly Bill No. 238, entitled

An Act relative to the fees of the assessors and collectors of taxes of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 175, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "A further supplement to an act concerning corporations,"

Assembly Bill No. 276, entitled

An Act to repeal section five of an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning taxes,'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Correctly engrossed.

Mr. Jernee offered the following resolution, which was read and lost:

Resolved, That the Attorney-General be requested to furnish to the House of Assembly an opinion as to the constitutionality of Assembly Bills Nos. 125 and 273.

Assembly Bill No. 110, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act to revise and amend the charter of the city of Elizabeth,' approved March three, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three," which supplement was approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy,

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Chapman, Clarke, Dickinson, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Mills, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick—29.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Boud, Budd, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Doremus, Harrison, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, Neighbour, North, Rue, See, Woodruff, Wortendyke—26.

Mr. Jenkins moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was lost.

Mr. Harrigan moved to lay the motion on the table.

Mr. Jenkins called for ayes and noes ; the call was sustained, and the motion to lay on table agreed to the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, O'Con-

nor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wil-drick—36.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Boud, Budd, Campbell, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Harrison, Jenkins, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, North, See, Stafford, Wood-ruff, Wortendyke—20.

On leave, Mr. Chapman withdrew

Assembly Bill No. 52, entitled

An Act concerning taxes,

And substituted

Assembly Bill No. 340, entitled

An Act concerning the collection of taxes in cities of this State and to authorize actions at law therefor,

In its place,

Which was agreed to.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 64, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the classification of cities," etc.,

Were read a first time and ordered to have a second reading.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 4,

Relative to the State war claims,

Assembly Bill No. 171, entitled

A Supplement to "An act in relation to the powers of commissioners appointed to purchase toll roads in this State," passed April nineteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Correctly engrossed.

Mr. Flynn, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 339, entitled

An Act authorizing the re-issue of municipal bonds 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 Municipal Corporations.

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

Assembly Bill No. 272, entitled

An Act to authorize the appointment of fire wardens,

And

Senate Bill No. 105, entitled

An Act amending "An act to provide for the purchase, construction and maintenance of public parks by the cities and other municipalities in this State," approved March fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Favorably.

Mr. Chapman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 340, entitled

Act Act concerning the collection of taxes in cities of this State and to authorize actions at law therefor,

Assembly Bill No. 341, entitled

An Act concerning cities of this State,

Which were read for the first time by their title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations, and the bills ordered printed before reported.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
February 20th, 1884. }
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. 25, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the organization of the National Guard of New Jersey," approved March 9, 1869, and the various amendments thereto,

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

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The message was taken up, and the Senate bill read a first time by its title, and ordered to have a second reading, and referred to its appropriate committee.

The Committee on Woman Suffrage reported by

Joint Resolution No. 7,

Proposing amendment to the State constitution.

The report was read, and, on motion of Mr. Cole, accepted.

The special committee appointed to investigate certain charges made in the *Philadelphia Press*, reported as follows:

Hon. A. B. Stoney, Speaker of the House of Assembly:

SIR—Your special committee appointed to investigate charges made by the *Philadelphia Press*, a newspaper published in Philadelphia, touching the character and reputation of the members

of the House, respectfully report that they have examined Mr. Hutchinson, the Trenton representative of said newspaper, and he acknowledges the authorship of said article, but refuses to disclose the name of his informant. Your committee would therefore respectfully recommend that the article in question, together with the evidence taken by your committee, be forwarded by the Clerk of this House to the Prosecutor of the Pleas of Mercer county, to be by him submitted to the grand inquest of of the county for proper judicial inquiry.

AUGUSTUS RICH,
WILLIAM PRALL,
FRANK O. COLE,

Committee.

Mr. Armitage, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 342, entitled

An Act to promote purity in legislation,

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

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 186, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act to secure to creditors an equal and just division of the estates of debtors who convey to assignees for the benefit of creditors" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Were read and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Campbell, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff—40.

In the negative—none.

Assembly Bill No. 171, entitled

A Supplement to "An act in relation to the powers of commissioners appointed to purchase toll roads in this State," passed April nineteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Was taken up on third reading, and laid over until Monday.

The vote laying the bill over was then reconsidered.

The vote ordering the bill to a third reading was also reconsidered, on motion of Mr. Flynn.

The bill was then amended, ordered to be re-engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 120, entitled

A Further Supplement respecting railroads and canals,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff—44.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Boud—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Sentate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 183, entitled

An Act to provide for the formation and regulation of co-operative societies of workingmen,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rue, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—42.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 207, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled “An act to regulate elections,” approved April eighteen, eighteen hundred and seventy-six,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armstrong, Boud, Byrnes, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Keasbey, Kelly, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Rich, Ross, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Woodruff, Wortendyke—32.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Harrison, Larison—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. Mills, the vote ordering

Assembly Bill No. 23, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act appointing commissioners for a sinking fund and defining their duties," approved March twenty-fifth, eighteen hundred and sixty-four,

To a third reading was reconsidered, the preamble stricken out, and the bill ordered to be re-engrossed and have a third reading.

On motion of Mr. O'Connor,

Assembly Bill No. 238, entitled

An Act relative to the fees of the assessors and collectors of taxes of this State,

Was recommitted.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 1, entitled

Joint Resolution relative to the planting of forest trees,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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. Neighbour, the House adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At 3 o'clock the House met.

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

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbor, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Mr. Neighbour, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 343, entitled

An Act to regulate the manner of selecting grand juries in the several counties of this State,

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

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

Assembly Bill No. 344, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act constituting district courts in certain cities in this State," approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven,

And

Assembly Bill No. 345, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act constituting district courts in certain cities in this State," approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven,

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

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

Assembly Bill No. 346, entitled

An Act to repeal an act for the better protection of manufacturers and bottlers of and dealers in mineral waters, beer, ale, porter, etc., approved March eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one,

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

Mr. Chapman, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Bill No. 188, entitled

An Act to provide for State taxes on telegraph, telephone, electric light, horse railroad, express, life insurance and petroleum oil or pipe line companies and for the efficient collection thereof,

With amendments.

Mr. Savage, Chairman of the Committee on Fisheries, reported

Assembly Bill No. 291, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to further define the duties of the fish commissioners of the State of New Jersey,"

Senate Bill No. 28, entitled

A Supplement to 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,"

Favorably.

Mr. Armitage, of the Committee on Elections, reported

Assembly Bill No. 318, entitled

An Act relative to the election of constables,

Assembly Bill No. 342, entitled

An Act to promote purity in legislation,

Senate Bill No. 107, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections," approved April eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Favorably.

Mr. Chapman, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Bill No. 119, entitled

An Act for the relief of William A. Ripley et als.,

Without recommendation.

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

Assembly Bill No. 297, entitled

An Act to defray the expense of a special committee of the Legislature,

Without recommendation.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 98, entitled

An Act to prevent the laying of pipes for carrying oil, called pipe lines, across the fresh water streams of the State, and to cause the removal of those already laid,

Correctly engrossed.

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

Assembly Bill No. 247, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning juries" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 319, entitled

An Act explanatory of section twenty-two of the act entitled "An act relative to public printing," approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Assembly Bill No. 302, entitled

An Act concerning the purchase of medicines for the poor in cities of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 316, entitled

An Act relating to newspapers,

Assembly Bill No. 288, entitled

Supplement to an act to fix the salaries of the officers of the Senate and General Assembly of N. J.,

Favorably,

And

Assembly Bill No. 132, entitled

An Act entitled "An act to amend section two of a supplement to an act to partially consolidate the several game laws of this State, chapter sixteen," approved February eighth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Assembly Bill No. 205, entitled

An Act extending powers of health or sanitary inspectors,

Assembly Bill No. 310, entitled

An Act to exempt hospitals from taxes and water rents,

Assembly Bill No. 290, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further act concerning taxes,' making the same a first lien on real estate," etc.,

With amendments.

The amendments made in the committee were concurred in.

Mr. Cole moved to go into Committee of the Whole on

Assembly Bill No. 98, entitled

An Act to prevent the laying of pipes for carrying oil, called pipe lines, across the fresh water streams of the State, and to cause the removal of those already laid,

In accordance with a resolution to that effect adopted Thursday last.

Mr. Chapman was called to the chair.

The Clerk of the House acted as clerk of the committee.

Argument was then heard for and against the bill.

The committee then arose and reported the bill which was placed on the calendar.

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

Resolved, That a committee of five be appointed to investigate the condition of the pipes of the Standard Oil Company and the condition of the surrounding property, and to collect such information as will enable the House to act advisedly in the pending matter.

Mr. Fish offered the following amendment, which was accepted :

Strike out "five," and insert "fifteen."

Mr. Cole moved to strike out the figures "fifteen," and insert "sixty."

Mr. Boud moved to lay the resolution on the table,

Which was agreed to.

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

Resolved, That when we adjourn it be to meet at 8 o'clock this evening.

The vote by which the above resolution was adopted was reconsidered, by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Boud, Branning Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Rue, Savage, See, Stafford, Woodruff—36.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Bell, Campbell, Coombs, Fish, Holzwarth, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Prall, Ross, Scott, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—16.

On motion of Mr. Cole, the resolution was then laid on the table.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
Mr. Speaker— February 20th, 1884. }

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

Senate Bill No. 2, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to limit the age and employment hours of labor of children, minors and women, and to appoint an inspector for the enforcement of the same," approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Senate Bill No. 113, entitled

An Act authorizing the collection of tolls on certain bridges,

Senate Bill No. 111, entitled

An Act to regulate the fees for licenses to keep inns and taverns or victualing houses, and to sell vinous, spirituous or malt liquors at retail in cities of the second class,

Senate Bill No. 22, entitled

An Act to prohibit fishing by steamers and other vessels with shirred or purse seines in any of the waters within the jurisdiction of the State of New Jersey,

Senate Bill No. 143, entitled

An Act to provide means to increase the fish productions in the waters of this State,

Senate Bill No. 150, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning corporations," approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Senate Bill No. 155, entitled

An Act authorizing the president or law judge of the courts of common pleas, courts of general quarter sessions of the peace, and special sessions in counties of the first class in this State to employ a stenographer,

Senate Bill No. 142, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The message was taken up, and the Senate bills severally read a first time by their titles, and ordered to have a second reading, and referred to their appropriate committees.

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

	STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
	SENATE CHAMBER,	
<i>Mr. Speaker—</i>	February 20th, 1884.	

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

Assembly Bill No. 6, entitled

An Act to authorize neighboring cities to improve connecting principal streets so as to form continuous thoroughfares,

Assembly Bill No. 197, entitled

An Act exempting from taxation persons who served in the military or naval forces of the United States during the late war,

With amendments,

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

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The amendments were read and adopted and bills ordered re-engrossed.

On motion of Mr. Neighbour, the House adjourned.

THURSDAY, February 21st, 1884.

At 10 o'clock the House met.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Peabody.

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

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

A petition was presented by Mr. Irons protesting against the passage of the bill prohibiting the fishing with seines in Manasquan river, which was read, and referred to the Committee on Fisheries.

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

Assembly Bill No. 257, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to increase the powers of township committees," approved March eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty,

Assembly Bill No. 277, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 311, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting conveyances," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 322, entitled

An Act to amend "An act relative to the publication of the laws of this State in the newspapers," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Assembly Bill No. 323, entitled

A Supplement to an act to amend and consolidate the several acts relating to game and game laws, revised and approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 325, entitled

An Act authorizing constables and police officers in towns and townships to serve warrants and other criminal process,

Assembly Bill No. 317, entitled

An Act to protect the fresh water lakes and ponds of this State,

Favorably.

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

Senate Bill No. 78, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning juries," approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Bill No. 79, entitled

A Further Supplement to "An act concerning inns and taverns," approved April seventeenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Senate Bill No. 90, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the settlement and relief of the poor,"

Senate Bill No. 110, entitled

"An Act to amend the act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of courts of law,"

Senate Bill No. 116, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the relief of persons imprisoned on civil process," approved March 27th, 1874,

Senate Bill No. 131, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning judgments" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Favorably,

And

Assembly Bill No. 293, entitled

An Act for the protection of employes,

Assembly Bill No. 330, entitled

An Act to authorize police service in townships,

With amendments ;

Also,

Senate Bill No. 74, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Bill No. 6, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to compel the determination of claims to real estate in certain cases and to quiet the title to the same," approved March second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy,

With amendments.

Mr. Wildrick, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No. 113, entitled

An Act authorizing the collection of tolls on certain bridges,

Senate Bill No. 150, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning corporations," approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Favorably.

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

Assembly Bill No. 63, entitled

An Act to repeal "An act constituting district courts,"

Adversely,

Which adverse report was sustained.

Mr.°Savage, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads and Canals, reported

Assembly Bill No. 75, entitled

An Act to provide for the better protection of life and limb on all railroads carrying passengers in this State,

Unfavorably.

The following message was received from the Governor :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Trenton, Feb. 21st, 1884. }

Hon. A. B. Stoney, Speaker of the House of Assembly:

SIR—I return herewith, as requested by the House of Assembly,

Assembly Bill No. 62, entitled

An Act to provide for the publication of the "Manual of the Legislature of New Jersey."

Respectfully,

LEON ABBETT,

Governor.

Mr. Doremus offered the following resolution; which was read :

WHEREAS, Much valuable time has been taken and virtually lost, when this House goes into Committee of the Whole, by prolonged debate by parties who are not members,

Resolved, That hereafter no persons shall be allowed to debate upon the floor of this House except members of this House.

On motion of Mr. Armstrong, the Speaker ruled the resolution out of order.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 4, entitled

Joint Resolution relative to the State war claims,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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. Cole offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the Sergeant-at-Arms be directed to procure 600 copies of Manual of the New Jersey Legislature of the One Hundred and Eighth Session, for the use of the House of Assembly, as provided for in Assembly Bill No. 62, which awaits the approval of the Governor.

Mr. Byrnes, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 347 entitled

An Act validating defective conveyances,

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

Mr. Rich, on leave introduced

Assembly Bill No. 348, entitled

An Act to validate and render more effective ordinances of boards of health and vital statistics of the several 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 Revision of Laws.

Mr. Neighbour offered the following amendment to the rules, which was laid over one day:

Amendment to the rules of the House of Assembly: Add to Rule 40, "No person, not a member of the House, shall address the Committee of the Whole House, except the consent of the committee, by a two-thirds vote, shall first be obtained."

On leave, Mr. Burgess withdrew

Assembly Bill No. 333, entitled

An Act to alter and amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Newark Plank Road and Ferry Company," approved February twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act,

And substituted therefor,

Assembly Bill No. 349, entitled

An Act regulating toll roads, turnpike and plank road companies 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.

Assembly Bill No. 278, entitled

An Act authorizing aqueduct boards of cities of the first class to issue bonds for the payment of indebtedness, and for the construction, extension and maintainance of water works,

Senate Bill No. 21, entitled

An Act to authorize the boards of chosen freeholders in the respective counties of this State to renew matured and maturing bonds,

Assembly Bill No. 1, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate and regulate telegraph companies" (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Assembly Bill No. 259, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act for the organization of the National Guard of the State of New Jersey," approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine,

Assembly Bill No. 172, entitled

An Act to authorize the establishment of free public libraries in the cities of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 188, entitled

An Act to provide for State taxes on telegraph, telephone, electric light, horse railroad, express, life insurance and petroleum oil or pipe line companies, and for the efficient collection thereof,

Assembly Bill No. 172, entitled

An Act to authorize the establishment of free public libraries in the cities of this State,

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

Mr. Armitage asked consent of the House to withdraw
Assembly Bill No. 31, entitled

An Act to annex to Essex county a part of Hudson county,
Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Campbell, on leave, withdrew
Assembly Bill No. 329, entitled

An Act fixing and establishing the salaries of door-keepers and
gallery-keepers of the Senate and House of Assembly,

And substituted therefor

Assembly Bill No. 350, entitled

An Act to fix the duties of the door-keepers and gallery-
keepers of the Senate and General Assembly.

Assembly Bill No. 260, entitled

An Act in regard to the numbering of houses in cities,

Assembly Bill No. 279, entitled

An Act in relation to the hours of labor of the drivers and
conductors of horse cars,

Assembly Bill No. 226, entitled

An Act to authorize the amendment and re-institution of
defective or illegal proceedings for laying out, opening, altering
or closing streets and avenues in incorporated boroughs, towns
and villages and assessments on account thereof,

Assembly Bill No. 164, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the collection of
demands against ships, steamboats and other vessels," approved
March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven,

Assembly Bill No. 263, entitled

An Act to prevent the pollution of the waters of this State,

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

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

Assembly Bill No. 273, entitled

An Act concerning certain administrative departments of government of cities of the second class,

With amendments, favorably.

Mr. McLaughlin moved to reconsider the vote by which the resolution was adopted to go into a Committee of the Whole, February 26th, to consider

Assembly Bill No. 253, entitled

An Act providing for State and municipal taxes on certain corporations, and the collection thereof,

And other bills presented by the Joint Committee on Taxation of Corporations,

Which was not agreed to, by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Boud, Branning, Budd, Caminade, Chattle, Doremus, Hoffman, Irons, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—23.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, Lupton, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, See, Steljes, Weaver—33.

Assembly Bill No. 265, entitled

An Act to provide for the further relief of poor in cities of the first class,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke
—54.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Cole—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. Armstrong offered the following resolution, which was read and laid on the table:

Resolved, That when this house adjourn it be to meet at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Assembly Bill No. 242, entitled

An Act entitled "An act to organize and establish a State Board of Agriculture,"

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—56.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 248, entitled

Supplement to the "Supplement to 'An act to establish an Agricultural Experiment Station,'"

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—57.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 125, entitled

An Act concerning certain administrative departments of government of cities of the second class,

Assembly Bill No. 273, entitled

An Act concerning certain administrative departments of government of cities of the second class,

On motion of Mr. Carson, were recommitted.

On motion of Mr. Neighbour, the House adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At 3 o'clock the House met.

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

Messrs. Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

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

Assembly Bill No. 234, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of the State" (Revision), approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Without recommendation.

Assembly Bill No. 176, entitled

An Act to amend section one of an act entitled "An act relative to the publication of the laws of the State in the newspapers," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Senate Bill No. 56, entitled

An Act to amend an act approved March nineteenth, eighteen hundred and eighty-three, entitled "An act amending 'An act respecting county jails,' approved April twenty-first, eighteen hundred and seventy-six,"

Adversely.

Which adverse report was sustained.

Mr. Keasbey, a member of the committee, dissented from said report, and recommended that the bills be placed on the calendar.

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

Assembly Bill No. 308, entitled

An Act authorizing township committees to discharge the duties of overseers of roads in certain cases,

Favorably.

Assembly Bill No. 309, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of the State" (Revision), approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Without recommendation.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

House amendments to

Senate Bill No. 60, entitled

An Act to enable boroughs of the fourth class to construct water works for the extinguishment of fires and supplying the inhabitants thereof with pure and wholesome water,

Correctly engrossed.

Mr. Savage, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 351, entitled

An Act entitled "An act to prevent unjust discrimination in telegraph rates in New Jersey,"

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

Mr. Burgess, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 352, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to prevent the spread of glanders in horses," approved March thirty-first, 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 Judiciary, when appointed.

Mr. Chapman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 353, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act concerning the protection of the public health and the record of vital facts and statistics relating thereto, approved March eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, 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. Flynn, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 354, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act respecting circuit courts in the several 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 Revision of Laws.

Mr. Keasbey, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 355, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice in the courts of law," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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

Mr. Kelly, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 356, entitled

An Act concerning the taxation of certain corporations 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. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 259, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act for the organization of the National Guard of the State of New Jersey," approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine,

Correctly engrossed.

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

Resolved, That when the House adjourn, it adjourn to meet on Friday morning next, at ten o'clock, and that it then adjourn to meet at eight o'clock P. M. on Monday, February 25th, 1884.

Mr. Rich offered the following substitute, which was read and adopted by the following vote :

Resolved, That when this House adjourn, it be to meet again at eight o'clock this evening.

The substitute was adopted by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Bell, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, See, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—35.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Boud, Branning, Campbell, Carson, Cole, Flynn, Harrison, Hoffman, Hough, Kelly, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Woodruff—21.

Senate Bill No. 106, entitled

An Act for the relief of Edmund Teel,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson,

Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—52.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Branning, Cadmus, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lup-ton, Prall—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.

A message was received from the Governor at the hands of his Private Secretary, Willard Fisk, transmitting to the House the following report:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Trenton, Feb. 21st, 1884. }

Mr. Speaker—

I have this day approved and signed the following bills which originated in the House of Assembly, and have delivered the same to the Secretary of State, to be filed in his office:

Assembly Bill No. 73, entitled

An Act to define the term "Homœopathic," when applied to physicians,

Assembly Bill No. 87, entitled

An Act for the protection of dairymen, and to prevent deception in sales of butter,

Assembly Bill No. 71, entitled

An Act concerning cities in this State,

Assembly Bill No. 181, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning corporations" (Revision), approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Assembly Bill No. 61, entitled

An Act to abolish and prohibit the employment under contract of convicts and inmates of prisons, jails, penitentiaries, and all public reformatory institutions in the State of New Jersey,

Assembly Bill No. 197, entitled

An Act exempting from taxation persons who served in the military or naval forces of the United States during the late war,

Assembly Bill No. 186, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act to secure to creditors an equal and just division of the estates of debtors who convey to assignees for the benefit of creditors" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

LEON ABBETT,

Governor.

Mr. Doremus moved to reconsider the vote by which

Senate Bill No. 12, entitled

An Act to extend the time of chartered railroad companies whose time for completing their railroads shall expire in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, when work has been performed on said railroads and money expended thereon,

Was ordered to a third reading,

Which was not agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 60, entitled

An Act to enable incorporated towns to construct water works for the extinguishment of fires and supplying the inhabitants thereof with pure and wholesome water,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff—42.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Lehlbach, O'Connor—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.

Senate Bill No. 65, entitled

An Act granting to boroughs and towns the right to license inns, taverns and saloons,

Was taken up on second reading and laid over.

Assembly Bill No. 33, entitled

A Further Supplement to "An act relative to sales of lands under a public statute, or by virtue of any legal proceeding" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall,

Rich, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—50.

In the negative—none.

Assembly Bill No. 276, entitled

An Act to repeal section five of an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning taxes,'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Was read a third time.

Mr. Cole moved to strike out the enacting clause,

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Fish moved to reconsider the vote by which

Senate Bill No. 60, entitled

An act to enable incorporated towns to construct water works for the extinguishment of fires and supplying the inhabitants thereof with pure and wholesome water,

Was passed,

Which motion was lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Bell, Byrnes, Carson, Dickinson, Fish, Flynn, Harri-
gan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach,
Neighbour, O'Connor, Rich, See—16.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Boud, Bran-
ning, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Cole,
Coombs, Doremus, Hough, Irons, Kelly, Larison, Lud-
lam, North, O'Donnell, Ross, Rue, Scott, Stafford,
Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff,
Wortendyke—30.

On motion of Mr. Ross, the House adjourned.

THURSDAY EVENING, February 21st, 1884.

At 8 o'clock the House met.

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

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, North, Rich, Ross, Rue, Savage, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke.

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

Assembly Bill No. 348, entitled

"An Act to validate and render more effective ordinances of boards of health and vital statistics of the several counties of this State,

Favorably,

And

Assembly Bill No. 355, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice in the courts of law," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

With amendments.

Assembly Bill No. 203, entitled

A Bill to define insurance brokers and their liabilities,

Was read a third time, and returned to Committee on Engrossed Bills for correction.

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

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

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 246, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning roads" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Correctly engrossed.

Mr. Chapman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 357, entitled

An Act to amend an act 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' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four," which said supplement was approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

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

Assembly Bill No. 143, entitled

A Supplement to an act to regulate fisheries,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, North, Rich, Ross, Rue, Savage, See, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—38.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 249, entitled

An Act concerning overseers of the highways,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Rich, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker)—31.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Boud, Lake, Ludlam, North, Ross, See, Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—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. Lake, the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 81, entitled

An Act to provide for the election of road overseers in their respective districts,

Was ordered to a third reading, was reconsidered.

Mr. Lake offered the following amendment, which was lost :

Amendment to Assembly Bill No. 81: Add to section 3, and any person interfering with the work of the overseer shall be liable to a penalty of twenty dollars, with costs, for each offense, to be sued for and recovered by such overseer in an action of debt; such penalty shall be applied in working the road of which he is overseer.

The bill was again ordered to a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 246, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning roads" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, North, Rich, Scott, See, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker)—25.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Boud, Caminade, Chapman, Clarke, Larison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Ross, Rue, Savage, Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—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.

Assembly Bill No. 269, entitled

An Act concerning cities of the first class,

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

Assembly Bill No. 85, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning certain townships in this State," approved March twenty-third, eighteen hundred and eighty-three,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, North, Rich, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—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. Chattle, the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 218, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning bridges and turnpikes," approved March twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

Was ordered to a third reading, was reconsidered, and the bill laid over.

Assembly Bill No. 18, entitled

Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning landlords and tenants," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was read a third time, and laid over until Monday evening.

Assembly Bill No. 169, entitled

An Act to provide against the spreading of fire and danger to life and limb occasioned by unguarded and insufficiently guarded elevator passageways and hoistways in buildings,

Was laid over until Monday.

Assembly Bill No. 189, entitled

An Act to amend the fourteenth section of an act entitled "Supplement to an act entitled, 'An act for the organization of the National Guard of the State of New Jersey,' approved March nine, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine," and the various amendments thereto,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Holzwarth, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, North, Rich, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wil-drick, Wortendyke—38.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Campbell—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. Savage moved to reconsider the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 246, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning roads" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was lost.

On motion of Mr. Rich, the motion was laid on the table.

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

Resolved, That 600 copies of the Manuals be distributed as follows : to each member 9 copies ; to the Clerk, Reading Clerk, Journal Clerk, Sergeant-at-Arms, and Speaker's Secretary, each 5 ; to the Assistant Engrossing Clerk and Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms, each 4 copies ; to each Door-keeper, Bill and Document Clerk and Gallery-keeper, 2 copies each, and to each Page one copy.

Assembly Bill No. 250, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act for rendering the proceedings upon information in the nature of a quo warranto more speedy and effectual," passed March seventeen, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five,

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

Assembly Bill No. 210, entitled

An Act for the protection of storage or warehouse-keepers or owners,

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

Assembly Bill No. 184, entitled

An Act to authorize the boards of councilmen of incorporated towns in this State to license, regulate and prohibit the sale of malt, spirituous, vinous and other liquors,

Was read a second time, and laid over until next Monday.

Assembly Bill No. 228, entitled

An Act to regulate fees and expenses of constables in criminal cases,

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

Assembly Bill No. 133, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the better protection of sheriffs," approved March sixth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine,

Was taken up on second reading.

Mr Armstrong offered the following amendment, which was lost:

Insert after the word "same," in line 10, "in the same manner judgments at law are now satisfied of record."

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

Mr. Alcott moved the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 249, entitled

An Act concerning overseers of the highways,

Was passed, be reconsidered,

Which was agreed to by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, North, Rich, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—41.

In the negative—none.

The vote by which the bill was ordered to third reading, was reconsidered, and ordered engrossed.

Assembly Bill No. 146, entitled

A Supplement to an act relative to officers and commissioners and negotiations,

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

Senate Bill No. 30, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of courts of law," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was taken up on second reading, and ordered to third reading.

Senate Bill No. 75, entitled

An Act concerning the payment of taxes in cities of this State,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, North, Rich, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick—34.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Holzwarth, Ludlam, Wortendyke—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.

Senate Bill No. 72, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning corporations," approved April seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-five,

Was ordered to third reading.

Senate Bill No. 73, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was laid over until next week after having been read a second time.

Senate Bill No. 58, entitled

An Act to quiet litigation,

Was taken up on second reading.

Mr. Lehlbach moved to strike out the enacting clause,

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Budd, Chairman of the Committee on Commerce and Navigation, reported

Assembly Bill No. 328, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to preserve the navigation of the rivers and creeks within the State of New Jersey," approved April twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Favorably.

Senate Bill No. 74, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Was taken up on second reading and laid over.

Senate Bill No. 57, entitled

An Act concerning recognizances in criminal cases,

Was read a second time and laid over.

On motion of Mr. McLaughlin, the House adjourned.

FRIDAY, February 22d, 1884.

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

Upon calling of the roll, the following gentleman answered to his name :

Mr. Caminade.

Mr. Caminade, 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, 1884.

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

Prayer was offered by Hon. J. B. Campbell.

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

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins,

Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 260, entitled

An Act in regard to the numbering of houses in cities,

Assembly Bill No. 239, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act respecting the court of chancery" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 230, entitled

An Act concerning the assessment and collection of taxes in fire districts in the townships of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 212, entitled

An Act respecting persons sentenced to be confined in any county jail or penitentiary in this State,

Assembly Bill No. 211, entitled

An Act regulating lettings in cases where no definite time is fixed,

Assembly Bill No. 171, entitled

A Supplement to "An act in relation to the powers of commissioners appointed to purchase toll roads in this State," passed April nineteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Assembly Bill No. 1, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate and regulate telegraph companies" (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Assembly Bill No. 64, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the classification of cities," etc.,

Assembly Bill No. 278, entitled

An Act authorizing aqueduct boards of cities of the first class to issue bonds for the payment of indebtedness, and for the construction, extension and maintenance of water works,

Assembly Bill No. 279, entitled

An Act in relation to the hours of labor of the drivers and conductors of horse cars,

Assembly Bill No. 304, entitled

An Act to amend "An act to establish a system of public instruction" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 226, entitled

An Act to authorize the amendment and re-institution of de al proceedings for laying out, opening, altering or closing streets and avenues in incorporated boroughs, towns and villages and assessments on account thereof,

Assembly Bill No. 268, entitled

A Supplement to "An act concerning roads,"

Assembly Bill No. 250, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act for rendering the proceedings upon information in the nature of a quo warranto more speedy and effectual," passed March seventeen, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five,

Assembly Bill No. 283, entitled

Amendment to an act establishing a system of public instruction,

Assembly Bill No. 172, entitled

An Act to authorize the establishment of free public libraries in the cities of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 210, entitled

An Act for the protection of storage or warehouse-keepers or owners,

Assembly Bill No. 228, entitled

An Act to regulate fees and expenses of constables in criminal cases,

Correctly engrossed ;

Also,

Assembly Bill No. 6, entitled

An Act to authorize neighboring cities to improve connecting principal streets so as to form continuous thoroughfares,

With Senate amendments, as correctly engrossed.

Mr. Neighbour, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, ~~reported~~

Assembly Bill No. 326, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act constituting district courts in certain cities in this State," approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven,

Assembly Bill No. 324, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to sales of land under a public statute or by virtue of any judicial proceedings," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Bill No. 111, entitled

An Act to regulate the fees for licenses to keep inns and taverns or victualing houses, and to sell vinous, spirituous or malt liquors at retail in cities of the second class,

Favorably,

Assembly Bill No. 307, entitled

An Act for the better securing and enjoyment of wages to workmen and laborers in the State of New Jersey,

Assembly Bill No. 338, entitled

An Act concerning inns and taverns,

With amendments,

Assembly Bill No. 346, entitled

An Act to repeal an act for the better protection of manufacturers and bottlers of and dealers in mineral waters, beer, ale, porter, etc., approved March eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one,

Assembly Bill No. 334, entitled

An Act to abolish distress for rent,

Adversely.

Amendments made in the committee adopted, and the adverse reports sustained.

Senate Bill No. 65, entitled

An Act granting to boroughs and towns the right to license inns, taverns and saloons,

Was ordered to a third reading.

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

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That a joint meeting of the two Houses of the Legislature be held in the Assembly Chamber, at 12 o'clock noon, on Wednesday, the 27th day of February,

inst., for the election of all such officers as it is proper for said joint meeting to elect.

On motion of Mr. Chapman; the ayes and noes were ordered, and the resolution adopted by the following vote;

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Boud, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Lüdnam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—33.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Campbell, Carson, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Keasbey, Lupton, Mills, Rue, See, Stafford, Weaver, Woodruff—21.

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

Resolved, (the Senate concurring), That his Excellency the Governor be requested to return to the House of Assembly, for further consideration,

Assembly Bill No. 139, entitled

An Act amending an act to authorize the construction of school-houses in cities of the first class of this State, approved February thirteen, eighteen hundred and eighty-three,

On motion of Mr. Budd, the vote by which

Senate Bill No. 65, entitled

An Act granting to boroughs and towns the right to license inns, taverns and saloons,

Was ordered to a third reading, was reconsidered.

Mr. Budd offered the following amendment, which was lost:

Strike out all words between the word "State," in section 1, line 2, and the word "the," in line 3.

The bill was again ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Budd, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 358, entitled

A Supplement to an act to regulate the sale of milk,

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, and ordered printed before reported.

Mr. Chattle, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 359, entitled

An Act relating to the government of cities of the fifth class,

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

Mr. Irons, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 360, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish and regulate pilots for the ports of Jersey City, Newark and Perth Amboy, by way of Sandy Hook,

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. Flynn, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 361, entitled

An Act in relation to the formation of gas companies,

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

Mr. Savage, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 362, entitled

An Act to regulate the proceedings and practice of the courts of this State in actions to recover damages for injuries or death caused by the wrongful act, neglect or default of any person or corporation,

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. Bell, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 363, entitled

An Act to establish schools of art, or technical schools, in cities of the first and second classes 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. Branning, on leave, introduced

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 8,

Authorizing quartermaster general to deliver to Frank A. Souders a certain confederate flag, captured by him,

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

Mr. Doremus, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 364, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the formation of borough governments," approved April fifth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

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

Assembly Bill No. 259, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act for the organization of the National Guard of the State of New Jersey," approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Rich, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—53.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Campbell—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 256, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act incorporating the inhabitants of townships, designating their powers and regulating their meetings,"

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison,

Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
February 25th, 1884. }

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 his Excellency the Governor be requested to return to the Senate, for further consideration,

Senate Bill No. 103, entitled

An Act to provide for drainage and sewerage in densely populated townships, in which there is a public water supply,

And

Senate Bill No. 59, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the more effectual prevention and detection of crime in the township of Hackensack," approved February twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and sixty-nine,

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

WILLIAM A. STILES,

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,
February 25th, 1884. }

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 House of Assembly be requested to return to the Senate, for further consideration,

Senate Bill No. 155, entitled

An Act authorizing the president or law judge of the courts of common pleas, courts of general quarter sessions of the peace and special sessions in counties of the first class in this State to employ a stenographer.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The resolutions were read and concurred in.

On motion of Mr. Fish, the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 304, entitled

An Act to amend "An act to establish a system of public instruction" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was ordered to a third reading was reconsidered, then amended, ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 264, entitled

An Act concerning the publication of financial statements in cities of this State,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernée, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Mills, O'Connor, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—43.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Boud, Branning, Campbell, Neighbour, North, Scott—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. Harrigan, the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 278, entitled

An Act authorizing aqueduct boards of cities of the first class to issue bonds for the payment of indebtedness, and for the construction, extension and maintenance of water works,

Was ordered to a third reading, was reconsidered.

The bill was then amended, ordered to be re-engrossed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 78, entitled

A Further Supplement to "An act for the construction, maintenance and operation of water works for the purpose of supplying cities, towns and villages of this State with water," approved April twenty-first, eighteen hundred and seventy-six,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Campbell, Carson,

Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—40.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Lake, Robbins, Ross—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. Savage, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads and Canals, reported

Assembly Bill No. 253, entitled

An Act providing for State and municipal taxes on certain corporations, and the collection thereof,

With amendments.

Mr. Caminade, on leave, introduced

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 9,

On protection for labor,

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

On motion of Mr. Cole,

Assembly Bill No. 253, entitled

An Act providing for State and municipal taxes on certain corporations, and the collection thereof,

Was taken up on second reading, amended, ordered reprinted, and laid over until to-morrow, and expense put in incidental bill.

The following message was received :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER. }

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 His Excellency the Governor be requested to return to the House of Assembly, for further consideration,

Assembly Bill No. 139, entitled

An Act amending "An act to authorize the construction of school-houses in cities of the first class of this State," approved February thirteen, eighteen hundred and eighty-three,

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The message was read and concurred in.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 23, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act appointing commissioners for a sinking fund, and defining their duties," approved March twenty-fifth, eighteen hundred and sixty-four,

Senate Bill No. 21, entitled

An Act to authorize the boards of chosen freeholders in the respective counties of this State to renew matured and maturing bonds,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Branning, Byrnes, Cadmus, Chapman, Clarke, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Mills, Neigh-

bour, North, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—32.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Burgess, Campbell, Carson, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Keasbey, Lehlbach, O'Connor, Rue, Weaver—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.

Assembly Bill No. 84, entitled

An Act concerning cities,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—53.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 54, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of pursuing and detective companies," approved March twenty-ninth, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight,

Was taken up on third reading, and laid over until next week.

Assembly Bill No. 36, entitled

An Act to regulate the rate of fare on railroads of this State,

On motion of Mr. Cole, was withdrawn from files of the House.

Assembly Bill No. 169, entitled

An Act to provide against the spreading of fire and danger to life and limb, occasioned by unguarded and insufficiently guarded elevator passageways and hoistways in buildings,

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

In the affirmative, were—

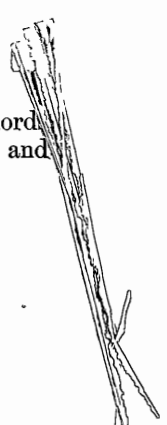
Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—53.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Boud—1.

Assembly Bill No. 18, entitled

Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning landlords and tenants," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,



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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—50.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 64, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the classification of cities," etc.,

Were read a third time and laid over, the introducer not being in his seat.

Assembly Bill No. 211, entitled

An Act regulating lettings in cases where no definite time is fixed,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Larison,

Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, See, Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff—38.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armstrong, Boud, Branning, Budd, Coombs, Haines, Kelly, Lake, Ludlam, McLaughlin, North, Savage, Stoney (Speaker), Wortendyke—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.

Assembly Bill No. 239, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act respecting the court of chancery" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Cole Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Rue, Scott, See, Wildrick, Woodruff—41.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 299, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning corporations," approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Was taken up on second reading, amended, and laid over until Wednesday next.

Mr. Prall, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 365, entitled

A Supplement to the act for establishing a State Industrial School for Girls, approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one,

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

Mr. Prall, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 366, entitled

An Act to amend the forty-eighth section of the act for the punishment of crimes, approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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

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

Assembly Bill No. 235, entitled

An Act providing for the publication of laws in the New Jersey Coast Pilot,

Favorably.

Mr. Campbell, with consent of the House, withdrew

Assembly Bill No. 230, entitled

An Act concerning the assessment and collection of taxes in fire districts in the townships of this State.

On motion of Mr. Neighbour, the House adjourned.

TUESDAY, February 26th, 1884.

At 10 o'clock the House met.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Garrison.

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

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Budd, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 367, entitled

An Act granting boroughs in counties of the second class the right to license inns, taverns and saloons,

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

Mr. Woodruff, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 368, entitled

An Act relative to interest on arrears of taxes and assessments in townships 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.

Mr. McLaughlin, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 369, entitled

An Act fixing the compensation for publishing the laws 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 Revision of Laws.

Mr. Armstrong, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 370, entitled

An Act amending an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (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 Elections, when appointed.

Also,

Assembly Bill No. 371, entitled

An Act concerning assessments, life and accident insurance corporations, associations and societies,

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

Mr. Keasbey, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 372, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to the jurisdiction and practice of district courts in this State,"

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

The following message was received from the Governor :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Trenton, Feb. 25th, 1884. }

Mr. Speaker—

I have this day approved and signed the following bill, which originated in the House of Assembly, and have delivered the same to the Secretary of State, to be filed in his office :

Assembly Bill No. 76, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to the election of constables," approved March twelfth, eighteen hundred and eighty.

LEON ABBETT,

Governor.

Assembly Bill No. 260, entitled

An Act in regard to the numbering of houses in cities,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Harrison, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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. Lake, Chairman of the Committee on Militia, reported
Senate Bill No. 25, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An Act for the organization of the National Guard of New Jersey," approved March 9, 1869, and the various amendments thereto,

Favorably.

Assembly Bill No. 226, entitled

An Act to authorize the amendment and re-institution of defective or illegal proceedings for laying out, opening, altering or closing streets and avenues in incorporated boroughs, towns and villages and assessments on account thereof,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell; Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wil-drick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—44.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 283, entitled

Amendment to an act establishing a system of public instruction,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke
—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. Harrison offered the following resolution which was read :

Resolved, That when this House adjourn it be to meet at 2 o'clock P. M. to-day.

On motion of Mr. Chapman the resolution was laid on the table.

Assembly Bill No. 268, entitled

A Supplement to "An act concerning roads,"

Was read a third time, and, on motion of Mr. Burgess, the vote by which the bill was ordered to a third reading, was reconsidered, and the bill temporarily laid over.

A message was received from the Governor at the hands of his Private Secretary, Willard Fisk, transmitting to the House the following report:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,	
Trenton, February 25th, 1884.	

Hon. A. B. Stoney, Speaker of General Assembly:

SIR—I return herewith, as requested by a joint resolution,
Assembly Bill No. 139, entitled

An Act amending an act to authorize the construction of school houses in cities of the first class of this State, approved February thirteenth, eighteen hundred and eighty-three.

Respectfully,

LEON ABBETT,

Governor.

Assembly Bill No. 172, entitled

An Act to authorize the establishment of free public libraries in the cities of this State,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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. Armitage, the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 139, entitled

An Act amending an act to authorize the construction of school houses in cities of the first class of this State, approved February thirteenth, eighteen hundred and eighty-three,

Was passed,

Was reconsidered by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lupton, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—48.

In the negative—none.

On motion of Mr. Armitage, the vote by which the bill was ordered to a third reading, was reconsidered, and ordered re-engrossed and have a third reading.

Mr. Jenkins moved to take from the table the motion to reconsider the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 246, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled “An act concerning roads” (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was lost,

Which was agreed to.

The vote by which the bill was lost, was reconsidered by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Savage, Scott, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—40.

In the negative—none.

Assembly Bill No. 246, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning roads" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

And

Assembly Bill No. 268, entitled

A Supplement to "An act concerning roads,"

On motion of Mr. Jenkins, were recommitted.

Assembly Bill No. 228, entitled

An Act to regulate fees and expenses of constables in criminal cases,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Scott, See, Steljes, Weaver, Woodruff, Wortendyke—48.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Neighbour, Wildrick—2.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 250, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act for rendering the proceedings upon information in the nature of a quo warranto more speedy and effectual," passed March seventeen, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Boud, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—50.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 12, entitled

An Act to extend the time of chartered railroad companies, whose time for completing their railroads shall expire in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, when work has been performed on said railroads and money expended thereon,

On motion of Mr. Clarke, was recommitted to the Committee on Engrossed Bills.

Senate Bill No. 30, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of courts of law," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Coombs, Dickinson, Dore-

mus, Flynn, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Robbins, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Woodruff, Wortendyke—45.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Caminade, Savage—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.

Assembly Bill No. 221, entitled

A Supplement to "An act concerning inns and taverns" (Revision), approved April seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 273, entitled

An Act concerning certain administrative departments of government of cities of the second class,

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

Senate Bill No. 65, entitled

An Act granting to boroughs and towns the right to license inns, taverns and saloons,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Savage, Scott, See, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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. Cadmus,

Senate Bill No. 24, entitled

An Act to require the New York, Lake Erie and Western Railroad Company to erect and maintain gates at certain street crossings in the city of Paterson,

Was placed on the calendar under the ten-day rule.

Assembly Bill No. 271, entitled

An Act to prevent cattle pasturing or running at large on the streets or highways in the townships,

Assembly Bill No. 233, entitled

An Act concerning the running of ferry boats,

Were placed on the calendar under the ten-day rule.

Assembly Bill No. 195, entitled

An Act to secure the right of burial,

Was placed on the calendar under the ten-day rule.

Assembly Bill No. 20, entitled

An Act relative to the stoppage of railway trains at cities of the first class in this State,

Assembly Bill No. 117, entitled

An Act in relation to the retaking of personal property sold on installments,

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

Mr. Armstrong reconsidered and laid over temporarily for amendment, ordered engrossed and have third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 234, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of the State" (Revision), approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Was taken up on second reading.

Mr. Flynn moved to strike out the enacting clause,

Which was not agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Cole, the vote by which motion to strike out the enacting clause was lost, was reconsidered by the following vote :

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, North, Prall, Robbins, Rue, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—42.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Burgess, Harrison, Keasbey, McLaughlin, Neighbour, Rich, Ross, Savage, See—9.

Mr. Jenkins then moved the enacting clause be stricken out.

Mr. Flynn called for the ayes and noes, which call was sustained.

The motion to strike out the enacting clause was agreed to by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Hoffman, Irons, Jenkins, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, North, Prall, Rue, Stafford, Steljes, Weaver, Wortendyke—33.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Boud, Burgess, Clarke, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, Rich, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Wildrick—19.

Mr. Haines offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That when this House adjourns it be until 2:30 P. M.

On motion of Mr. McLaughlin, the resolution was laid on the table.

On motion of Mr. Jenkins, the House adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At 3 o'clock the House met.

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

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrison,

Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stonely (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

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

Assembly Bill No. 349, entitled

An Act regulating toll roads, turnpike and plank road companies in this State,

Assembly Bill No. 351, entitled

An Act entitled "An act to prevent unjust discrimination in telegraph rates in New Jersey,"

Favorably.

Mr. Keasbey, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 373, 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' courts and surrogates," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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

Mr. Branning, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 374, entitled

A Supplement to an act relative to the publication of the laws of this State in the newspapers, approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

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

Mr. Woodruff, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 375, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning roads," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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

Mr. O'Donnell, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 376, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act to regulate elections,

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

The House then resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole, to take into consideration

Assembly Bill No. 253, entitled

An Act providing for State and municipal taxes on certain corporations, and the collection thereof,

And other bills, reported by the Special Committee on the Equalization of Taxation on Corporations.

Mr. Cole moved that each person representing a corporation should have three-quarters of an hour, which was not seconded.

Mr. Cole then moved that any one wishing to be heard in opposition to the bills, be heard,

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Prall moved to amend by giving to any one an opportunity to be heard for or against the bills,

Which was agreed to.

After remarks by Messrs. Ransom, Fleming, Parker, Bedle and Robeson, Mr. Cole moved that one more person be permitted to speak in favor of

Assembly Bill No. 253, entitled

An Act providing for State and municipal taxes on certain corporations, and the collection thereof,

And the committee then arise.

Mr. Neighbour moved to amend, that the committee arise, report progress, and meet again next Tuesday, for further discussion.

Mr. Burgess embodied the amendments in a resolution, which was accepted by Mr. Neighbour.

The amendment was then put, and lost by a viva voce vote.

The original resolution was then agreed to.

Mr. Cator was accorded the floor, who spoke in favor of the bill.

On motion of Mr. Cole, the committee arose, and reported, through its chairman, Mr. Chapman,

Assembly Bill No. 253, entitled

An Act providing for State and municipal taxes on certain corporations, and the collection thereof,

Favorably.

Mr. O'Connor moved the report be accepted,

Which was agreed to.

The House then met.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
February 26th, 1884. }

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. 95, entitled

An Act to incorporate and establish free public libraries in this State,

Senate Bill No. 115, entitled

An Act for the preservation of sheep, and to encourage the raising of the same in counties of the first class,

Senate Bill No. 158, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "An act relating to the opening of by-roads," approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

Senate Bill No. 145, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate associations for the establishment of lyceums, libraries and literary and scientific societies" (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Senate Bill No. 146, entitled

An Act for the encouragement of free libraries in cities,

Senate Bill No. 167, entitled

An Act concerning acknowledgments of mortgages,

Senate Bill No. 168, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act in relation to encumbered cities," approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one,

Senate Bill No. 74, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Bill No. 73, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled, "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Senate Joint Resolution No. 6,

Relative to claim of Stockton Rifle Association,

Senate Bill No. 160, entitled

An Act to provide for the payment of indebtedness incurred in excess of appropriation made to any city board having control of the improvement and reconstruction of streets and sewers,

And

Assembly Bill No. 251, entitled

An Act to fix the salaries of the bill clerks of the Senate and General Assembly,

With amendments,

Assembly Bill No. 225, entitled

An Act in relation to apprentices in the service of the pilots for the ports of Jersey City, Newark and Perth Amboy by way of Sandy Hook,

Without amendments,

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

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The message was taken up, and the Senate bills severally read a first time by their titles, and ordered to have a second reading, and referred to their appropriate committees.

The amendments to Assembly Bill No. 251 were read, and ordered engrossed and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 225 having passed both Houses, was this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills, with the following certificate endorsed on the same :

“I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

HENRY D. WINTON,

Clerk.”

The Senate amendments were read and concurred in.

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

Assembly Bill No. 331, entitled

An Act concerning the appointment of assessors in cities of the first class,

Assembly Bill No. 341, entitled

An Act concerning cities of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 332, entitled

An Act to repeal “An act to secure the performance of contracts for city improvements within the time required by such contracts,” approved February eighth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Favorably.

On motion of Mr. Cole, the House adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, February 27th, 1884.

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

Prayer was offered by the Rev. C. R. Smith.

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

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Wildrick presented a petition in favor of prohibition of the sale and manufacture of liquors,

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

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

Senate Joint Resolution No. 8, entitled

Joint Resolution relative to the salary of the commissioner of railroad taxation,

Without recommendation.

Mr. Stoney, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 377, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties in this State,"

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

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

Assembly Bill No. 343, entitled

An Act to regulate the manner of selecting grand juries in the several counties of this State,

Senate Bill No. 135, entitled

A Supplement to "An act respecting proceedings in criminal cases" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Favorably,

Assembly Bill No. 52, entitled

An Act concerning taxes,

Assembly Bill No. 366, entitled

An Act to amend the forty-eighth section of the act for the punishment of crimes, approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Bill No. 140, entitled

An Act regulating billiard and pool rooms in this State,

With amendments.

The amendments made in committee were concurred in.

Assembly Bill No. 23, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act appointing commissioners for a sinking fund and defining their duties," approved March twenty-fifth, eighteen hundred and sixty-four,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hough, Kelly, Lake, Larison, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Robbins, Savage, Scott, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Woodruff—37.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Boud, Budd, Caminade, Chattle, Holzwarth, Irons, Keasbey, Ludlam, Lupton, Rich, Rue, Stafford, Wildrick, Wortendyke—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.

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

Resolved, That 3,000 copies of the oyster commission report be printed for the use of the House of Assembly.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 101, entitled

An Act to repeal the proviso in section one of an act entitled "An act providing for State taxes on railroads and the more efficient collection thereof,"

Assembly Bill No. 269, entitled

An Act concerning cities of the first class,

Assembly Bill No. 263, entitled

An Act to prevent the pollution of the waters of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 164, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the collection of demands against ships, steamboats and other vessels," approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven,

Assembly Bill No. 146, entitled

A Supplement to an act relative to officers and commissioners and negotiations,

Assembly Bill No. 31, entitled

An Act to annex to Essex county a part of Hudson county,

Assembly Bill No. 188, entitled

An Act to provide for State taxes on telegraph, telephone, electric light, horse railroad, express, life insurance and petroleum oil or pipe line companies, and for the efficient collection thereof,

Assembly Bill No. 278, entitled

An Act authorizing aqueduct boards of cities of the first class to issue bonds for the payment of indebtedness, and for the construction, extension and maintenance of water works,

Assembly Bill No. 127, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize cities in this State to issue and dispose of water bonds or water scrip to renew certain water bonds or water scrip," approved January thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Correctly engrossed.

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

Assembly Bill No. 352, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to prevent the spread of glanders in horses," approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four,

Favorably.

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

Resolved, That the Committee of the Whole be discharged from further consideration of the joint committee bills on the subject of taxation on corporations, known as Assembly Bills Nos. 313, 314 and 315, and that the bills be placed on the calendar without further reference.

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

Assembly Bill No. 358, entitled

A Supplement to an act to regulate the sale of milk,

Favorably,

And

Senate Bill No. 115, entitled

An Act for the preservation of sheep, and to encourage the raising of the same in counties of the first class,

Without recommendation.

Assembly Bill No. 210, entitled

An Act for the protection of storage or warehouse-keepers, or owners,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Kelly, Larison, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross,

Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—47.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 278, entitled

An Act authorizing aqueduct boards of cities of the first class to issue bonds for the payment of indebtedness, and for the construction, extension and maintenance of water works,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—49.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Cole, Lehlbach—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. Cole,

Assembly Bill No. 253, entitled

An Act providing for State and municipal taxes on certain corporations, and the collection thereof,

Was taken up on second reading, out of its regular order on the calendar.

Mr. Cole then moved that the bill be ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading,

On motion of Mr. Keasbey, the bill was laid over temporarily for amendment.

Mr. Keasbey presented his amendments.

Amend section 1, by striking out the second line after the word "Jersey," and the third line down to the words "shall pay," and insert instead the words "that all railroads and all canal companies."

Amend section 2, line first, by substituting for the word "corporations," the words "railroads and all canal companies."

Mr. Savage moved to lay the amendments on the table.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Cole move to reconsider the vote by which the amendments were laid on the table, and called for the ayes and noes.

The motion to reconsider the motion to lay on table was agreed to by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Mills, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—42.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Boud, Campbell, Chattle, Coombs, Lupton, Neighbour, North, Rue, Savage, Stoney (Speaker)—12.

The motion recurring on the adoption of the amendments, the amendments were lost by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Keasbey, Rue—3.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—54.

Mr. Lehlbach offered the following amendment, which was lost :

Amend by striking out all of section 13.

Mr. Haines offered the following amendment, which was lost :

Add to section 4, the valuation of the property of all corporations for the purposes of taxation as herein provided for, shall be made upon a basis that will secure equality of valuation with all other species of taxable property.

Mr. Clarke, on leave, introduced

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 10,

In relation to the record of the officers and soldiers of the late war,

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

On motion of Mr. Flynn, the House adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At 3 o'clock the House met.

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

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney. (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

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

Senate Bill No. 91, entitled

An Act to promote the more general understanding of the system of government of the United States and of the State of New Jersey,

Senate Bill No. 95, entitled

An Act to incorporate and establish free public libraries in this State,

Senate Bill No. 145, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate associations for the establishment of lyceums, libraries and literary and scientific societies" (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Senate Bill No. 146, entitled

An Act for the encouragement of free libraries in cities,
Favorably.

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

Senate Bill No. 40, 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,

Favorably.

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

Senate Bill No. 142, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Favorably.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
February 27th, 1884. }
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. 248, entitled

Supplement to the "Supplement to 'An act to establish an Agricultural Experiment Station,'"

Assembly Bill No. 78, entitled

A Further Supplement to "An act for the construction, maintenance and operation of water-works for the purpose of supply-

ing cities, towns and villages of this State with water," approved April twenty-first, eighteen hundred and seventy-six,

Assembly Bill No. 242, entitled

An Act entitled "An act to organize and establish a State Board of Agriculture,"

Assembly Bill No. 189, entitled

An Act to amend the fourteenth section of an act entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the organization of the National Guard of the State of New Jersey,' approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine," and the various amendments thereto,

Without amendment.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Said bills having passed both Houses, were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills, with the following certificate endorsed on the same:

"I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

HENRY D. WINTON,

Clerk."

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

	STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
	SENATE CHAMBER,	
<i>Mr. Speaker—</i>	February 27th, 1884.	

I am directed by the Senate to return to the House of Assembly, as requested,

Assembly Bill No. 250, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act for rendering the proceedings upon information in the nature of a quo warranto more speedy and effectual," passed March seventeen, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

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,
February 27th, 1884. }
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. 103, entitled

An Act to provide for drainage and sewerage in densely populated townships in which there is a public water supply,

Senate Bill No. 112, entitled

An Act to fix the term of office of chosen freeholders,

Senate Bill No. 161, entitled

An Act relating to arrearage for the use or rents of water furnished by cities wherein water works are owned by the city and controlled by the city authorities,

Senate Bill No. 171, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of law" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The message was taken up, and the Senate bills severally read a first time by their titles, and ordered to have a second reading, and referred to their appropriate committees.

Assembly Bill No. 313, entitled

An Act for the taxation of railroads and canals,

Was taken up on its second reading, when Mr. Cole offered the following amendment:

In section 6, line 9, strike out all of section after the word "purpose,"

Which was read, and adopted by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Branning, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Flynn, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Jernee, Kelly, McLaughlin, Mills, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Savage, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Woodruff, Wortendyke—28.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Campbell, Chattle, Coombs, Haines, Harrison, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, Neighbour, North, Ross, Rue, Scott, Stafford, Wildrick—24.

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

Mr. Neighbour, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 378, entitled

An Act to provide for the imposition of State taxes upon certain corporations, and for the collection thereof,

Which was placed on the calendar without reference.

Mr. Lehlbach, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 379, entitled

An Act to provide for the drainage of meadow lands in townships of this State,

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

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

Assembly Bill No. 380, entitled

An Act relative to assessments for sewers in cities of the first class,

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

Assembly Bill No. 184, entitled

An Act to authorize the boards of councilmen of incorporated towns in this State to license, regulate and prohibit the sale of malt, spirituous, vinous and other liquors,

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

Mr. Rich offered the following resolution, which was read adopted.

Resolved, That when this House adjourn it be to meet at 8 o'clock this evening.

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

	STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
	SENATE CHAMBER,	
<i>Mr. Speaker—</i>	February 27th, 1884.	

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 his Excellency the Governor be requested to return to the Senate, for further consideration,

Senate Bill No. 65, entitled

An Act granting to boroughs and towns the right to license inns, taverns and saloons,

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

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The message was read and the resolution embodied therein concurred in by the House.

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

	STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
	SENATE CHAMBER,	
<i>Mr. Speaker—</i>	February 27th, 1884.	

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

Assembly Bill No. 245, entitled

Supplement to "An act for the preservation of sheep,"

Assembly Bill No. 206, entitled

An Act to defray the expenses of a special committee on contract convict prison labor,

Assembly Bill No. 86, entitled

An Act to authorize the payment of five hundred dollars to the paymaster of the Second Battalion, First Brigade, N. G., N. J.,

Without amendments.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Said bills having passed both Houses, were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills, with the following certificate endorsed on the same :

“I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

HENRY D. WINTON,

Clerk.”

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
February 27th, 1884. }
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. 47, entitled

An Act respecting salaries of law or president judges in the counties of the second class,

Senate Bill No. 54, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled “An act constituting courts for trial of small causes,”

Senate Bill No. 84, entitled

An Act relating to cities of the second class,

Senate Bill No. 170, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled “An act for the punishment of crime,” approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The message was taken up, and the Senate bills severally read a first time by their titles, and ordered to have a second reading, and referred to their appropriate committees.

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

Assembly Bill No. 350, entitled

An Act to fix the duties of the door-keepers and gallery-keepers of the Senate and General Assembly,

Senate Bill No. 1, entitled

An Act to protect all citizens in their civil and legal rights,
With amendments.

The minority of the committee, Messrs. Keasbey and Jenkins, reported in favor of the bill without amendment.

Mr. Rich moved the majority report amending the bill be adopted as the report of the committee.

Mr. Clarke moved a call of the House, which was ordered, with the following result :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—51.

In the negative—none.

The majority report was then adopted by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Boud, Budd, Byrnes, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—28.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Campbell, Carson, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, North, Rue, See, Stafford, Weaver, Woodruff—24.

On motion of Mr. Flynn, the House adjourned.

THURSDAY, February 28th, 1884.

At 10 o'clock the House met.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Garrison.

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

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

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

Senate Bill No. 112, entitled

An Act to fix the term of office of chosen freeholders,

Favorably.

Mr. Wildrick, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 294, entitled

An Act to regulate the liability of corporations for injuries received by their employes,

Assembly Bill No. 295, entitled

An Act for the preservation of the health of female employes employed in manufacturing, mechanical and mercantile establishments,

Assembly Bill No. 284, entitled

An act concerning boroughs of the second and third class,

Without recommendation,

And

Senate Bill No. 174, entitled

An Act concerning boroughs of the third class,

Senate Bill No. 158, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "An act relating to the opening of by-roads," approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

Senate Bill No. 170, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act for the punishment of crime," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Favorably.

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

Assembly Bill No. 375, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning roads," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 344, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act constituting district courts in certain cities in this State," approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven,

Assembly Bill No. 345, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act constituting district courts in certain cities in this State," approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven,

Assembly Bill No. 347, entitled

An Act validating defective conveyances,

Assembly Bill No. 373, 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' courts and surrogates," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

And

Senate Bill No. 103, entitled

An Act to provide for drainage and sewerage in densely populated townships in which there is a public water supply,

Favorably.

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

Assembly Bill No. 281, entitled

An Act to regulate applications for license to sell liquors,

Assembly Bill No. 337, entitled

A Supplement to "An act concerning juries," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

And

Senate Bill No. 97, entitled

An Act to ratify and confirm an agreement made between the commissioners appointed on the part of the State of New York and the commissioners appointed on the part of the State of New Jersey, respecting the location of the northern boundary line between the States of New York and New Jersey and the replacing and erecting of monuments thereon, bearing date the seventh day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Without recommendation.

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

Assembly Bill No. 336, entitled

An Act regarding usury and interest,

Senate Bill No. 4, entitled

An Act in relation to the salary of the prosecutor of the pleas in the county of Passaic,

Without recommendation.

Assembly Bill No. 353, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act concerning the protection of the public health and the record of vital facts and statistics relating thereto, approved March eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, and the supplements thereto,

With amendments.

The amendments were read and concurred in.

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

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 6, entitled

Joint Resolution proposing amendments to constitution to provide for biennial sessions of the legislature,

Favorably.

On leave, Mr. Harrison withdrew

Assembly Bill No. 335, entitled

An Act relating to the adulteration of food and drugs.

Mr. Clarke, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 381, entitled

An Act for the preservation of clams and oysters,

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

Mr. Keasbey, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 382, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act to provide for the filing of a lis pendens in actions, either at law or in equity, relating to or affecting the possession or title of lands or real estate," approved February sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty,

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

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

Assembly Bill No. 383, entitled

An Act to establish a board of excise commissioners in cities of the first class, and to define their duties in regulating the sale of intoxicating beverages,

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

Mr. Stoney, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 384, entitled

A Supplement to "An act constituting district courts in certain cities in this State," approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, and extending the same to counties of the second class,

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

Senate Bill No. 64, entitled

An Act concerning a division of wards in cities of the third class in this State,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Hoffman, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, Scott, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—41.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Harrison, Lehlbach—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.

Assembly Bill No. 310, entitled

An Act to exempt hospitals from taxes and water rents,

Assembly Bill No. 288, entitled

Supplement to an act to fix the salaries of the officers of the Senate and General Assembly of N. J.,

Assembly Bill No. 300, entitled

An Act concerning the construction of sewers in cities of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 301, entitled

An Act concerning terms of office of mayors in the cities of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 252, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to the publication of the laws in the newspapers," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Assembly Bill No. 311, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting conveyances," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 213, entitled

A Supplement to an act concerning townships and township officers, approved April twenty-first, eighteen hundred and seventy-six,

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

Assembly Bill No. 146, entitled

A Supplement to an act relative to officers and commissioners and negotiations,

Assembly Bill No. 349, entitled

An Act regulating toll roads, turnpike and plank road companies in this State,

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

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

Resolved, That five hundred copies of the report of the commissioners of water supply, January, 1884, be printed for the use of this House.

Assembly Bill No. 319, entitled

An Act explanatory of section twenty-two of the act entitled "An act relative to public printing," approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

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

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

Assembly Bill No. 359, entitled

An Act relating to the government of cities of the fifth class,

Assembly Bill No. 363, entitled

An Act to establish schools of art, or technical schools, in cities of the first and second classes in this State,

Favorably,

Which report was read and accepted, and the bills ordered to take their proper places on the calendar.

Assembly Bill No. 352, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to prevent the spread of glanders in horses," approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four,

Assembly Bill No. 358, entitled

A Supplement to an act to regulate the sale of milk,

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

Assembly Bill No. 31, entitled

An Act to annex to Essex county a part of Hudson county,

Was read a second time.

Mr. Chapman moved to strike out the enacting clause.

Mr. Armitage called for ayes and noes, which call was sustained.

Upon calling of the roll, the motion was lost by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Branning Burgess, Caminade, Chapman, Clarke, Dickinson, Doremus, Harrigan, Harrison, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, McLaughlin, Rich, Steljes, Weaver, Wortendyke—20.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Bell, Boud, Budd, Byrnes, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Fish, Haines, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Ross, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Wil-drick, Woodruff—33.

On motion of Mr. Cole, the further consideration of the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 251, entitled

An Act to fix the salaries of the bill clerks of the Senate and General Assembly,

Assembly Bill No. 20, entitled

An Act relative to the stoppage of railway trains at cities of the first class in this State,

Assembly Bill No. 304, entitled

An Act to amend "An act to establish a system of public instruction" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 173, entitled

An Act to fix the salaries of the assistant engrossing clerks of Senate and House of Assembly,

Assembly Bill No. 249, entitled

An Act concerning overseers of the highways;

Assembly Bill No. 203, entitled

A Bill to define insurance brokers and their liabilities,

Senate Bill No. 12, entitled

An Act to extend the time of chartered railroad companies whose time for completing their railroads shall expire in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, when work has been performed on said railroads and money expended thereon,

Correctly engrossed.

Mr. Caminade moved

Assembly Bill No. 313, entitled

An Act for the taxation of railroad and canals,

Be reprinted, with amendments embodied therein.

Mr. Armstrong moved, as a substitute, that the bill be recommended to the special joint committee.

Mr. Cole moved to lay the substitute on the table,

Which was agreed to by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Bell, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Jernee, Kelly, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Mills, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Scott, See, Steljes, Woodruff, Wortendyke—28.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Boud, Branning, Budd, Campbell, Chattle, Coombs, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, Neighbour, North, Ross, Rue, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick—27.

Mr. Keasbey moved the bill be committed to the Committee on Revision of Laws,

Which was agreed to by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Coombs, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, Neighbour, North, Ross, Rue, Scott, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff—31.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Byrnes, Caminade, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Flynn, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Kelly, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Mills, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, See, Steljes, Weaver, Wortendyke—22.

Mr. Bell moved to reconsider the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 313, entitled

An Act for the taxation of railroads and canals,

Was committed to the Committee on Revision of Laws,

Which motion was agreed to by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Flynn, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Jernee, Kelly, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Mills, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Scott, See, Steljes, Weaver, Wortendyke—28.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Boud, Branning, Budd, Campbell, Chattle, Coombs, Doremus, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, Neighbour, North, Ross, Rue, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff—27.

On motion of Mr. Chapman, the bill was ordered to be reprinted with amendments.

Assembly Bill No. 253, entitled

An Act providing for State and municipal taxes on certain corporations, and the collection thereof,

Was taken up, and Mr. Cole moved a call of the House, which was ordered.

The bill was then read by title under suspension of the rules, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Con-

nor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Woodruff, Wortendyke—56.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Wildrick—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. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 253, entitled

An Act providing for State and municipal taxes on certain corporations, and the collection thereof,

Correctly engrossed.

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

Assembly Bill No. 370, entitled

An Act amending an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Favorably.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 273, entitled

An Act concerning certain administrative departments of government of cities of the second class,

Correctly engrossed.

Mr. Campbell offered the following resolution, which was read and lost :

Resolved, That when this House adjourns, it adjourn to Saturday 10 A. M., and then to Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

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

Resolved, That when this House adjourn, it be to meet at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

On motion of Mr. Neighbour, the House adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At 2 o'clock P. M. the House met.

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

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, Rue, Savage, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Mr. Savage, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads and Canals, reported

Senate Bill No. 64, entitled

An Act concerning a division of wards in cities of the third class in this State,

With amendments.

Mr. Ross, Chairman of the Committee on Riparian Rights, reported

Assembly Bill No. 254, entitled

An Act to provide for granting or disposing of lands under water in this State,

Favorably.

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

Resolved, That when this House adjourns it adjourns until Saturday morning at 10 o'clock, thence to Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

Mr. Armstrong offered the following resolution, which was read and laid on the table :

Resolved, (the Senate concurring) That the Legislature be adjourned *sine die* on March twenty-first next, at 12 o'clock, noon.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 139, entitled

An Act amending an act to authorize the construction of school houses in cities of the first class of this State, approved February thirteenth, eighteen hundred and eighty-three,

Correctly engrossed.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 64, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the classification of cities," etc.,

Were read and concurred in by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Burgess, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, Savage, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—39.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Harrison—1.

Mr. Steljes, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 385, entitled

An Act to authorize cities of the second class to extend streets now partly opened, and to pay for such extension,

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. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 352, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to prevent the spread of glanders in horses," approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four,

Assembly Bill No. 358, entitled

A Supplement to an act to regulate the sale of milk,

Correctly engrossed.

Mr. Lake, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 386, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning disorderly persons," approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

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

Mr. McLaughlin, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported as a substitute for Assembly Bill No. 194

Assembly Bill No. 387, entitled

A Supplement to the act to provide means for protection against fires,

Favorably.

Assembly Bill No. 273, entitled

An Act concerning certain administrative departments of government of cities of the second class,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Carson, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—43.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 352, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to prevent the spread of glanders in horses," approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four,

With consent of the House, the bill, having been ordered to a third reading on the same day,

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

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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. Jenkins moved to take from the table the motion to reconsider the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 229, entitled

An Act to further extend the times before or within the State assessment or other sum required to be paid into the State treasury by virtue of the provisions of the act entitled "An act to increase the revenues of the State of New Jersey," approved March eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine, or any subsequent act, may be paid, and to remit, release and extinguish any conditions, penalties or forfeitures heretofore provided for, incurred or proclaimed by reason of the non-payment of any assessment or sum aforesaid, required by virtue of the provisions of said act,

Was lost,

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Jenkins moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was lost,

Which was agreed to by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, McLaughlin, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—41.

In the negative—none.

The bill was then read and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—45.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 111, entitled

An Act to regulate fares on horse cars in cities of the second class,

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Doremus, Flynn, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, O'Connor, Rich, See, Steljes, Weaver, Wortendyke—25.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Branning, Cadmus, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Haines, Harrison, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lake, Prall, Rue, Savage, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff—19.

Assembly Bill No. 331, entitled

An Act concerning the appointment of assessors in cities of the first class,

Was read a second time and amended.

The bill was then ordered to be engrossed, with the amendments embodied therein.

Mr. Clarke moved to reconsider the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 111, entitled

An Act to regulate fares on horse cars in cities of the second class,

Was lost.

Mr. Hough moved to lay the motion on the table.

The motion to lay on the table was agreed to by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Bell, Branning, Burgess, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Flynn, Haines, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Scott, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—23.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Cole, Dickinson, Doremus, Harrison, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lake, See, Stoney (Speaker), Woodruff—13.

Assembly Bill No. 290, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further act concerning taxes,' making the same a first lien on real estate," etc.,

Assembly Bill No. 297; entitled

An Act to defray the expense of a special committee of the Legislature,

Assembly Bill No. 43, entitled

A Supplement to "An act respecting the orphans' court, and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the orphans' court and surrogates" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 317, entitled

An Act to protect the fresh water lakes and ponds of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 351, entitled

An Act entitled "An act to prevent unjust discrimination in telegraph rates in New Jersey,"

Assembly Bill No. 291, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to further define the duties of the fish commissioners of the State of New Jersey,"

Assembly Bill No. 257, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to increase the powers of township committees," approved March eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty,

Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 132, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to amend 'An act to partially consolidate the several game laws of this State,' of chapter sixteen," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one,

Assembly Bill No. 205, entitled

An Act extending powers of health or sanitary inspectors,

Assembly Bill No. 272, entitled

An Act to authorize the appointment of fire wardens,

Assembly Bill No. 302, entitled

An Act concerning the purchase of medicines for the poor in cities of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 9, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the organization of the National Guard of the State of New Jersey," approved March ninth, eighteen hundred and sixty-nine,

Assembly Bill, No. 316, entitled

An Act relating to newspapers,

Assembly Bill No. 318, entitled

An Act relative to the election of constables,

Assembly Bill No. 119, entitled

An Act for the relief of William A. Ripley et als.,

Assembly Bill No. 332, entitled

An Act to repeal an act to secure the performance of contracts for city improvements within the time required by such contracts," approved February eighth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Assembly Bill No. 323, entitled

A Supplement to an act to amend and consolidate the several acts relating to game and game laws, revised and approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 325, entitled

An Act authorizing constables and police officers in towns and townships to serve warrants and other criminal process,

Assembly Bill No. 330, entitled

An Act to authorize police service in townships,

Assembly Bill No. 219, entitled

An Act to fix the assessment for licenses for inns and taverns, and for the sale of vinous, spirituous and other liquors by the popular vote,

Assembly Bill No. 326, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act constituting district courts in certain cities in this State," approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven,

Assembly Bill No. 363, entitled

An Act to establish schools of art, or technical schools, in cities of the first and second classes in this State,

Assembly Bill No. 235, entitled

An Act providing for the publication of laws in the New Jersey Coast Pilot,

Assembly Bill No. 348, entitled

An Act to validate and render more effective ordinances of boards of health and vital statistics of the several counties of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 324, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to sales of land under a public statute or by virtue of any judicial proceedings," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 328, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to preserve the navigation of the rivers and creeks within the State of New Jersey," approved April twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 355, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice in the courts of law," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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

Assembly Bill No. 133, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the better protection of sheriffs," approved March sixth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine,

Assembly Bill No. 272, entitled

An Act to authorize the appointment of fire wardens,

Assembly Bill No. 75, entitled

An Act to provide for the better protection of life and limb on all railroads carrying passengers in this State,

Assembly Bill No. 342, entitled

An Act to promote purity in legislation,

Assembly Bill No. 98, entitled

An Act to prevent the laying of pipes for carrying oil, called pipe lines, across the fresh water streams of the State, and to cause the removal of those already laid,

Assembly Bill No. 299, entitled

A Supplement to an act, entitled "An act concerning corporations," approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Joint Resolution No. 7,

Proposing amendment to the State constitution,

Assembly Bill No. 269, entitled

An Act concerning cities of the first class,

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

Mr. O'Connor offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted :

Resolved, That the usual number of Governor Abbett's inaugural address be printed in the German language, and that one thousand copies of the report of the special committee on contract convict prison labor, appointed in 1883, also be printed in the German language, and that the printing be done by Joseph Knorr, of Newark, N. J.

Mr. Rich, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 387, entitled

A Supplement to the act to provide means for protection against fires,

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. McLaughlin, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 388, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a license and excise department in certain cities,"

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. O'Connor, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 389, entitled

A Further Supplement to the act respecting bridges, approved March twenty-fourth, 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.

Assembly Bill No. 98, entitled

An Act to prevent the laying of pipes for carrying oil, called pipe lines, across the fresh water streams of the State, and to cause the removal of those already laid,

Was ordered reprinted, with amendments.

Assembly Bill No. 313, entitled

An Act for the taxation of railroads and canals,

Was taken up, and one hundred extra copies ordered printed.

On motion of Mr. Cole, the Committee of the Whole on

Assembly Bill No. 98, entitled

An Act to prevent the laying of pipes for carrying oil, called pipe lines, across the fresh water streams of the State, and to cause the removal of those already laid,

Was discharged from further consideration of the bill.

On motion of Mr. Cole, Mr. Savage was fined ten dollars for being absent from the House without leave.

On motion of Mr. Stafford, the House adjourned.

FRIDAY, February 29th, 1884.

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

Upon calling of the roll, the following gentleman answered to his name:

Mr. Caminade.

Mr. Caminade, Speaker *pro tem.*, in the chair.

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem.*, declared the House adjourned until Monday evening, at eight o'clock.

MONDAY EVENING, March 3d, 1884.

At 8 o'clock the House met.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. Walter H. Brooks.

Upon calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins,

Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Rich, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No. 388, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a license and excise department in certain cities,"

Favorably.

Which report was read and accepted, and the bill ordered to take its proper place on the calendar.

Mr. Neighbour, Chairman of the Committee on Federal Relations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 338, entitled

An Act concerning inns and taverns,

Adversely.

The adverse report was not concurred in on

Assembly Bill No. 338, entitled

An Act concerning inns and taverns.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 438, entitled

A supplement to and amendatory of chapter CXLV. of laws of one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Assembly Bill No. 480, entitled

An Act to authorize cities in this State in certain cases to extend streets now partly opened, and to pay for such extension,

Assembly Bill No. 546, entitled

An Act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of impure and imitation dairy products,

Correctly engrossed.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 3d, 1884. }

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. 130, entitled

A Supplement to "An act to authorize the incorporation of rural cemetery associations and regulate cemeteries" (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Senate Bill No. 144, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act constituting public courts in certain cities of this State," approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Senate Joint Resolution No. 8, entitled

Joint Resolution relative to the salary of the commissioner of railroad taxation,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The message was taken up, and the Senate bills severally read a first time by their titles, and ordered to have a second reading, and referred to their appropriate committees.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 3d, 1884. }

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. 19, entitled

A Supplement to "An act respecting bridges" (Revision), approved April tenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 217, entitled

An Act in relation to the volunteer fire department in any city of this State,

Without amendments,

And

Assembly Bill No. 55, entitled

An Act for the government of persons who are members of companies incorporated under the act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of pursuing and detective companies,"

With amendments,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The Senate amendments were read and concurred in and ordered to have a second reading.

Assembly Bills Nos. 19 and 217 having passed both Houses, were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills, with the following certificate endorsed on the same:

"I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

HENRY D. WINTON,

Clerk."

Assembly Bill No. 322, entitled

An Act to amend "An act relative to the publication of the laws of this State in the newspapers," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 131, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "An act to further regulate the licensing of inns and taverns and places for the sale of malt, vinous, spirituous and other intoxicating liquors and drinks," approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Assembly Bill No. 257, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to increase the powers of township committees," approved March eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty,

Assembly Bill No. 213, entitled

A Supplement to an act concerning townships and township officers, approved April twenty-one, eighteen hundred and seventy-six,

Assembly Bill No. 117, entitled

An Act in relation to the retaking of personal property sold on installments,

Assembly Bill No. 205, entitled

An Act extending powers of health or sanitary inspectors,

Assembly Bill No. 221, entitled

A Supplement to "An act concerning inns and taverns" (Revision), approved April seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 184, entitled

An Act to authorize the boards of councilmen of incorporated towns in this State to license, regulate and prohibit the sale of malt, spirituous, vinous and other liquors,

Assembly Bill No. 225, entitled

An Act in relation to apprentices in the service of the pilots for the ports of Jersey City, Newark and Perth Amboy by way of Sandy Hook,

Assembly Bill No. 75, entitled

An Act to provide for the better protection of life and limb on all railroads carrying passengers in this State,

Assembly Bill No. 133, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the better protection of sheriffs," approved March sixth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine,

Assembly Bill No. 219, entitled

An Act to fix the assessment for licenses for inns and taverns, and for the sale of vinous, spirituous and other liquors by the popular vote,

Assembly Bill No. 252, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to the publication of the laws in the newspapers," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Assembly Bill No. 43, entitled

A Supplement to "An act respecting the orphans' court, and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the orphans' court and surrogates" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 146, entitled

A Supplement to an act relative to officers and commissioners and negotiations,

Assembly Bill No. 1, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate and regulate telegraph companies" (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Assembly Bill No. 269, entitled

An Act concerning cities of the first class,

Assembly Bill No. 297, entitled

An Act to defray the expense of a special committee of the Legislature,

Assembly Bill No. 321, entitled

An Act to provide for safety attachments for steam railroad cars carrying passengers in this State,

Assembly Bill No. 310, entitled

An Act to exempt hospitals from taxes and water rents,

Assembly Bill No. 311, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting conveyances," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 351, entitled

An Act entitled "An act to prevent unjust discrimination in telegraph rates in New Jersey,"

Assembly Bill No. 331, entitled

An Act concerning the appointment of assessors in cities of the first class,

Assembly Bill No. 342, entitled

An Act to promote purity in legislation,

Assembly Bill No. 290, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further act concerning taxes,' making the same a first lien on real estate," etc.,

Assembly Bill No. 326, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act constituting district courts in certain cities in this State," approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven,

Assembly Bill No. 302, entitled

An Act concerning the purchase of medicines for the poor in cities of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 300, entitled

An Act concerning the construction of sewers in cities of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 291, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to further define the duties of the fish commissioners of the State of New Jersey,"

Assembly Bill No. 323, entitled

A Supplement to an act to amend and consolidate the several acts relating to game and game laws, revised and approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 322, entitled

An Act to amend an act relative to the publication of the laws of this State in the newspapers, approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Assembly Bill No. 288, entitled

Supplement to an act to fix the salaries of the officers of the Senate and General Assembly of N. J.,

Assembly Bill No. 316, entitled

An Act relating to newspapers,

Assembly Bill No. 317, entitled

An Act to protect the fresh water lakes and ponds of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 355, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice in the courts of law," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 299, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning corporations," approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Assembly Bill No. 325, entitled

An Act authorizing constables and police officers in towns and townships to serve warrants and other criminal process,

Assembly Bill No. 277, entitled

An Act to authorize the appointment of fire wardens,

Assembly Bill No. 301, entitled

An Act concerning terms of office of mayors in the cities of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 318, entitled

An Act relative to the election of constables,

Assembly Bill No. 330, entitled

An Act to authorize police service in townships,

Joint Resolution No. 7,

Proposing amendment to the State constitution,

Correctly engrossed.

Mr. Neighbour offered the following resolution :

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That a joint meeting of the two Houses of the Legislature be held in the Assembly Chamber at 12 o'clock noon, on Wednesday, the 5th day of March, inst., for the election of such officers as it is proper for said joint meeting to elect.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Boud, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Doremus, Flynn, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—37.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Campbell, Cole, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Irons, Keasbey, Lupton, Mills, Rue, See, Weaver, Woodruff—20.

Mr. Clarke, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 390, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize the board of chosen freeholders of the respective counties of this State,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 391, entitled

An Act to establish an excise department in certain cities,

Which were read for the first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws.

Mr. Chattle, on leave, introduced

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 11,

Authorizing the purchase of a historical painting representing the presentation of Molly Pitcher to Washington,

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. Rich, on leave introduced

Assembly Bill No. 392, entitled

An Act to amend the first section of an act entitled "An act to better regulate and control a day and night force in certain townships of this State," approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws.

Mr. Harrigan, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 393, entitled

A Supplement to an act to provide means for protection against fires in townships,

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws.

Mr. Harrigan, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 394, entitled

An Act in respect to the salary or compensation of mayors in cities of the first class in this State,

Assembly Bill No. 395, entitled

An Act to authorize persons who may think themselves aggrieved by the judgment or decision of any district court in this State to appeal therefrom,

And

Assembly Bill No. 396, entitled

An Act in respect to sentences of boys to be confined in the reform school at Jamesburg, in this State,

Which were read for the first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws.

Mr. Steljes, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 397, entitled

An Act concerning 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. Robbins, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 398, entitled

An Act to repeal the first section of the act entitled "An act for the protection of fish,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Fisheries.

Mr. Savage, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 399, entitled

An Act entitled "An act in relation to statements of foreign insurance companies,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Banks and Insurance, when appointed

Mr. Byrnes, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 400, entitled

An Act to define and determine eligibility to certain offices in cities,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary, when appointed.

Senate Bill No. 103, entitled

An Act to provide for drainage and sewerage in densely populated townships, in which there is a public water supply,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 6, entitled

An Act to authorize neighboring cities to improve connecting principal streets so as to form continuous thoroughfares,

Were read and concurred in by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell,

Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Woodruff, Wortendyke—52.

In the negative—none.

Mr. McLaughlin, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 401, entitled

An Act to enable cities of this State to furnish better accommodations for their officers and municipal boards, as well as the National Guard of the State therein organized,

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. Lake, Chairman of the Committee on Militia, reported

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 10,

In relation to the record of the officers and soldiers of the late war,

Senate Bill No. 94, entitled

An Act to provide for the storage of military stores and equipments in the possession of Companies B, C and D, of the Sixth Regiment Infantry, Second Brigade National Guard of the State of New Jersey,

Without recommendation.

Senate Bill No. 25, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the organization of the National Guard of New Jersey," approved March 9, 1869, and the various amendments thereto,

Was ordered to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 72, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning corporations," approved April seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-five,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Chattle, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke
—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 Bill No. 58, entitled

An Act to quiet litigation,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, ordered to be engrossed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Cole offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

WHEREAS, it is given but to few men to attain the age of four score years; *and whereas*, the fact of any man serving sixty years of active political life is itself remarkable;

Be it resolved, That the House of Assembly extends to the distinguished and venerable gentlemen from Warren, Hon. J. W. Wildrick, its hearty congratulations upon his having happily

passed his eighty-first birthday, and they wish that he may long survive—a valuable acquisition to the public affairs of this commonwealth.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 251, entitled

An Act to fix the salaries of the bill clerks of the Senate and General Assembly,

Were read and concurred in by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chattle, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, See, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—46.

In the negative—none.

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Passed Bills.

Assembly Bill No. 81, entitled

An Act to provide for the election of road overseers in their respective districts,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armitage, Armstrong, Boud, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Chapman, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrison, Holzwarth, Kelly, Larison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—33.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Caminade, Cole, Haines, Hoffman, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lake, Lehlbach, North, Ross, See, Weaver, Woodruff—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.

Assembly Bill No. 99, entitled

An Act to abolish preferences of creditors by insolvent debtors,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—54.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Lake—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. Harrigan, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 402, entitled

An Act providing for the election of two freeholders in wards of cities in this State 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 Revision of Laws.

Assembly Bill No. 164, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the collection of demands against ships, steamboats and other vessels," approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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. Neighbour, with consent of the House, withdrew

Assembly Bill No. 209, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to morgues and morgue-keepers," approved March fourth, eighteen hundred and seventy-nine,

From the files of the House.

Assembly Bill No. 127, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize cities in this State to issue and dispose of water bonds or water scrip to renew certain water bonds or water scrip," approved January thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Was taken up on third reading.

The vote by which the bill was ordered to a third reading was reconsidered, the amendments of Mr. Keasbey were stricken out, and the bill then ordered to be re-engrossed and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 103, entitled

An Act to repeal "An act explanatory of the proviso of first section of an act providing for State taxes on railroads, and the more efficient collection thereof,"

Was read a third time, and, on motion of Mr. Cole, laid over until to-morrow.

Mr. Chapman offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted :

Resolved, That the Sergeant-at-Arms be and is hereby requested to summon every member and officer of this House to appear in the dining-room of the American House this evening, at 10 o'clock sharp.

Senate Bill No. 112, entitled

An Act to fix the term of office of chosen freeholders,

Was read a second time, and ordered to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 263, entitled

An Act to prevent the pollution of the waters of this State,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, Lupton,

McLaughlin, Mills, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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.

Senate Bill No. 92, entitled

A Further Supplement to the act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was read a second time and ordered to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 101, entitled

An Act to repeal the proviso in section one of an act entitled "An act providing for State taxes on railroads and the more efficient collection thereof,"

Was taken up on third reading and laid over until tomorrow.

On motion of Mr. Ross, the House adjourned.

TUESDAY, March 4th, 1884.

At 10 o'clock the House met.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Westwood.

Upon calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 349, entitled

An Act regulating toll roads, turnpike and plank road companies in this State,

Correctly engrossed.

Senate Bill No. 103, entitled

An Act to provide for drainage and sewerage in densely populated townships in which there is a public water supply,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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.

Senate Bill No. 25, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An Act for the organization of the National Guard of New Jersey," approved March 9, 1869, and the various amendments thereto,

Was read a third time and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Rue, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—43.

In the negative—none.

Mr. Chattle, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 403, entitled

A Further Act relating to the government of cities of the fifth class,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Harrison, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 404, entitled

An Act for the better protection of life and property at railroad crossings,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Railroads and Canals.

Mr. Alcott, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 405, entitled

An Act for the preservation of clams and oysters,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Fisheries.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 358, entitled

A Supplement to "An act to regulate the sale of milk,"

Correctly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. Burgess, the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 133, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the better protection of sheriffs," approved March sixth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine,

Was ordered to a third reading, was reconsidered.

The bill was then amended, ordered to be re-engrossed, and to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 112, entitled

An Act to fix the term of office of chosen freeholders,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Hoffman, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Mills, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wortendyke—33.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Neighbour, O'Connor, Ross, Weaver, Wildrick—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. Burgess,

Assembly Bill No. 349, entitled

An Act regulating toll roads, turnpike and plank road companies in this State,

Was made the special order for Wednesday morning.

Senate Bill No. 73, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was read a second time, and ordered to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 351, entitled

An Act entitled "An act to prevent unjust discrimination in telegraph rates in New Jersey,"

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—51.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Keasbey, North—2.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 304, entitled

An Act to amend "An act to establish a system of public instruction" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, O'Donnell, Prall, Robbins, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—45.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 173, entitled

An Act to fix the salaries of the assistant engrossing clerks of the Senate and House of Assembly,

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Bell, Cadmus, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Keasbey, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Mills, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Steljes—22.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armstrong, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Coombs, Doremus, Haines, Hoffman, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, Neighbour, North, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—36.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 127, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize cities in this State to issue and dispose of water bonds or water scrip to renew certain water bonds or water scrip," approved January thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Correctly engrossed.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

	STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
	SENATE CHAMBER,	
<i>Mr. Speaker—</i>	March 4th, 1884.	

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills:

Assembly Bill No. 33, entitled

A Further Supplement to "An act relative to sales of lands under a public statute, or by virtue of any legal proceeding" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 84, entitled

An Act concerning cities,

Assembly Bill No. 180, entitled

An Act to authorize the payment of the sum of five hundred dollars to the paymaster of the First Regiment Infantry, First Brigade National Guards State of New Jersey, for Company A, of said regiment, its appropriation for the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Assembly Bill No. 226, entitled

An Act to authorize the amendment and re-institution of defective or illegal proceedings for laying out, opening, altering or closing streets and avenues in incorporated boroughs, towns and villages and assessments on account thereof,

Assembly Bill No. 260, entitled

An Act in regard to the numbering of houses in cities,

Without amendments,

And

Assembly Bill No. 113, entitled

An Act to extend the time for the completion of railroads whose charters shall expire by limitation during the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, where work has been performed on said railroad or money expended thereon,

With amendments,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The Senate amendments were read and concurred in.

Assembly Bills Nos. 33, 84, 180, 226 and 260, having passed both Houses, were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills, with the following certificate endorsed on the same :

“I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

HENRY D. WINTON,

Clerk.”

The message was read, and the bills referred to the Committee on passed Bills.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows :

	STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
	SENATE CHAMBER,	
<i>Mr. Speaker—</i>	March 4th, 1884.	

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills :

Senate Bill No. 183, entitled

An Act for the relief of Joseph B. Cornish,

Senate Bill No. 152, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled “An act in relation to ferries,” approved February seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Senate Bill No. 179, entitled

An Act to further amend section seventy-eight of the act entitled “An act for the organization of the National Guard of the State of New Jersey,”

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested..

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The message was taken up, and the Senate bills severally read a first time by their titles, and ordered to have a second reading, and referred to their appropriate committees.

Mr. McLaughlin, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 361, entitled

An Act in relation to the formation of gas companies,

Assembly Bill No. 5, entitled

An Act in relation to cities of this State of the first class, enabling them to form a company to reclaim a stream or streams for the purpose of building a ship canal,

Assembly Bill No. 380, entitled

An Act relative to assessments for sewers in cities of the first class,

With amendments,

And

Assembly Bill No. 258, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act for the construction, maintenance and operation of water works for the purpose of supplying cities, towns and villages of this State with water," which act was approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Adversely,

And

Senate Bill No. 84, entitled

An Act relating to cities of the second class,

Assembly Bill No. 306, entitled,

An Act to regulate the manner of publishing ordinances in incorporated cities of the third class,

Favorably.

The amendments made in committee were concurred in.

The report was then adopted, and the bills ordered to take their places on the calendar.

On motion of Armstrong, the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 313, entitled

An Act for the taxation of railroads and canals,

Was ordered to a third reading, was reconsidered.

Mr. Armstrong offered amendments,

Which were read and adopted.

The bill was then ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Lupton, the House adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At 3 o'clock the House met.

Upon calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee,

Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Mr. Savage, Chairman of the Committee on Fisheries, reported

Senate Bill No. 22, entitled

An Act to prohibit fishing by steamers and other vessels with shirred or purse seines in any of the waters within the jurisdiction of the State of New Jersey,

Favorably.

Mr. Wildrick, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No. 183, entitled

An Act for the relief of Joseph B. Cornish,

Favorably.

Which report was read and accepted, and the bill ordered to take its proper place on the calendar.

Assembly Bill No. 249, entitled

An Act concerning overseers of the highways,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rue, Scott, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff—40.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Boud, Doremus, Neighbour, Weaver, Wortendyke—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. Fish, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 406, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning marriages, births and deaths,"

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Campbell, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 407, entitled

An Act in relation to 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. Keasbey, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 408, entitled

An Act relating to the manufacture and transportation of explosive materials with intent to injure persons or property in this State or elsewhere,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Keasbey, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 409, entitled

An Act to provide for a standard time 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 Revision of Laws.

Mr. Haines, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 410, entitled

An Act in relation to the collection of interest on mortgages,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary, and ordered printed before reported.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 4th, 1884. }

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. 175, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the relief of creditors against heirs and devisees," passed March seventh, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven,

Senate Bill No. 155, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize and regulate the business of banking," approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Senate Bill No. 166, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate fisheries in the river Delaware, and for other purposes," passed the twenty-sixth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and eight,

Senate Bill No. 180, entitled

An Act to aid in preserving peace and good order in townships,

Senate Bill No. 182, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend and consolidate the several acts relating to game and game fish," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Bill No. 186, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act relating to the proceeds of real estate sold or taken by law,"

Senate Joint Resolution, No. 7, entitled

Joint Resolution thanking his Excellency Governor William A. Newell for his services in originating and devising the life saving service,

Senate Bill No. 193, entitled

A Supplement to the act concerning taxes, approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Senate Bill No. 191, entitled

An Act to authorize thief detecting societies to exercise police powers in townships,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The message was taken up, and the Senate bills severally read a first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to their appropriate committees.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
Mr. Speaker— March 4th, 1884. }

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills:

Assembly Bill No. 155, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act respecting the salaries and compensations of clerks of counties in this State," approved March eleventh, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty,

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 5, entitled

Joint Resolution for the passage in Congress of a national marriage and divorce act,

With amendments,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Amendments concurred in.

Said bills having passed both Houses, were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills, with the following certificate endorsed on the same:

"I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

HENRY D. WINTON,

Clerk."

Mr. Armstrong, on leave, withdrew

Assembly Bill No. 371, entitled

An Act concerning assessments, life and accident insurance corporations, associations and societies,

From the files of the House.

Assembly Bill No. 127, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize cities in this State to issue and dispose of water bonds or water scrip to renew certain water bonds or water scrip," approved January thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armstrong, Boud, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Ludlam Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, Scott, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—44.

In the negative—was

Mr. Cole—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. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 363, entitled

An Act to establish schools of art, or technical schools, in cities of the first and second classes in this State,

Correctly engrossed.

Assembly Bill No. 221, entitled

A Supplement to "An act concerning inns and taverns" (Revision), approved April seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Was read a third time by title, and laid over until to-morrow.

Assembly Bill No. 205, entitled

An Act extending powers of health or sanitary inspectors,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—51.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 254, entitled

An Act to provide for granting or disposing of lands under water in this State,

Assembly Bill No. 388, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a license and excise department in certain cities,"

Assembly Bill No. 77, entitled

A Further Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 10,

In relation to the record of the officers and soldiers of the late war,

Were severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, ordered to be engrossed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 238, entitled

An Act relative to the fees of the assessors and collectors of taxes of this State,

Was taken up on third reading and laid over.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 319, entitled

An Act explanatory of section twenty-two of the act entitled "An act relative to public printing," approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Correctly engrossed.

Assembly Bill No. 257, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to increase the powers of township committees," approved March eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Keasbey, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Ross, Savage, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Woodruff, Wortendyke—40.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Boud, Campbell, Chattle, Irons, Jernee, Neighbour, Rue, Scott, Weaver, Wildrick—12.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 132, entitled

An Act entitled "An act to amend section two of a supplement to an act to partially consolidate the several game laws of this State, chapter sixteen," approved February eight, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Mills, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Rue, Savage, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—34.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Boud, Budd, Campbell, Flynn, Harrison, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, Neighbour, Ross, Scott, Weaver, Woodruff—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.

Mr. Rich, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No. 390, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize the board of chosen freeholders of the respective counties of this State,"

Assembly Bill No. 391, entitled

An Act to establish an excise department in certain cities,
Favorably,

Which report was read and accepted, and the bills ordered to take their proper places on the calendar.

Mr. Budd, Chairman of the Committee on Commerce and Navigation, reported

Assembly Bill No. 328, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to preserve the navigation of the rivers and creeks within the State of New Jersey," approved April twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 280, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the collection of demands against ships, steamboats and other vessels," approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven,

Favorably,

Which report was read and accepted, and the bills ordered to take their proper places on the calendar.

Assembly Bill No. 319, entitled

An Act explanatory of section twenty-two of the act entitled "An act relative to public printing," approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Fish, Harrison, Holzwarth, Keasbey, North, Steljes, Weaver—7.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Boud, Branning, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman,

Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—41.

On motion of Mr. Caminade, the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 388, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a license and excise department in certain cities"

Was ordered to third reading, was reconsidered, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 290, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further act concerning taxes,' making the same a first lien on real estate," etc.,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrison, Holzwarth, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—45.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 358, entitled

A Supplement to an act to regulate the sale of milk,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—45.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Ross—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 391, entitled

An Act to establish an excise department in certain cities,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 235, entitled

An Act providing for the publication of laws in the New Jersey Coast Pilot,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Irons, Jernee, Larison, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Prall, Ross, Rue, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Weaver, Woodruff, Wortendyke—35.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Wildrick—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. McLaughlin, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 364, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the formation of borough governments," approved April fifth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

Senate Bill No. 168, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act in relation to encumbered cities," approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one,

Favorably,

Which report was read and accepted, and the bills ordered to take their proper places on the calendar.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Senate Bill No. 64, entitled

An Act concerning a division of wards in cities of the third class in this State,

With House amendments, correctly engrossed.

Assembly Bill No. 213, entitled

A Supplement to an act concerning townships and township officers, approved April twenty-one, eighteen hundred and seventy-six,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Harrison, Irons, Keasbey, Larison, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, O'Donnell, Prall, Rue, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff—32.

In the negative, was—

Mr. North—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.

The special committee to investigate the financial affairs of any city of the first class, reports as follows :

To the General Assembly of the State of New Jersey :

The undersigned, your committee, which was appointed by the following resolution : “*Resolved*, That a committee of three members be appointed by the Speaker, with power to investigate the board of finance and indebtedness of any city of the first class, and to examine all indebtedness outstanding by such city, and whether the bonds representing the same have been legally issued, and also the character of all sinking funds of such city and all proceedings for the sale of bonds, with power to send for persons and papers, and to appoint a clerk, if necessary, and, by its chairman, to administer oaths; such committee to sit during recess and to report to the next Legislature,” passed on the 23d day of March, A. D. 1883, respectfully report as follows :

That your committee convened at the City Hall, at the city of Jersey City, in May, 1883, and organized by the selection of Hon. John Armitage, as chairman, and Hon. Wm. B. Rankin, as clerk, of said committee; that thereafter, in pursuance of said resolution, your committee subpoenaed as witnesses the Mayor of Jersey City and the persons composing the Board of Finance of said city, and other persons supposed to be familiar with the

financial condition of said Jersey City and the sale of its securities, requiring such persons to attend at the City Hall, in said city, and give evidence before your committee. In pursuance of such appointments, your committee attended, on many occasions, at said City Hall, and awaited the attendance of witnesses. But said witnesses failed to appear, though duly served out subpoena. Your committee were informed that said witnesses declined to recognize the authority of this General Assembly to conduct the inquiry contemplated by said resolution.

A majority of your committee were willing to proceed under the statutes of this State, authorizing the Speaker of the General Assembly to issue his warrant of arrest to bring said witnesses before the committee, and entertained the project of applying to the then Speaker, Hon. Thomas O'Connor, to issue his warrants to arrest said witnesses as provided for by law; but in consequence of his (said Speaker's) illness, and knowing that the matter would produce such hearings and applications by the parties interested as would be prejudicial to his extremely delicate health, your committee awaited the hoped-for improvement of the ex-Speaker's health. But before your committee could make any such application the ex-Speaker, said Hon. Thomas O'Connor, died, and, consequently, your committee were unable to use any coercive measures to obtain a statement of the financial condition of said Jersey City, and, therefore, although your committee did all in its power, it is unable to present any further report, as no evidence could be obtained officially by reason of the matters aforesaid.

Your committee entertains no doubt of the rights of this General Assembly to compel the attendance of witnesses upon any inquiry into any subject of legislation, or upon which legislation, that it would be well to have provisions of laws making it matter of serious consequence for persons to willfully refuse to attend before legislative committees. It does not appear that outside of New Jersey any such defiance of a legislative resolution of inquiry has ever taken place, while repeated inquiries by legislative committees in the city of New York, where the heads of departments have uniformly testified, show that the power is unquestioned.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN ARMITAGE,
THOMAS V. CATOR.

On motion of Mr. Cole, the report was received and spread on the minutes of the House.

Mr. Neighbour, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 411, entitled

An Act to provide for the payment of the expenses of a special committee of the House of Assembly to investigate the subject of riparian rights,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Riparian Rights.

A message was received from the Governor at the hands of his Private Secretary, Willard Fisk, transmitting to the House the following report:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Trenton, March 4th, 1884. }

Mr. Speaker—

I have this day approved and signed the following bills, which originated in the House of Assembly, and have delivered the same to the Secretary of State, to be filed in his office:

Assembly Bill No. 33, entitled

A Further Supplement to "An act relative to sales of lands under a public statute or by virtue of any legal proceeding" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 251, entitled

An Act to fix the salaries of the bill clerks of the Senate and General Assembly.

LEON ABBETT,

Governor.

Assembly Bill No. 297, entitled

An Act to defray the expense of a special committee of the Legislature,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Bell, Boud, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Ross, Scott, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Woodruff—33.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Larison, Wildrick—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.

Senate Bill No. 102, entitled

An Act to repeal section one of "An act fixing the amount to be expended by boards of education in certain cities of this State for permanent improvements in any one year," approved March fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine,

Was ordered to third reading.

Mr. McLaughlin, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 340, entitled

Act concerning the collection of taxes in cities of this State and to authorize actions at law therefor,

Favorably,

Which report was read and accepted, and the bill ordered to take its proper place on the calendar.

On motion of Mr. Neighbour, the House adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, March 5th, 1884.

At 10 o'clock A. M. the House met.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Brooks.

Upon calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names :

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Neighbour, Chairman of the Committee on Federal Relations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 367, entitled

An Act granting boroughs in counties of the second class the right to license inns, taverns and saloons,

Favorably.

Mr. Savage, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads and Canals, reported

Assembly Bill No. 168, entitled

An Act concerning the use of passenger elevators on horse railroads in cities,

Assembly Bill No. 404, entitled

An Act for the better protection of life and property at railroad crossings,

Assembly Bill No. 233, entitled

An Act concerning the running of ferry boats,

Without recommendation,

Senate Bill No. 8, entitled

An Act relating to the payment of money to executors, administrators or trustees, under a trust or power, and discharge on the payment thereof,

Senate Bill No. 67, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of railroad corporations and regulate the same," approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three,

Favorably,

Which report was read and accepted, and the bills ordered to take their proper places on the calendar.

Mr. Ross, Chairman of the Committee on Riparian Rights, reported

Assembly Bill No. 411, entitled

An Act to provide for the payment of the expenses of a special committee of the House of Assembly to investigate the subject of riparian rights,

Favorably,

Which report was read and accepted, and the bill ordered to take its proper place on the calendar.

Mr. Chapman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 412, entitled

An Act in relation to assessors and collectors in boroughs and townships in this State,

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations, when appointed.

Mr. Rich, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 413, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Weehawken Fire Department of the township of North Bergen, Hudson county,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Alcott, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 414, entitled

An Act to require telegraph companies to establish in certain cases offices for the transmission and reception of messages,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Stoney, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 415, entitled

An Act for the better protection of mortgagees,

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary, when appointed.

Assembly Bill No. 314, entitled

An Act tendering to any railroad or canal company having contract exemptions and privileges with respect to taxation and subject to the option of the State, reserved in the charter of such company, to take its property at a valuation not exceeding cost, a release of said option on surrender of said exemptions and privileges,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, ordered to be engrossed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 315, entitled

An Act providing for State taxes on railroads, and the more efficient collection thereof, and the supplements thereto,

Was taken up, ordered to be engrossed, and 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 5th, 1884. }

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. 65, entitled

An Act granting to boroughs and towns the right to license inns, taverns and saloons,

Senate Bill No. 83, entitled

An Act to prevent crime,

Senate Bill No. 86, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a bureau of statistics upon the subject of labor, considered in its relation to the growth and development of the State industries,"

Senate Bill No. 128, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the formation of borough governments," approved April fifth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

Senate Bill No. 162, entitled

An Act to enforce the payment of taxes in cities of this State,

Senate Bill No. 172, entitled

A Further 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 March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Bill No. 184, entitled

An Act providing an additional appropriation for the support of the New Jersey Home for Disabled Soldiers,

Senate Bill No. 192, entitled

A Supplement to an act relative to the publication of the laws of this State in the newspapers, approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The message was taken up, and the Senate bills severally read a first time by their titles, and ordered to have a second reading, and referred to their appropriate committees.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

	STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
	SENATE CHAMBER,	
<i>Mr. Speaker—</i>	March 5th, 1884.	

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed a resolution requesting the return of

Senate Bill No. 166, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate fisheries in the river Delaware, and for other purposes," passed the twenty-sixth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and eight,

For further consideration,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

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, }
Mr. Speaker— March 5th, 1884. }

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills :

Assembly Bill No. 149, entitled

An Act concerning official newspapers in cities of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 172, entitled

An Act to authorize the establishment of free public libraries in the cities of this State,

Senate Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 278, entitled

An Act authorizing aqueduct boards of cities of the first class to issue bonds for the payment of indebtedness, and for the construction, extension and maintenance of water works,

With amendment,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The amendments were read and ordered to be engrossed, and 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 5th, 1884. }
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. 183, entitled.

An Act to provide for the formation and regulation of co-operative societies of workingmen,

Assembly Bill No. 283, entitled

Amendment to an act establishing a system of public instruction,

Assembly Bill No. 352, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to prevent the spread of glanders in horses," approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four,

Without amendments.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

• Assembly Bill No. 378, entitled

An Act to provide for the imposition of State taxes upon certain corporations, and for the collection thereof,

Was taken up on second reading, and laid over temporarily, pending the consideration of Mr. Prall's amendments.

Assembly Bill No. 388, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a license and excise department in certain cities,"

Assembly Bill No. 350, entitled

• An Act to fix the duties of the door-keepers and gallery-keepers of the Senate and General Assembly,

Assembly Bill No. 411, entitled

An Act to provide for the payment of the expenses of a special committee of the House of Assembly to investigate the subject of riparian rights,

Were severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 341, entitled

An Act concerning cities of this State,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, ordered to be engrossed, and to have a third reading:

Assembly Bill No. 349, entitled

An Act regulating toll roads, turnpike and plank road companies in this State,

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Armitage, Bell, Branning, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Carson, Chapman, Cole, Dickinson, Fish, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lupton, O'Connor, Rich, Rue, Scott, Steljes, Woodruff—26.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Boud, Budd, Caminade, Campbell, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Prall, Robbins, Ross, Savage, See, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—34.

Assembly Bill No. 378, entitled

An Act to provide for the imposition of State taxes upon certain corporations, and for the collection thereof,

Assembly Bill No. 308, entitled

An Act authorizing township committees to discharge the duties of overseers of roads in certain cases,

Were severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Mr. Armstrong, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 416, entitled

An Act validating in certain cases sales and conveyances of lands situate in adjoining counties heretofore made by a sheriff of one of such counties,

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws.

Mr. Harrison, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 417, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize municipal corporations to contract for a supply of water for public uses,"

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. Rue, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 418, entitled

An Act relating to private night watchman,

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. Harrigan offered the following resolution, which was read and lost :

WHEREAS, F. F. Patterson, the contractor for the current printing of the House, is not performing his work with promptness and dispatch, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Clerk of this House be authorized to inquire into the cause of the delay in the printing of bills, and report to the House forthwith.

Mr. Budd offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted.

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That his Excellency the Governor be requested to return to the House of Assembly, where they originated, for further consideration,

Assembly Bill No. 248, entitled

Supplement to the "Supplement to 'An act to establish an Agricultural Experiment Station,' "

Assembly Bill No. 242, entitled

An Act entitled "An act to organize and establish a State Board of Agriculture."

Mr. Prall moved to reconsider the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 349, entitled

An Act regulating toll roads, turnpike and plank road companies in this State,

Was lost.

Mr. Fish moved to lay the motion on the table,

Which was agreed to by a *viva voce* vote.

Assembly Bill No. 138, entitled

An Act concerning incorporated towns and certain officers thereof,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 221, entitled

A Supplement to "An act concerning inns and taverns" (Revision), approved April seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armstrong, Campbell, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Haines, Harrison, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, Neighbour, Ross, Rue, Stafford, Woodruff—18.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Boud, Branning, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Clarke, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Mills, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—40.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the 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. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 113, entitled

An Act to extend the time for the completion of railroads whose charters shall expire by limitation during the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, where work has been performed on said railroad or money expended thereon,

Assembly Bill No. 391, entitled

An Act to establish an excise department in certain cities,

Assembly Bill No. 411, entitled

An Act to provide for the payment of the expenses of a special committee of the House of Assembly to investigate the subject of riparian rights,

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 10,

In relation to the record of the officers and soldiers of the late war,

Correctly engrossed.

Assembly Bill No. 331, entitled

An Act concerning the appointment of assessors in cities of the first class,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Armstrong, Boud, Branning, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—46.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Bell, Dickinson, Holzwarth, Lehlbach, See—5.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign[®] the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senaté and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

On motion of Mr. Clarke, the vote by which

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 10,

In relation to the record of the officers and soldiers of the late war,

Was ordered to a third reading, was reconsidered, and the bill laid over temporarily.

Mr. McLaughlin, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 397, entitled

An Act concerning cities,

Assembly Bill No. 296, entitled

. An Act relating to cities,

Assembly Bill No. 401, entitled

An Act to enable cities of this State to furnish better accommodations for their officers and municipal boards, as well as the National Guard of the State therein organized,

Favorably,

Which report was read and accepted, and the bills ordered to take their proper places on the calendar.

Assembly Bill No. 279, entitled

An Act in relation to the hours of labor of the drivers and conductors of horse cars,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clark, Cole, Coombs, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—
53.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Boud, Dickinson, Ludlam, Weaver—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. 113, entitled

An Act to extend the time for the completion of railroads whose charters shall expire by limitation during the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, where work has been performed on said railroad or money expended thereon,

Were read and concurred in by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—54.

In the negative—none.

Assembly Bill No. 411, entitled

An Act to provide for the payment of the expenses of a special committee of the House of Assembly to investigate the subject of riparian rights,

Was taken up on second reading, and, under suspension of the rules, ordered to a third reading, read by title, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke
—54.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Larison—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. Clarke, the House adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At 3 o'clock the House met.

Upon calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names :

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs,

Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Mr. Rich, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Senate Bill No. 54, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes,"

Favorably,

Senate Bill No. 2, entitled

A Supplément to an act entitled "An act to limit the age and employment hours of labor of children, minors and women, and to appoint an inspector for the enforcement of the same," approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

With amendments.

The amendments were concurred in.

Assembly Bill No. 238, entitled

An Act relative to the fees of the assessors and collectors of taxes of this State,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Harrigan, Hoffman, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Scott, See, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Wortendyke—35.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Bell, Boud, Burgess, Cadmus, Carson, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, North, Weaver—14.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 133, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the better protection of sheriffs," approved March sixth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine,

Correctly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. Flynn,

Senate Bill No. 2, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to limit the age and employment hours of labor of children, minors and women, and to appoint an inspector for the enforcement of the same," approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Was recommitted.

The following communication was received from the Governor at the hands of his Private Secretary, Willard Fisk :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Trenton, March 5th, 1884. }

To the House of Assembly:

I herewith transmit a communication from Hon. George B. Loring, United States Commissioner of Agriculture, together

with the accompanying memorial from a committee of the American Forestry Congress, which I am requested to submit to your consideration.

Respectfully,

LEON ABBETT,

Governor.

The message was received, and the communication referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Assembly Bill No. 126, entitled

An Act to empower notaries public with the power of commissioner of deeds,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, North, Rich, Scott, Stafford, Weaver, Wortendyke—35.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Cadmus, Chapman, Hough, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lupton, Neighbour, O'Donnell, Prall, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker)—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.

Mr. Fish, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 419, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to sales of land under a public statute or by virtue of any judicial proceedings," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred seventy-four,

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary, when appointed.

On motion of Mr. Rich, the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 138, entitled

An Act concerning incorporated towns and certain officers thereof,

Was ordered to a third reading, was reconsidered.

The bill was then read again, amended, ordered to be re-engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 391, entitled

An Act to establish an excise department in certain cities,

Was read a third time and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—42.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Carson, Rue, Savage—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.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 5th, 1884. }

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. 149, entitled

An Act concerning official newspapers in cities of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 172, entitled

An Act to authorize the establishment of free public libraries in the cities of this State,

Senate Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 278, entitled

An Act authorizing aqueduct boards of cities of the first class to issue bonds for the payment of indebtedness, and for the construction, extension and maintenance of water works,

With amendments,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The amendments were concurred in.

Assembly Bills Nos. 149 and 172 having passed both Houses, were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills, with the following certificate endorsed on the same:

“I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

HENRY D. WINTON,

Clerk.”

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 278, entitled

An Act authorizing aqueduct boards of cities of the first class to issue bonds for the payment of indebtedness, and for the construction, extension and maintenance of water works,

Assembly Bill No. 149, entitled

An Act concerning official newspapers in cities of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 172, entitled

An Act to authorize the establishment of free public libraries in the cities of this State,

Were read a first time and ordered to have a second reading.

Mr. Caminade moved to reconsider the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 126, entitled

An act to empower notaries public with the power of commissioner of deeds

Was passed.

Mr. Rich moved to lay the motion on the table,

Which was not agreed to, by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Chapman, Fish, Jenkins, Keasbey, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, Steljes—11.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armitage, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, North, O'Donnell, Scott, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—36.

The motion to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed was then lost by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Cadmus, Fish, Hough, Jenkins, Mills, Prall, Rich, Rue, Savage, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker)
—13.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Ross, Scott, Stafford, Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—39.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 10,

In relation to the record of the officers and soldiers of the late war,

Ordered to be engrossed, and to have a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Armstrong, the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 313, entitled

An Act for the taxation of railroads and canals,

Was ordered to a third reading, was reconsidered,

Was amended, ordered engrossed and have a third reading, and made a special order for Thursday morning.

Mr. Ross, Chairman of the Committee on Riparian Rights, reported

Assembly Bill No. 389, entitled

A Further Supplement to the act respecting bridges, approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Favorably.

Mr. Rich, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No. 402, entitled

An Act providing for the election of two freeholders in wards of cities in this State in certain cases,

With amendments,

The amendments were concurred in.

Mr. McLaughlin, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 417, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize municipal corporations to contract for a supply of water for public uses,"

And

Senate Bill No. 161, entitled

An Act relating to arrearage for the use or rents of water furnished by cities wherein water works are owned by the city and controlled by the city authorities,

Senate Bill No. 160, entitled

An Act to provide for the payment of indebtedness incurred in excess of appropriation made to any city board having control of the improvement and reconstruction of streets and sewers,

Favorably,

Which report was read and accepted, and the bills ordered to take their proper places on the calendar.

Assembly Bill No. 133, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the better protection of sheriffs," approved March sixth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Boud, Branning, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Ross, Rue, Savage, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—44.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Clarke moved to reconsider the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 111, entitled

An Act to regulate fares on horse cars in cities of the second class,

Was lost,

Which was agreed to by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Bell, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Doremus, Fish, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Mills, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Wildrick, Wortendyke—35.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Branning, Campbell, Coombs, North, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker)—7.

The bill was then passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clark, Cole, Doremus, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Rue, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—38.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armstrong, Branning, Campbell, Coombs, Dickinson, North, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker)—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.

The vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 363, entitled

An Act to establish schools of art, or technical schools, in cities of the first and second classes in this State,

Was ordered to a third reading, was reconsidered, amended, ordered engrossed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 303, entitled

An Act concerning cities,

Assembly Bill No. 402, entitled

An Act providing for the election of two freeholders in wards of cities in this State in certain cases,

Were severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 307, entitled

An Act for the better securing and enjoyment of wages to workmen and laborers in the State of New Jersey,

Was ordered engrossed, and to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 73, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—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.

Assembly Bill No. 401, entitled

An Act to enable cities of this State to furnish better accommodations for their officers and municipal boards, as well as the National Guard of the State therein organized,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 84, entitled

An Act relating to cities of the second class,

Senate Bill No. 87, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to sales of land under a public statute or by virtue of any judicial proceedings" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
Mr. Speaker— March 5th, 1884. }

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills:

Assembly Bill No. 141, entitled

A Supplement to an act for the preservation of fish,

Assembly Bill No. 207, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate elections," approved April eighteen, eighteen hundred and seventy-six,

Without amendments,

And

Assembly Bill No. 259, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act for the organization of the National Guard of the State of New Jersey," approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine,

With amendments,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The amendments were concurred in.

Assembly Bills Nos. 141 and 207, having passed both Houses, were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills, with the following certificate endorsed on the same :

"I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

HENRY D. WINTON,

Clerk."

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER, }
1884. }

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. 108, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections," approved April eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The message was taken up, and the Senate bill read a first time by its title, and ordered to have a second reading, and referred to its appropriate committee.

Senate Bill No. 90, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the settlement and relief of the poor,"

Was ordered to have a third reading.

A message was received from the Governor at the hands of his Private Secretary, Willard Fisk, transmitting to the House the following report:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Trenton, March 5th, 1884. }

Mr. Speaker—

I have this day approved and signed the following bills, which originated in the House of Assembly, and have delivered the same to the Secretary of State, to be filed in his office:

Assembly Bill No. 78, entitled

A Further Supplement to "An act for the construction, maintenance and operation of water-works for the purpose of supplying cities, towns and villages of this State with water," approved April twenty-first, eighteen hundred and seventy-six,

Assembly Bill No. 189, entitled

An Act to amend the fourteenth section of an act entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the organization of the National Guard of the State of New Jersey,' approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine," and the various amendments thereto,

Assembly Bill No. 245, entitled

Supplement to "An act for the preservation of sheep."

LEON ABBETT,

Governor.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 388, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a license and excise department in certain cities,"

Correctly engrossed.

Senate Bill No. 40, 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, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 57, entitled

An Act concerning recognizances in criminal cases,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 300, entitled

An Act concerning the construction of sewers in cities of this State,

Was read a third time and recommitted.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 308, entitled

An Act authorizing township committees to discharge the duties of overseers of roads in certain cases,

Correctly engrossed.

Mr. Prall, Chairman of the Committee on Banks and Insurance, reported

Assembly Bill No. 399, entitled

An Act entitled "An act in relation to statements of foreign insurance companies,"

Favorably.

Assembly Bill No. 308, entitled

An Act authorizing township committees to discharge the duties of overseers of roads in certain cases,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, North, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick—43.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Boud, Doremus, Ludlam, Neighbour, Stafford, Woodruff—6.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 388, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a license and excise department in certain cities,"

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 149, entitled

An Act concerning official newspapers in cities of this State,

With Senate amendments,

Correctly engrossed.

Mr. Caminade offered the following resolution, which was read :

Resolved, That when this House adjourn, it be to meet again at 8 o'clock this evening.

Which was laid on the table by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Bell, Boud, Branning, Byrnes, Cadmus, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Jenkins, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Robbins, Savage, See, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—34.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Budd, Burgess, Caminade, Campbell, Chattle, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Irons, Keasbey, Larison, Ludlam, North, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Weaver—23.

Assembly Bill No. 149, entitled

An Act concerning official newspaper in cities of this State,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Mills, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, See, Stafford, Steljes, Wildrick, Wortendyke—39.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Chattle, Jenkins, Lupton, Neighbour, Scott, Weaver—6.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 302, entitled

An Act concerning the purchase of medicines for the poor in cities of this State,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—41.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 184, entitled

An Act to authorize the boards of councilmen of incorporated towns in this State to license, regulate and prohibit the sale of malt, spirituous, vinous, and other liquors,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messr. Applegate, Bell, Boud, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Cam-
inade, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs,
Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins,
Jernee, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton,
McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich,
Robbins, Ross, Rue, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Wildrick,
Wortendyke—38.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Weaver—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 5th, 1884. }

Mr. Speaker—

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has concurred in the resolution of the House of Assembly, requesting his Excellency the Governor to return to the House, for further consideration,

Assembly Bill No. 242, entitled

An Act entitled "An act to organize and establish a State Board of Agriculture,"

Assembly Bill No. 248, entitled

Supplement to the "Supplement to 'An act to establish an Agricultural Experiment Station.'"

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

On leave, Mr. Burgess withdrew

Assembly Bill No. 20, entitled

An Act relative to the stoppage of railway trains at cities of the first class in this State,

From the files of the House.

Assembly Bill No. 101, entitled

An Act to repeal the proviso in section one of an act entitled "An act providing for State taxes on railroads and the more efficient collection thereof,"

Was read a third time, and laid over temporarily.

On motion of Mr. O'Connor, the House adjourned.

THURSDAY, March 6th, 1884.

At 10 o'clock the House met.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Westwood.

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Wildrick, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 412, entitled

An Act in relation to assessors and collectors in boroughs and townships in this State,

Favorably.

Mr. Larison, Chairman of the Committee on Industrial School for Girls, reported

Assembly Bill No. 365, entitled

A Supplement to the act for establishing a State Industrial School for Girls, approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one,

Favorably.

Mr. Rich, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No. 416, entitled

An Act validating in certain cases sales and conveyances of lands situate in adjoining counties heretofore made by a sheriff of one of such counties,

And

Senate Bill No. 186, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act relating to the proceeds of real estate sold or taken by law,"

Favorably.

Mr. Woodruff, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 420, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the settlement and relief of the poor," 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. Neighbour, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Assembly Bill No. 382, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act to provide for the filing of a lis pendens in actions, either at law or in equity, relating to or affecting the possession or title of lands or real estate," approved February sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty,

Assembly Bill No. 386, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning disorderly persons," approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Assembly Bill No. 406, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning marriages, births and deaths,"

Assembly Bill No. 415, entitled

An Act for the better protection of mortgagees,

Assembly Bill No. 419, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to sales of land under a public statute or by virtue of any judicial proceedings," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

And

Senate Bill No. 65, entitled

An Act granting to boroughs and towns the right to license inns, taverns and saloons,

Senate Bill No. 162, entitled

An Act to enforce the payment of taxes in cities of this State,

Senate Bill No. 167, entitled

An Act concerning acknowledgments of mortgages,

Senate Bill No. 165, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize and regulate the business of banking," approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Senate Joint Resolution No. 7, entitled

Joint Resolution thanking his Excellency Governor William A. Newell for his services in originating and devising the life saving service,

Favorably,

Which report was read and accepted, and the bills ordered to take their proper places on the calendar.

Mr. Neighbour, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Assembly Bill No. 374, entitled

A Supplement to an act relative to the publication of the laws of this State in the newspapers, approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Assembly Bill No. 384, entitled

A Supplement to "An act constituting district courts in certain cities in this State," approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, and extending the same to counties of the second class,

Assembly Bill No. 400, entitled

An Act to define and determine eligibility to certain offices in cities,

Assembly Bill No. 377, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of this State,"

Favorably,

And

Senate Bill No. 191, entitled

An Act to authorize thief detecting societies to exercise police powers in townships,

Senate Bill No. 193, entitled

A Supplement to the act concerning taxes, approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Favorably,

Which report was read and accepted, and the bills ordered to take their proper places on the calendar.

Assembly Bill No. 404, entitled

An Act for the better protection of life and property at railroad crossings,

Assembly Bill No. 14, entitled

An Act to protect all citizens in their civil and legal rights,

Were recommitted.

Assembly Bill No. 252, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to the publication of the laws in the newspapers," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Bell, Branning, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Scott, See, Wortendyke—35.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armstrong, Burgess, Carson, Cole, Dickinson, Haines, Jenkins, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, Savage, Weaver, Wildrick—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.

A message was received from the Governor by the hands of his Private Secretary, Willard Fisk, transmitting to the House the following report :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Trenton, March 5th, 1884. }

Mr. Speaker—

I have this day approved and signed the following bills, which originated in the House of Assembly, and have delivered the same to the Secretary of State, to be filed in his office :

Assembly Bill No. 19, entitled

A Supplement to "An act respecting bridges" (Revision), approved April tenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 226, entitled

An Act to authorize the amendment and re-institution of defective or illegal proceedings for laying out, opening, altering or closing streets and avenues in incorporated boroughs, towns and villages and assessments on account thereof.

LEON ABBETT,

Governor.

A message was received from the Governor at the hands of his Private Secretary, Willard Fisk, transmitting to the House the following report :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Trenton, March 6th, 1884. }

Hon. A. B. Stoney, Speaker of the House of Assembly :

SIR—I return herewith, as requested by the House of Assembly,

Assembly Bill No. 248, entitled

Supplement to the “Supplement to ‘An act to establish an Agricultural Experiment Station,’ ”

Assembly Bill No. 242, entitled

An Act entitled “An act to organize and establish a State Board of Agriculture.”

Respectfully,

LEON ABBETT,

Governor.

Assembly Bill No. 17, entitled

An Act concerning railroad passage tickets,

Was read a third time, and, on motion of Mr. Cole, the enacting clause was stricken out.

Mr. Burgess offered the following resolution, which was read :

Resolved, That members of the Assembly of this State do most earnestly recommend to his Excellency the Governor, and the Comptroller of this State, that the newspaper known as the *Labor Standard*, published at Paterson, New Jersey, be designated as one of the papers in the county of Passaic in which the laws of the State be published.

On motion of Mr. Flynn, the above resolution was laid on the table.

Mr. Wildrick, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 193, entitled

An Act in relation to common carriers.

Assembly Bill No. 139, entitled

An Act amending an act to authorize the construction of school houses in cities of the first class of this State, approved February thirteenth, eighteen hundred and eighty-three.

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke
—53.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, That the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 193 entitled

An Act in relation to common carriers,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 361, entitled

An Act in relation to the formation of gas companies,

And

Assembly Bill No. 399, entitled

An Act entitled "An act in relation to statements of foreign insurance companies,"

Were ordered engrossed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 338, entitled

An Act concerning inns and taverns,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 183, entitled

An Act for the relief of Joseph B. Cornish,

Was ordered to a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 65, entitled

An Act granting to boroughs and towns the right to license inns, taverns and saloons,

Was read a second time and ordered to have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Boud, Branning Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chat-
tle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn,
Haines, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins,
Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Lud-
lam, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell,
Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Steljes,
Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wor-
tendyke—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.

Assembly Bill No. 310, entitled

An Act to exempt hospitals from taxes and water rents,

Was taken up on its third reading and reconsidered, amended, ordered re-engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 291, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to further define the duties of the fish commissioners of the State of New Jersey,"

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chat-
tle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn,
Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth,
Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake,
Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Mills, Neigh-
bour, North, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Rue,
Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker),
Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—52.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 402, entitled

An Act providing for the election of two freeholders in wards of cities in this State in certain cases;

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 10,

In relation to the record of the officers and soldiers of the late war,

Assembly Bill No. 314, entitled

An Act tendering to any railroad or canal company having contract exemptions and privileges with respect to taxation and subject to the option of the State, reserved in the charter of such company, to take its property at a valuation not exceeding cost, a release of said option on surrender of said exemptions and privileges,

Assembly Bill No. 315, entitled

An Act providing for State taxes on railroads, and the more efficient collection thereof, and the supplements thereto,

Assembly Bill No. 363, entitled

An Act to establish schools of art, or technical schools, in cities of the first and second classes in this State,

Assembly Bill No. 338, entitled

An Act concerning inns and taverns,

Correctly engrossed.

Senate Bill No. 91, entitled

An Act to promote the more general understanding of the system of government of the United States and of the State of New Jersey,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 361, entitled

An Act in relation to the formation of gas companies.

The vote by which the bill was ordered to a third reading was reconsidered, amended, ordered re-engrossed, and 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 6th, 1884. }

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. 46, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to re-organize the local government of the township of West Hoboken,' passed March the twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four," which supplement was approved April eighth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Assembly Bill No. 308, entitled

An Act authorizing township committees to discharge the duties of overseers of roads in certain cases,

Assembly Bill No. 109, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the incorporation of fire companies," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Assembly Bill No. 264, entitled

An Act concerning the publication of financial statements in cities of this State,

With amendments,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The amendments were read, ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading,

Assembly Bill No. 314, entitled

An Act tendering to any railroad or canal company having contract exemptions and privileges with respect to taxation and subject to the option of the State, reserved in the charter of such company, to take its property at a valuation not exceeding cost, a release of said option on surrender of said exemptions and privileges,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Neighbour, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Weaver, Woodruff—38.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Burgess, Chapman, Clarke, Harrigan, Harrison, Kelly, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Mills, North, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—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.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 278, entitled

An Act authorizing aqueduct boards of cities of the first class to issue bonds for the payment of indebtedness, and for the construction, extension and maintenance of water works,

With Senate amendments,

Correctly engrossed.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 278, entitled

An Act authorizing aqueduct boards of cities of the first class to issue bonds for the payment of indebtedness, and for the construction, extension and maintenance of water works,

Were read and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—45.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Cole—1.

On motion of Mr. Cole, the House adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At 3 o'clock the House met.

Upon calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names :

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Combs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wil-drick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Mr. Rich, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No. 368, entitled

An Act relative to interest on arrears of taxes and assessments in townships in this State,

Senate Bill No. 2, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to limit the age and employment hours of labor of children, minors and women, and to appoint an inspector for the enforcement of the same," approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Favorably,

Assembly Bill No. 379, entitled

An Act to provide for the drainage of meadow lands in townships of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 369, entitled

An Act fixing the compensation for publishing the laws in the newspapers,

Without recommendation,

Assembly Bill No. 268, entitled

A Supplement to "An act concerning roads,"

Senate Bill No. 175, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the relief of creditors against heirs and devisees," passed March seventh, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven,

With amendments.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 350, entitled

An Act to fix the duties of the door-keepers and gallery-keepers of the Senate and General Assembly,

Assembly Bill No. 401, entitled

An Act to enable cities of this State to furnish better accommodations for their officers and municipal boards, as well as the National Guard of the State therein organized,

Correctly engrossed.

Mr. Neighbour, Chairman of the Committee on Federal Relations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 410, entitled

An Act in relation to the collection of interest on mortgages,

Without recommendation.

Mr. Wildrick, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 14, entitled

An Act to protect all citizens in their civil and legal rights,

Favorably.

Mr. Armitage, Chairman of the Committee on Elections, reported

Assembly Bill No. 376, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act to regulate elections,

And

Senate Bill No. 108, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections," approved April eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Favorably.

Mr. McLaughlin, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 300, entitled

An Act concerning the construction of sewers in cities of this State,

With amendments.

Mr. Neighbour, Chairman of the Committee on Federal Relations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 383, entitled

An Act to establish a board of excise commissioners in cities of the first class, and to define their duties in regulating the sale of intoxicating beverages,

Adversely.

The amendments made in the committee were concurred in, and the adverse report on

Assembly Bill No. 383, entitled

An Act to establish a board of excise commissioners in cities of the first class, and to define their duties in regulating the sale of intoxicating beverages,

Was sustained.

Mr. Neighbour offered the following resolution, which was read and lost :

Resolved, That when this House adjourn it adjourn to meet on Saturday morning at 10 o'clock, and then till Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

The resolution was lost by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Bell, Branning, Burgess, Cadmus, Carson, Chapman, Doremus, Fish, Harrison, Holzwarth, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Mills, O'Connor, Rue, Savage, Wortendyke—18.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Boud, Budd, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Haines, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Larison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Scott, See, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick—31.

Assembly Bill No. 338, entitled

An Act concerning inns and taverns,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Holzwarth, Hough, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Mills, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Robins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick—33.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armitage, Armstrong, Branning, Budd, Campbell, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Haines, Harrison, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Ludlam, Neighbour, North, Stafford—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.

Mr. Neighbour offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted :

Resolved, That when this House adjourn it adjourn to meet on Friday morning at 10 o'clock, and when it then adjourn it adjourn to meet on Monday evening at 8'clock.

Mr. Neighbour offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted :

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That a joint meeting of the Legislature be held in the Assembly Chamber, at 12 o'clock noon, on Wednesday, March 12th, for the election of all such officers as it is proper for said joint meeting to elect.

Assembly Bill No. 340, entitled

An Act concerning the collection of taxes in cities of this State and to authorize actions at law therefor,

Assembly Bill No. 376, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act to regulate elections,

Assembly Bill No. 380, entitled

An Act relative to assessments for sewers in cities of the first class,

Were severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 192, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Mr. Steljes, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Assembly Bill No. 423, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a system of public instruction," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Favorably.

Mr. Savage, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads and Canals, reported

Assembly Bill No. 320, entitled

A Supplement to "An act to authorize the formation of railroad corporations and regulate the same," approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three,

Favorably.

On motion of Mr. Cole, the House adjourned.

FRIDAY, March 7th, 1884.

At 10 o'clock A. M. the House met.

Upon calling of the roll, the following gentleman answered to his name:

Mr. Caminade.

Mr. Caminade, Speaker *pro tem.*, in the chair.

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem.* declared the House adjourned until Monday evening, at eight o'clock.

MONDAY, March 10th, 1884.

At 8 o'clock P. M. the House met.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Barry.

Upon calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee,

Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Clarke offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted :

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That the Governor be requested to return to the House, from where they originated, Assembly Bill No. 6, and Joint Resolution No. 5.

Mr. Rich, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No. 409, entitled

An Act to provide for a standard time in the State of New Jersey,

Assembly Bill No. 393, entitled

A Supplement to an act to provide means for protection against fires in townships,

And

Senate Bill No. 83, entitled

An Act to prevent crime,

Favorably,

Which report was read and accepted, and the bills ordered to take their proper places on the calendar.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

House amendments to

Senate Bill No. 58, entitled

An Act to quiet litigation,

Assembly Bill No. 399, entitled

An Act entitled "An act in relation to statements of foreign insurance companies,"

Senate Bill No. 172, entitled

A Further 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 March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 119, entitled

An Act for the relief of William A. Ripley et als.,

Assembly Bill No. 259, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act for the organization of the National Guard of the State of New Jersey," approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine,

Assembly Bill No. 348, entitled

An Act to validate and render more effective ordinances of boards of health and vital statistics of the several counties of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 313, entitled

An Act for the taxation of railroads and canals,

Assembly Bill No. 77, entitled

A Further Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 300, entitled

An Act concerning the construction of sewers in cities of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 378, entitled

An Act to provide for the imposition of State taxes upon certain corporations, and for the collection thereof,

Assembly Bill No. 332, entitled

An Act to repeal "An act to secure the performance of contracts for city improvements within the time required by such contracts," approved February eighth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Assembly Bill No. 340, entitled

An Act concerning the collection of taxes in cities of this State and to authorize actions at law therefor,

Assembly Bill No. 307, entitled

An Act for the better securing and enjoyment of wages to workmen and laborers in the State of New Jersey,

Assembly Bill No. 341, entitled

An Act concerning cities of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 303, entitled

An Act concerning cities,

Assembly Bill No. 380, entitled

An Act relative to assessments for sewers in cities of the first class,

Assembly Bill No. 192, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 361, entitled

An Act in relation to the formation of gas companies,

Assembly Bill No. 254, entitled

An Act to provide for granting or disposing of lands under water in this State,

Assembly Bill No. 138, entitled

An Act concerning incorporated towns and certain officers thereof,

Senate Bill No. 24, entitled

An Act to require the New York, Lake Erie and Western Railroad Company to erect and maintain gates at certain street crossings in the city of Paterson,

With House amendments,

Assembly Bill No. 98, entitled

An Act to prevent the laying of pipes for carrying oil, called pipe lines, across the fresh water streams of the State, and to cause the removal of those already laid,

Correctly engrossed.

Mr. Chapman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 421, entitled

An Act authorizing the publication of all legal advertisements and other notices in certain newspapers in this State which have been published for at least one year,

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 ;

Also,

Assembly Bill No. 422, entitled

An Act to provide for the payment of the expenses of a special committee of the House of Assembly to investigate the accounts of the comptroller and other State officers,

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Mr. Haines, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 423, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a system of public instruction," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Harrigan offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted :

WHEREAS, It is a well-established fact that for some time past foreign laborers have been imported into this country under peculiar contracts, the conditions of which contracts are manifestly detrimental to the labor interests of this country as well as to the foreign laborers so contracting, because of the fraudulent representations made to them regarding the amount of wages paid and the cost of living in this country ; therefore, be it

Resolved, By the House of Assembly of the State of New Jersey, that the Representatives of the State of New Jersey in the Congress of the United States be and they are hereby requested to take such official action as will prohibit the importation to the United States foreign laborers under contract, and thereby protect the laboring interests of this country ;

Resolved, That an engrossed copy of these resolutions be signed by the Speaker of this Assembly, and by him forwarded for presentation to the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States.

Mr. Steljes, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 424, entitled

An Act to confirm the incorporation and proceedings of Evangelical Lutheran Churches,

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. Rich, on leave introduced

Assembly Bill No. 425, entitled

An Act to enable the improvement of salt meadow lands and tide-water lands,

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. Fish, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 426, entitled

An Act to authorize the sale of malt liquors on State and county agricultural society grounds at time of holding fair,

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. Byrnes, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 427, entitled

An Act relating to city printing,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Public Printing.

Mr. Dickinson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 428, entitled

A Supplement to an act to incorporate trustees of religious societies,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Keasbey, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 429, entitled

An Act to provide for making and giving official bonds by clerks and treasurers of boroughs and villages,

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. McLaughlin, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 430, entitled

An Act to repeal an act relative to morgues and morgue-keepers,

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Clarke (by request), on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 431, entitled

A Supplement to an act to preserve navigation (as) to rivers and creeks,

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. Campbell (by request), on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 432, entitled

An Act to authorize school boards to institute and maintain industrial or manual training classes in grammar schools,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Chattle, on leave, withdrew

Assembly Bill No. 359, entitled

An Act relating to the government of cities of the fifth class,

And

Assembly Bill No. 403; entitled

A Further Act relating to the government of cities of the fifth class.

A message was received from the Governor at the hands of his Private Secretary, Willard Fisk, transmitting to the House the following report :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Trenton, March 6th, 1884. }

Mr. Speaker—

I have this day approved and signed the following bills, which originated in the House of Assembly, and have delivered the same to the Secretary of State, to be filed in his office :

Assembly Bill No. 113, entitled

An Act to extend the time for the completion of railroads whose charters shall expire by limitation during the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, where work has been performed on said railroad or money expended thereon,

Assembly Bill No. 155, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act respecting the salaries and compensations of clerks of counties in this State," approved March eleventh, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty,

Assembly Bill No. 278, entitled

An Act authorizing aqueduct boards of cities of the first class to issue bonds for the payment of indebtedness, and for the construction, extension and maintenance of water works,

Assembly Bill No. 183, entitled

An Act to provide for the formation and regulation of co-operative societies of workingmen.

LEON ABBETT,

Governor.

Assembly Bill No. 313, entitled

An Act for the taxation of railroad and canals,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick—50.

In the negative, was—

Mr. North—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 117, entitled

An Act in relation to the retaking of personal property sold on installments,

Was taken up on third reading and laid over until to-morrow, and made a special order for the afternoon.

Assembly Bill No. 315, entitled

An Act providing for State taxes on railroads, and the more efficient collection thereof, and the supplements thereto,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker)—46.

In the negative, was—

Mr. North—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 378, entitled

An Act to provide for the imposition of State taxes upon certain corporations, and for the collection thereof,

Was taken up on third reading, and laid over until tomorrow.

Assembly Bill No. 401, entitled

An Act to enable cities of this State to furnish better accommodations for their officers and municipal boards, as well as the National Guard of the State therein organized,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick—40.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Savage—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 350, entitled

An Act to fix the duties of the door-keepers and gallery-keepers of the Senate and General Assembly,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick—41.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Irons—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 363, entitled

An Act to establish schools of art, or technical schools, in cities of the first and second classes in this State,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chap-

man, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker)—37.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Doremus, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Wildrick—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.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

	STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
	SENATE CHAMBER,	
<i>Mr. Speaker—</i>		1884.

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following resolution:

Resolved, That the House of Assembly be requested to return to the Senate, for further consideration,

Senate Bill No. 182, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend and consolidate the several acts relating to game and game fish," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 219, entitled

An Act to fix the assessment for licenses for inns and taverns, and for the sale of vinous, spirituous and other liquors by the popular vote,

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armstrong, Campbell, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Haines, Keasbey, Larison, Ludlam, Neighbour, Stafford—12.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Clarke, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Mills, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick—36.

Assembly Bill No. 43, entitled

A Supplement to "An act respecting the orphans' court, and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the orphans' court and surrogates" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Caminade, Campbell, Cole, Dickinson, Flynn, Ludlam, Stafford—8.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Chapman, Coombs, Doremus, Haines, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Ross, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick—34.

Senate Bill No. 28, entitled

A Supplement to 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,"

Was taken up on second reading, ordered to a third reading, read a third time, under a suspension of the rules, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Rich, Ross, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Wildrick—42.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Burgess—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.

Senate Bill No. 183, entitled

An Act for the relief of Joseph B. Cornish,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick—46.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Keasbey—1.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 55, entitled

An Act for the government of persons who are members of companies incorporated under the act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of pursuing and detective companies,"

Correctly engrossed.

Senate Bill No. 142, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was ordered to a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 193, entitled

A Supplement to the act concerning taxes, approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up on second reading, read a second time, and ordered to have a third reading,

Under suspension of the rules, read a third time and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Armstrong, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Hough, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, See, Stoney (Speaker)—38.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Bell, Holzwarth, Irons, Larison, Lehlbach, Scott, Stafford, Steljes—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. 170, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act for the punishment of crime," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Bill No. 158, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "An act relating to the opening of by-roads," approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

Ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Chapman, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 9,

On protection for labor,

Without recommendation.

Senate Bill No. 146, entitled

An Act for the encouragement of free libraries in cities,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Kelly, Lehlbach, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Scott, See, Steljes—38.

In the negative—none.

Senate Bill No. 145, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate associations for the establishment of lyceums, libraries and literary and scientific societies" (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick—41.

In the negative—none.

Mr. Burgess offered the following resolution, which was read :

Resolved, That when this House adjourn, it be to meet on Tuesday evening at eight o'clock, to give country members a chance to vote in the township elections,

The resolution was laid on the table.

On motion of Mr. Armstrong,

Assembly Bill No. 154, entitled

An Act providing for the review of convictions and judgments for contempt of court,

Was placed on the calendar under the ten-day rule.

On motion of Mr. Neighbour, the House adjourned.

TUESDAY, March 11th, 1884.

At 10 o'clock the House met.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Lucas.

Upon calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names :

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Caminade, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 433, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act constituting district courts,

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. Caminade, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 434, entitled

An Act for improvement of streets, roads and public highways,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Harrigan, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 435, entitled

An Act to authorize municipal corporations to contract for a supply of water for public uses,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 378, entitled

An Act to provide for the imposition of State taxes upon certain corporations, and for the collection thereof,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker)—40.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 4, entitled

Joint Resolution relating to the abolishment of quarantine dues upon certain vessels engaged in the coasting trade,

Was taken up on second reading, read a second time, and ordered to a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Bell, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clark, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Lehlbach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Scott, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker)—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.

Mr. Armstrong, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 436, entitled

A Supplement to an act concerning mortgages,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws.

Senate Bill No. 142, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was read a third, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Hough, Irons, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Scott, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker)—32.

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 10th, 1884. }

Mr. Speaker—

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has concurred in the resolution requesting the Governor to return to the House of Assembly, for further consideration :

Assembly Bill No. 6, entitled

An Act to authorize neighboring cities to improve connecting principal streets so as to form continuous thoroughfares,

And

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 5,

For the passage by Congress of a national marriage and divorce act,

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Fish, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 437, entitled

An Act to fix the salaries of the clerks of the Committee on Engrossed Bills and document clerk of the House of Assembly,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 170, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act for the punishment of crime," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Armstrong, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Cole, Dickinson, Fish, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Lake, McLaughlin, Mills, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Savage, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker)—22.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Bell, Boud, Budd, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Doremus, Haines, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Kelly, Lehlbach, Ludlam, North, O'Donnell, Scott—22.

A message was received from the Governor at the hands of his Private Secretary, Willard Fisk, transmitting to the House the following report:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Trenton, March 10th, 1884. }

Mr. Speaker—

I have this day approved and signed the following bills, which originated in the House of Assembly, and have delivered the same to the Secretary of State, to be filed in his office:

Assembly Bill No. 141, entitled

A Supplement to an act for the preservation of fish,

Assembly Bill No. 225, entitled

An Act in relation to apprentices in the service of the pilots for the ports of Jersey City, Newark and Perth Amboy by way of Sandy Hook,

Assembly Bill No. 308, entitled

An Act authorizing township committees to discharge the duties of overseers of roads in certain cases.

LEON ABBETT,

Governor.

Senate Bill No. 95, entitled

An Act to incorporate and establish free public libraries in this State,

Was read a second time, and ordered to have a third reading.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1, entitled

Concurrent Resolution proposing amendments to the constitution,

Amended, and ordered to a third reading.

House amendments to

Senate Bill No. 24, entitled

An Act to require the New York, Lake Erie and Western Railroad Company to erect and maintain gates at certain street crossings in the city of Paterson,

Were read and adopted by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chatte, Cole, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Mills, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker)—38.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Scott—1.

Senate Bill No. 174, entitled

An Act concerning boroughs of the third class,

Was read a second time, and ordered to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 402, entitled

An Act providing for the election of two freeholders in wards of cities in this State in certain cases,

Was read a third time, and the vote by which the bill was ordered to a third reading, reconsidered, then amended, ordered re-engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 380, entitled

An act relative to assessments for sewers in cities of the first class,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker)—35.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Doremus—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 259, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act for the organization of the National Guard of the State of New Jersey," approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine,

Were read a third time, and concurred in by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Cole, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Irons, Keasbey, Kelly, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick—37.

In the negative—none.

Assembly Bill No. 9, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the organization of the National Guard of the State of New Jersey," approved March ninth, eighteen hundred and sixty-nine,

Was read a third time and laid over until to-morrow.

A message was received from the Governor at the hands of his Private Secretary, Willard Fisk, transmitting to the House the following report:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Trenton, March 11th, 1884. }

Hon. A. B. Stoney, Speaker of General Assembly:

SIR—I return herewith, in accordance with a concurrent resolution,

Assembly Bill No. 6, entitled

An Act to authorize neighboring cities to improve connecting principal streets so as to form continuous thoroughfares,

Also,

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 5, entitled

Joint Resolution for the passage in Congress of a national marriage and divorce act.

Respectfully,

LEON ABBETT,

Governor.

A message was received from the Governor at the hands of his Private Secretary, Willard Fisk, transmitting to the House the following report:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Trenton, March 11th, 1884. }

To the General Assembly :

I herewith return to the House, in which it originated, Assembly Bill No. 46, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled a supplement to an act entitled 'An act to re-organize the local government of the township of West Hoboken,' passed March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, which supplement was approved April eighth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five," with my objections thereto.

This bill is in violation of the provisions of paragraph XI., section 7, article IV. of the constitution, because it is a local or special bill regulating the internal affairs of a township.

The Supreme Court held, in the case of *Sutterlee v. Camden Common Pleas*, (12th Vroom 495), that a repealing act, in reference to a city, was a local and special act, where the repealing act effected alterations in the internal policy of a city. The act sought to be repealed by Assembly Bill No. 46, will be found in the laws of 1875, page 545; it provides for the government of the fire department of the township of West Hoboken, the election of a board of trustees by the people therefor, defines their powers, fixes their compensation, and gives them control of the fire department.

An act regulating the fire department of a city is certainly one relating to its internal affairs.

The only question left to determine is the construction of the words "towns" in paragraph XI., section 7, article IV., of the constitution. Does this word embrace "townships?" I think, there can be no question on this point.

The Chief Justice, delivering the opinion of the Court of Errors in the case of *Pell v. Newark* (11th Vroom 555), says: "In my opinion such is, in reality, the result, the term 'towns' in the passage standing as a generic designation, *embracing townships as well as cities*, and all other places corporate established for local government of the same grade as these, and also those of an inferior order, if any such there be."

LEON ABBETT,

Governor.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Trenton, March 11th, 1884, }

To the General Assembly:

I herewith return to the House, in which it originated, Assembly Bill No. 207, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections,'" approved April eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, with my objections thereto.

This proposed act is, in my judgment, by reason of its second section, a clear violation of the constitution. This section provides that "the provisions of this act shall only apply to any city who may accept the same by ordinance." Article IV., section 1, of the constitution provides that the legislative power shall be vested in a Senate and General Assembly. The draughtsman of this act has endeavored to apply to this proposed legislation the rule which authorizes the acceptance or rejection of a municipal charter by the people at an election. There is no decision in this State which would uphold even the submission of a municipal charter to the common council or legislative body of a city as this second section proposes. The furthest that the courts of this State have gone, either in the case of the city of Paterson *v.* the Society for Establishing Useful Manufactures (24 N. J. L. R., 394, et. seq.), or in the case of Pell *v.* City of Newark (40 N. J. L. R., 71), has been to hold that a municipal charter or act granting or affecting municipal powers could be submitted to the voters at an election upon the ground that such legislation was, in effect, a grant of power, upon condition of acceptance, and not a delegation of legislative function; and in the latter case the court suggests a distinction even as to the validity of such a grant of power, unless the municipal organization is one that is strictly a municipal corporation, such as a borough or a city. The proposed act does not deal with a grant of power to a municipality, but is to regulate elections and affects the question of registry at all elections for all purposes to be held within the cities embraced within the terms of the act.

The provisions of the original act affecting registry were incorporated in the election law for the purpose of protecting the purity of elections. The act affects the election of State and county officials as well as municipal officers.

It can, by no fair construction, be designated a grant of

municipal power. It is a general act controlling a subject in which all the citizens of the State are interested. If it is attempted to sustain this proposed act upon the ground that it is legislation of a conditional character whose force is to depend upon the happening of some future event then, it seems to me, it is equally objectionable. To uphold any such conditional legislation, the event on which such a law may be made to take effect must be such as, in the judgment of the legislature, affects the question of the expediency of the law—an event on which the expediency of the law, in the opinion of the lawmakers, depends—and on this question of expediency the legislature must exercise its own judgment definitely and finally. When the law is made to take effect upon the happening of such an event the legislature, in effect, declares the law inexpedient if the event should not happen, but expedient if it should happen. They appeal to no other man or men to judge for them in relation to its present or future expediency. They exercise that power themselves and they perform the duty which the constitution imposes upon them. The wisdom or expediency, however, of the present proposed act does not depend on the ordinance of the city.

If this act is unwise or inexpedient now, it will be equally unwise and inexpedient after the passage of such an ordinance. If the act is wise and proper it is equally so now as it would be if accepted by the ordinance of any city. The event on which this act is to take effect is nothing else than the ordinance of the city on the identical question which the constitution makes it the duty of the legislature itself to decide. The legislature has no power to make a statute of this character, dependent upon such a contingency, because it would be confiding to others that legislative discretion which it is bound to exercise itself and which it cannot delegate or commit to any other man or men to be exercised.

The first section of this bill provides in the amended section that it shall be limited to cities containing six thousand four hundred inhabitants, according to the census of the year 1880, or of any census *heretofore taken* either by authority of the laws of the United States or of this State. This restriction to a past census and excluding cities that may reach this population according to a future census is a fatal defect.

This bill is similar in this respect to the act criticised by the

Supreme Court in the opinion read by Justice Dixon in the case of Pavonia Horse Railroad Company v. Jersey City, 16th Vroom, page 298.

Respectfully,

LEON ABBETT,

Governor.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Trenton, March 11th, 1884. }

To the General Assembly:

I herewith return to the House, in which it originated, Assembly Bill No. 283, entitled "A Supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a system of public instruction,'" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, with my objections thereto.

The effect of this bill is to empower the Superintendent of Public Instruction to withhold from any school district its share of the State School Fund until such district shall pay any alleged indebtedness for building any school house therein, or until such district shall have issued bonds to pay therefor.

If a contractor has any legal claim against a school district, he has ample remedy in the courts and they have the means of ascertaining the truth and reaching a just conclusion—which the law does not allow the State Superintendent of Public Instruction to use.

Another objection is that incorporated cities and towns constitute a school district, and, under this bill, the cities of Elizabeth and Rahway might be deprived of their entire share of such school fund.

I think it is far better to leave the collection of debts to the court in all such cases, and have the money which is to educate the children in such school districts used for that purpose. Such an act as this might deprive cities, that are in an embarrassed financial condition, of the means to properly educate their children.

Another objection to this proposed act is that a city having fifteen or twenty schools, and thousands of pupils, might have its entire share of school moneys withheld if there was a dispute about an indebtedness due for building one of its school-houses.

There is no necessity for this proposed law, and great evil might result from the enforcement of its provisions.

Respectfully,

LEON ABBETT,

Governor.

The message was read and laid over one day.

Assembly Bill No. 317, entitled

An Act to protect the fresh water lakes and ponds of this State,

Was taken up on second reading.

Upon calling of the House, the following gentlemen answered to their names :

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Boud, Budd, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Holzwarth, Irons, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Ross, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick—35.

The bill was then read a third time, and lost by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Caminade, Chapman, Cole, Dickinson, Holzwarth, Lehlbach, Neighbour, North, Rich, Savage, Steljes—11.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Boud, Budd, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Doremus, Haines, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Ludlam, Mills, O'Donnell, Prall, Ross, Scott, See, Stafford, Wildrick—27.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 402, entitled

An Act providing for the election of two freeholders in wards of cities in this State in certain cases.

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

• In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Budd, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Kelly, Lehlbach, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Ross, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick—36.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Boud; Branning, Doremus, Keasbey, See—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. Neighbour, Chairman of the Committee on Federal Relations, reported

Senate Bill No. 86, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a bureau of statistics upon the subject of labor, considered in its relation to the growth and development of the State industries,"

Favorably.

Mr. Chapman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 438, entitled

A supplement to and amendatory of chapter CXLV. of laws of one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws.

Mr. See, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 440, entitled

An Act to amend the practice act, approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 441, entitled

A Supplement to an act to authorize municipal corporations to contract for supply of water for public use,

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. Jenkins (by request), on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 442, entitled

An Act to prevent illegal use of passes on railroad, steamboat and ferry companies,

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. Keasbey moved to reconsider the vote by which

Senate Bill No. 170, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act for the punishment of crime," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was lost.

Mr. Holzwarth moved to lay the motion on the table,

Which was agreed to.

On motion of Mr. O'Connor, the House adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At 3 o'clock the House met.

Upon calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names :

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Boud, Byrnes, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Doremus, Harrigan, Hough, Keasbey, Kelly, Ludlam, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Rich, Ross, Savage, Stoney (Speaker), Wortendyke—23.

There not being a quorum present, the Speaker ordered the Sergeant-at-Arms to procure from the Clerk a list of absent members, and produce them before the bar of the House at three and one-half o'clock.

At 3:30 the House was again called to order, and the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names :

Messrs. Applegate, Boud, Budd, Byrnes, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Doremus, Haines, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Irons, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Ludlam, North, Prall, Rich, Ross, Savage, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke.

There not being a quorum present, the Speaker declared the House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock, Wednesday, March 12th, 1884.

WEDNESDAY, March 12th, 1884.

At 10 o'clock A. M. the House met.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Barry.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names :

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Prall, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

A petition was presented by Mr. North, signed by many persons, protesting against the passage of

Senate Bill No. 128, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the formation of borough governments," approved April fifth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Neighbour, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Assembly Bill No. 262, entitled

An Act relative to the jurisdiction and practice of district courts established in this State in cities of the first class,

Assembly Bill No. 420, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the settlement and relief of the poor," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Bill No. 171, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of law" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Favorably,

And

Assembly Bill No. 292, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the better regulation of proceedings upon writs of mandamus," passed the second day of December, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-four,

Senate Bill No. 180, entitled

An Act to aid in preserving peace and good order in townships,

Senate Bill No. 128, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the formation of borough governments," approved April fifth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

Senate Bill No. 47, entitled

An Act respecting salaries of law or president judges in the counties of the second class,

Without recommendation,

Which report was read and accepted, and the bills ordered to take their proper places on the calendar.

Mr. Rich, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Senate Bill No. 109, entitled

An Act to authorize the compromise and discharge of claims against one or more of several joint debtors,

Senate Bill No. 182, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend and consolidate the several acts relating to game and game fish," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Bill No. 172, entitled

A Further 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 March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Favorably,

Which report was read and accepted, and the bills ordered to take their proper places on the calendar.

Mr. Clarke, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 443, entitled

An Act concerning 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. Rich, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 444, entitled

An Act to withdraw from files of Hudson county register's office a certain map,

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws.

Mr. Harrigan, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 445, entitled

A Supplement to an act to enable towns and townships to obtain a supply of water,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A message was received from the Governor at the hands of his Private Secretary, Willard Fisk, transmitting to the House the following report:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Trenton, March 12th, 1884. }

Hon. A. B. Stoney, Speaker of the General Assembly:

SIR—I have delivered the following bills, which originated in the House of Assembly, to the Secretary of State, to be filed in his office without my signature, being unwilling to approve the same, viz.:

Assembly Bill No. 84, entitled

An Act concerning cities,

Assembly Bill No. 86, entitled

An Act to authorize the payment of five hundred dollars to the paymaster of the Second Battalion, First Brigade, N. G., N. J.,

Assembly Bill No. 180, entitled

An Act to authorize the payment of the sum of five hundred dollars to the paymaster of the First Regiment Infantry, First Brigade National Guards State of New Jersey, for Company A, of said regiment, its appropriation for the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Assembly Bill No. 217, entitled

An Act in relation to the volunteer fire department in any city of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 352, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to prevent the spread of glanders in horses," approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four,

Assembly Bill No. 260, entitled

An Act in regard to the numbering of houses in cities.

Respectfully,

LEON ABBETT,

Governor.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

	STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
	SENATE CHAMBER,	
<i>Mr. Speaker—</i>	March 11th, 1884.	

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills:

Assembly Bill No. 144, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of dentistry and to protect the people against empiricism in relation thereto in the State of New Jersey,"

Senate Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 6, entitled

An Act to amend "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a system of public education,' (Revision) approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four," which supplement was approved April fifth, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight,

With amendments,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senatè.

Senate amendments were read and ordered to have a second reading.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 11th, 1884. }

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. 85, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning certain townships in this State," approved March twenty-third, eighteen hundred and eighty-three,

Assembly Bill No. 257, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to increase the powers of township committees," approved March eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty,

Assembly Bill No. 150, entitled

An Act providing for payment of fees for the record and report of jail statistics,

Without amendments.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Said bills having passed both Houses, were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills, with the following certificate endorsed on the same:

"I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

HENRY D. WINTON,

Clerk."

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
Mr. Speaker— March 11th, 1884. }

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills :

Senate Bill No. 129, entitled

An Act concerning collectors in cities of the third class,

Senate Bill No. 133, entitled

An Act concerning railroads,

Senate Bill No. 148, entitled

An Act concernig turnpike roads,

Senate Bill No. 187, entitled

An Act to secure the observance of the annual arbor day in schools,

Senate Bill No. 196, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act to establish and organize the State Reform School for Juvenile Offenders," approved April sixth, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five,

Senate Bill No. 207, entitled

A Further Supplement to the act entitled "An act to secure to creditors an equal and just division of the estates of debtors who convey to assignees for the benefit of creditors" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Bill No. 190, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to sales of land under any public statute, or by virtue of any judi-

cial proceedings," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The message was taken up, and the Senate bills severally read a first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to their appropriate committees.

Mr. Rue, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 446, entitled

An Act to provide for purchase and distribution of Dickinson's Forms,

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. Dickinson, on leave, introduced.

Assembly Bill No. 447, entitled

A Supplement to an act for organization of National Guard 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 Militia.

Mr. Wildrick, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 448, entitled

An Act relative to town ordinances, making same valid notwithstanding insufficiency of advertisement,

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 244, entitled

An Act empowering fish wardens to enforce game laws,

Assembly Bill No. 240, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the relief of persons imprisoned on civil process" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

Assembly Bill No. 384, entitled

A Supplement to "An act constituting district courts in certain cities in this State," approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, and extending the same to counties of the second class,

Assembly Bill No. 14, entitled

An Act to protect all citizens in their civil and legal rights,

Assembly Bill No. 415, entitled .

An Act for the better protection of mortgagees,

Assembly Bill No. 390, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize the board of chosen freeholders of the respective counties of this State,"

Were severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 310, entitled

An Act to exempt hospitals from taxes and water rents,

Correctly engrossed.

Mr. Harrigan offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the Speaker appoint a committee of three on the part of the House, to confer with a like committee of the Senate already appointed, on the subject of devising a place to utilize convict labor.

Senate Bill No. 37, entitled

An Act to facilitate the giving of security on official and other bonds,

Was ordered to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 342, entitled

An Act to promote purity in legislation,

Was taken up on third reading.

On motion of Mr. Flynn, the vote by which the bill was ordered to a third reading was reconsidered.

On motion of Mr. Armitage, the vote by which the bill was ordered to a third reading, was reconsidered, by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, Prall, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—44.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Flynn, Kelly, North, O'Donnell—4.

The bill was then read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clark, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—52.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Flynn—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 399, entitled

An Act entitled "An act in relation to statements of foreign insurance companies,"

Was taken up on third reading, and laid over until tomorrow.

Assembly Bill No. 117, entitled

An Act in relation to the retaking of personal property sold on installments,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Boud, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—46.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Burgess, Keasbey—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. Armstrong offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted :

Resolved, That before any bill that has once been reported to this house be recommitted to any committee, the introducer be notified by the person proposing to move to recommit.

Assembly Bill No. 272, entitled

An Act to authorize the appointment of fire wardens,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Eudd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Prall, Ross, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—44.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 172, entitled

An Act to authorize the establishment of free public libraries in the cities of this State,

Were read a third time, and concurred in by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Chattle, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rue, Scott, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—40.

In the negative—none.

Mr. Scott, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture and Agricultural College, reported

Assembly Bill No. 426, entitled

An Act to authorize the sale of malt liquors on State and county agricultural society grounds at time of holding fair,

Favorably.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 55, entitled

An Act for the government of persons who are members of companies incorporated under the act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of pursuing and detective companies,

Were read and concurred in by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Ross, Rue, Scott, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—47.

In the negative—none.

Assembly Bill No. 93, entitled

An Act concerning the action of trover,

Was read a second time and ordered to have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Doremus, Harrigan, Hoffman, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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. Chapman, the House adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At 3 o'clock the House met.

Upon calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbor, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Mr. Wortendyke, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, reported

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 11,

Authorizing the purchase of a historical painting representing the presentation of Molly Pitcher to Washington,

Adversely.

The adverse report was not concurred in.

Mr. Savage, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads and Canals, reported

Senate Bill No. 133, entitled

An Act concerning railroads,

Favorably.

Mr. Wildrick, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 356, entitled

An Act concerning the taxation of certain corporations in the State,

Favorably.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 8, entitled

Joint Resolution relative to the salary of the commissioner of railroad taxation,

Was read a second time and ordered to have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Doremus, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Hough, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—49.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 377, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of this State,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered and to be engrossed, and to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 165, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize and regulate the business of banking," approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Was read a second time, and ordered to have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time by title, and laid over until to-morrow.

Mr. Rich, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No. 440, entitled

An Act to amend the practice act, approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 429, entitled

An Act to provide for making and giving official bonds by clerks and treasurers of boroughs and villages,

Favorably,

And

Senate Bill No. 192, entitled

A Supplement to "An act relative to the publication of the laws of this State in the newspapers," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

With amendments.

The amendments made in committee to

Senate Bill No. 192, entitled

A Supplement to "An act relative to the publication of the laws of this State in the newspapers," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Were concurred in.

The Speaker appointed the following Conference Committee on Convict Labor: Messrs. Harrigan, O'Connor, Cole.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

	STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
	SENATE CHAMBER,	
<i>Mr. Speaker—</i>	March 12th, 1884.	

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 46, entitled

An Act respecting salaries of prosecutors of the pleas in counties of the second class,

Senate Bill No. 166, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate fisheries in the river Delaware, and for other purposes," passed the twenty-sixth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and eight,

Senate Bill No. 206, entitled

An Act for the relief of Charles S. Strader, of the borough of Washington, in the county of Warren.

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The message was taken up, and the Senate bills severally read a first time by their titles, and ordered to have a second reading, and referred to their appropriate committees.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 12th, 1884. }

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. 256, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act incorporating the

inhabitants of townships, designating their powers and regulating their meetings,”

With amendment,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The amendments made in the Senate were read a first time, and ordered to have a second reading.

Senate Bill No. 79, entitled

A Further Supplement to “An act concerning inns and taverns,” approved April seventeenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Doremus, Haines, Holzwarth, Hough, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, O'Donnell, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff—34.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Budd, Chapman, Keasbey, North, O'Connor, Wortendyke—6.

Senate Bill No. 2, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled “An act to limit the age and employment hours of labor of children, minors and women,

and to appoint an inspector for the enforcement of the same," approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Haines, Harrigan, Hough, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, Savage, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Woodruff—37.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armstrong, Boud, Budd, Doremus, Harrison, Irons, Jenkins, Larison, Ludlam, Neighbour, Scott, Stafford, Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—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.

Assembly Bill No. 87, entitled

An Act for the protection of dairymen and to prevent deception in sales of butter,

Was taken up on its third reading.

The vote by which the bill was ordered to a third reading was reconsidered and the bill laid over.

Assembly Bill No. 1, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate and regulate telegraph companies" (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Harrigan, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Ross, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wortendyke—34.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Chattle, Harrison, Hoffman, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, North, Prall, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Wildrick, Woodruff—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.

Mr. Cole moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed.

Which was not agreed to, by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Boud, Keasbey, Larison, Prall, Rue, Stafford, Woodruff—7.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Kelly, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Savage, Scott, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick—38.

Assembly Bill No. 87, entitled

An Act for the protection of dairymen and to prevent deception in sales of butter,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 301, entitled

An Act concerning terms of office of mayors in the cities of this State,

Was taken up on third reading and recommitted, on motion of Mr. Armstrong.

Assembly Bill, No. 316, entitled

An Act relating to newspapers,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—45.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Haines—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
Mr. Speaker— March 12th, 1884. }

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bill :

Senate Bill No. 203, entitled

An Act to ascertain and define the easterly limits of the seaboard counties of this State, and the jurisdiction thereof,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The message was taken up, and the Senate bill read a first time by its title, and ordered to have a second reading, and referred to its appropriate committee.

Assembly Bill No. 303, entitled

An Act concerning cities,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Kelly, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—45.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Boud, Coombs, Lupton, Prall—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. Armstrong offered the following resolution, which was read :

Resolved, That when this House adjourn, it be to meet this evening at eight o'clock.

The resolution was lost by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armstrong, Budd, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Kelly, Lake, Ludlam, Neighbour, North, Prall, Rich, Ross, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wil-drick, Wortendyke—25.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Bell, Boud, Branning, Burgess, Cadmus, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Harrigan, Harrison, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Savage, Woodruff—25.

Mr. Burgess moved to take from the table the motion to reconsider the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 349, entitled

An Act regulating toll roads, turnpike and plank road companies in this State,

Was lost,

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Burgess moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was lost,

Which was not agreed to by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Bell, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Harrigan, Harrison, Hough, Jenkins, Keas-

bey, Kelly, Neighbour, North, Savage, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—23.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Boud, Branning, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Irons, Jernee, Lake, Lehlbach, Neighbour, North, Ross, Rue, See, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—26.

On motion of Mr. McLaughlin, the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 301, entitled

An Act concerning terms of office of mayors in the cities of this State,

Was ordered to a third reading, was reconsidered.

The bill was then amended, ordered re-engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 146, entitled

A Supplement to an act relative to officers and commissioners and negotiations,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armstrong, Budd, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Dickinson, Haines, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Kelly, Lake, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Ross, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—37.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Boud, Cadmus, Cole, Coombs, Doremus, Harrison, Jenkins, Keasbey, Weaver—9.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 330, entitled

An Act to authorize police service in townships,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Lake, Lehlbach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

	STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
	SENATE CHAMBER,	
<i>Mr. Speaker—</i>	March 12th, 1884.	

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following resolution:

Resolved, That the House of Assembly be requested to return to the Senate, for further consideration,

Senate Bill No. 83, entitled

An Act to prevent crime,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Adopted.

Mr. Rich, on leave, introduced

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 13, entitled

A Resolution proposing amendments to the State constitution,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Cole, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 449, entitled

A Supplement to an act to regulate elections,

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Wildrick, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 450, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act concerning corporations,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 340, entitled

Act concerning the collection of taxes in cities of this State and to authorize actions at law therefor,

Was read a third time, and laid over until to-morrow morning, and made a special order.

Assembly Bill No. 244, entitled

An Act empowering fish wardens to enforce game laws,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, ordered to be engrossed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 240, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the relief of persons imprisoned on civil process" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 415, entitled

An Act for the better protection of mortgagees,

Were severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

The vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 384, entitled

A Supplement to an act constituting district courts in certain cities in this State, approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, and extending the same to counties of the second class,

Was ordered to a third reading, was reconsidered, was amended, ordered engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 332, entitled

An Act to repeal an act to secure the performance of contracts for city improvements within the time required by such contracts," approved February eighth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chap-

man, Chattle, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Harrison, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Kelly, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, Prall, Rich, Savage, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—38.

In the negative—none.

Assembly Bill No. 137, entitled

An Act in relation to suits in the court of chancery,

Assembly Bill No. 343, entitled

An Act to regulate the manner of selecting grand juries in the several counties of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 347, entitled

An Act validating defective conveyances,

Assembly Bill No. 306, entitled

An Act to regulate the manner of publishing ordinances in incorporated cities of the third class,

Were severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 382, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act to provide for the filing of a lis pendens in actions, either at law or in equity, relating to or affecting the possession or title of lands or real estate," approved February sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, ordered to be engrossed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 336, entitled

An Act regarding usury and interest,

Assembly Bill No. 320, entitled

A Supplement to an act to authorize the formation of railroad corporations and regulate the same, approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three,

Were severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

THURSDAY, March 13th, 1884.

At 10 o'clock A. M. the House met.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Lucas.

Upon calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Ludlam, Lupton, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Wildrick, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 450, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act concerning corporations,
Favorably.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 244, entitled

An Act empowering fish wardens to enforce game laws,
Correctly engrossed.

Mr. Budd offered the following resolution, which was read and laid on the table:

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That the Legislature adjourn *sine die* on Friday, March 28th, inst., at the hour of 12 o'clock noon.

Mr. Burgess, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 451, entitled

An Act to enforce the provisions, terms and conditions of the charter granted to and held by toll roads, turnpike and plank road companies 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 Revision of Laws, and ordered printed before reference.

Mr. O'Connor, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 452, entitled

An Act to enlarge and confer additional power upon boards of health 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, and ordered printed before reference.

Mr. O'Connor, on leave, introduced

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 14,

For the lighting of the State capitol with electric light,

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Mr. Harrigan, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 453, entitled

An Act relating to the improvement of streets in cities of this State, and authorizing such cities to issue loan certificates to pay the costs of such 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, and ordered printed before reference.

Mr. Wildrick, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 454 entitled

An Act to repeal parts of acts regulating the fisheries in the Delaware river and other rivers above tide water,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Fisheries.

Mr. Harrigan, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 455, entitled

An Act to provide for the employment of the inmates of any prison, penitentiary, jail or public reformatory institution located within this State,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws.

Senate Bill No. 168, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act in relation to encumbered cities," approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Lupton, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—43.

In the negative—none.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 301, entitled

An Act concerning terms of office of mayors in the cities of this State,

Correctly engrossed.

Senate Bill No. 92, entitled

A Further Supplement to the act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was read a third time and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee,

Keasbey, Kelly, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 264, entitled

An Act concerning the publication of financial statements in cities of this State,

Were read and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—46.

In the negative—none.

Mr. Lake, Chairman of the Committee on Militia, reported

Joint Resolution No. 12,

Favorably,

And

Senate Bill No. 184, entitled

An Act providing an additional appropriation for the support of the New Jersey Home for Disabled Soldiers,

Senate Bill No. 179, entitled

An Act to further amend section seventy-eight of the act entitled "An act for the organization of the National Guard of the State of New Jersey,"

Favorably.

Mr. Steljes, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Senate Bill No. 187, entitled

An Act to secure the observance of the annual arbor day in schools.

Mr. McLaughlin, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 443, entitled

An Act concerning cities,

Senate Bill No. 129, entitled

An Act concerning collectors in cities of the third class,

Favorably.

Assembly Bill No. 254, entitled

An Act to provide for granting or disposing of lands under water in this State,

Was taken up on third reading, and, on motion of Mr. Chattle, laid over until next week.

Assembly Bill No. 179, entitled

A Further Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Chapman, Clarke, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker)—18.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Boud, Branning, Budd, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lake, Ludlam, Lupton, Neighbour, North, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—38.

Assembly Bill No. 202, entitled

An Act to repeal section twenty-three of an act entitled "An act concerning mortgages," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Branning, Byrnes, Caminade, Chapman, Cole, Dickinson, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Hough, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Donnell, Prall, Robbins, Ross, Savage, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker)—24.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Coombs, Doremus, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, North, O'Connor, Rich, Rue, Scott, Stafford, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—31.

Assembly Bill No. 171, entitled

A Supplement to "An act in relation to the powers of commissioners appointed to purchase toll roads in this State," passed April nineteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Was read a third time.

Mr. Armitage addressed the Chair, and was ruled out of order.

Mr. Armstrong moved the rules be suspended, in order to give Mr. Armitage an opportunity to speak, which was ruled out of order.

Mr. Keasbey appealed from the decision of the Chair,

Upon calling the roll, the decision of the Chair stood as the decision of the House, by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Cadmus, Caminade, Chattle, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Hoffman, Hough, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Lupton, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, See, Steljes, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—29.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Campbell, Carson, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Neighbour, North, Rue—18.

The bill was then passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Ludlam, Lupton, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Robbins, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—39.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 301, entitled

An Act concerning terms of office of mayors in the cities of this State,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lehlbach, Lupton, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Steljes, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—47

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 203, entitled

A Bill to define insurance brokers and their liabilities,

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Burgess, Byrnes, Chapman, Cole, Flynn, Savage—7.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Keasbey, Kelly, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—35.

Assembly Bill No. 138, entitled

An Act concerning incorporated towns and certain officers thereof,

Was taken up on third reading, and laid over until next Monday evening.

Assembly Bill No. 244, entitled

An Act empowering fish wardens to enforce game laws,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Rue, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Woodruff
—42.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Caminade, Chapman, Ross, Wildrick, Wortendyke—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. Rich moved to reconsider the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 202, entitled

An Act to repeal section twenty-three of an act entitled "An act concerning mortgages," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Was lost,

Which was agreed to by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Jenkins, Jernee, Kelly, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Wildrick, Woodruff—34.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Boud, Carson, Doremus, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lupton—9.

The bill was then recommitted.

Senate Bill No. 84, entitled

An Act relating to cities of the second class,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Steljes, Wildrick—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.

Senate Bill No. 7, entitled

A Supplement to chapter XI. of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

Was read a second time, and ordered to have a third reading.

Under suspension of the rules the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lehlbach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—47.

In the negative—none.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 377, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of this State,"

Assembly Bill No. 384, entitled

A Supplement to an act constituting district courts in certain cities in this State, approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, and extending the same to counties of the second class,

Assembly Bill No. 415, entitled

An Act for the better protection of mortgagees,

Correctly engrossed.

Senate Bill No. 86, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a bureau of statistics upon the subject of labor, considered in its relation to the growth and development of the State industries,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Kelly, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Woodruff, Wortendyke—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. Keasbey, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 456, entitled

An Act relating to compensation of trustees and guardians,

And

Assembly Bill No. 457, entitled

An Act to provide for sale of assessment deeds and certificate of sale held by townships,

Which were read for the first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws.

Senate Bill No. 1, entitled

An Act to protect all citizens in their civil and legal rights,

Was taken up on second reading, and laid over by the following vote, until next Tuesday morning, and ordered reprinted with amendments:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Boud, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wortendyke—31.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Campbell, Carson, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, North, Rue, See, Woodruff—22.

On motion of Mr. McLaughlin, the House adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At 3 o'clock the House met.

Upon calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names :

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Mr. Rich, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 270, entitled

An Act in relation to the sale of malt liquors,

Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 395, entitled

An Act relating to appeals from district courts,

Assembly Bill No. 444, entitled

An Act to withdraw from files of Hudson county register's office a certain map,

Assembly Bill No. 457, entitled

An Act to provide for sale of assessments deeds and certificate of sale held by townships,

Assembly Bill No. 446, entitled

An Act to provide for purchase and distribution of Dickinson's Forms,

Favorably,

And

Assembly Bill No. 396, entitled

An Act in respect to sentences of boys to be confined in the reform school at Jamesburg, in this State,

With amendments.

Amendments made in committee concurred in.

Mr. McLaughlin, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 435, entitled

An Act to authorize municipal corporations to contract for a supply of water for public uses,

Assembly Bill No. 452, entitled

An Act to enlarge and confer additional power upon boards of health in cities of this State,

Favorably.

Mr. Rich, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No. 394, entitled

An Act in respect to the salary or compensation of mayors in cities of the first class in this State,

Adversely.

The adverse report was sustained.

Mr. Neighbour offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That when this House adjourn it adjourn to meet on Friday morning, at 8 o'clock, and when, it then adjourn it adjourn to meet on Monday evening, at 8 o'clock.

Mr. Harrigan, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 458, entitled

An Act to regulate the salaries of commissioners of assessment and revision of taxes in cities of the first class,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Harrigan, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 459, entitled

An Act providing compensation for the services of commissioners of city boards having the control of the supply and distribution of water,

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Rue, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 460, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the better protection of hotel, inn and boarding house keepers," approved April sixth, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five,

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws.

Mr. Eudd called up his resolution, laid over from the morning session, to adjourn *sine die* March 28th, 1884.

Upon calling of the roll the resolution was lost by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Branning, Budd, Campbell, Chattle, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Ludlam, North, Rue, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—20.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Harrigan, Keasbey, Lake, Lehlbach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Scott, See, Steljes—27.

Mr. Clark, on leave, introduced

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 15, entitled

That the Governor direct the adjutant-general to have a compilation of the National Guard law prepared,

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Militia.

On motion of Mr. Rich, the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 348, entitled

An Act to validate and render more effective ordinances of boards of health and vital statistics of the several counties of this State,

Was reconsidered, amended, ordered engrossed, and have a third reading.

Mr. Savage, Chairman of the Committee on Fisheries, reported

Assembly Bill No. 398, entitled

An Act to repeal the first section of the act entitled "An act for the protection of fish,"

Favorably.

Assembly Bill No. 393, entitled

A Supplement to an act to provide means for protection against fires in townships,

Was ordered engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 437, entitled

An Act to fix the salaries of the clerks of the Committee on Engrossed Bills and document clerk of the House,

Amended, ordered engrossed, and have third reading.

On motion of Mr. Cole, the vote by which the bill was ordered to a third reading, was reconsidered.

The bill was then amended, ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 150, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning corporations," approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Was read a second time, and ordered to have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, said bill was taken up and read a third time by title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Carson, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Mills, Prall, Scott, Wildrick, Woodruff—31.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Chapman, Jernee, Lake, Ross, Steljes—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.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 16, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act to encourage the formation of libraries in the free public schools of New Jersey," passed April sixth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one,

Were read a third time, and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Jenkins, Jernee, Lehlbach, Mills, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Rue, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—36.

In the negative—none.

Senate Bill No. 37, entitled

An Act to facilitate the giving of security on official and other bonds,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Carson, Chat-
tle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish,
Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Jernee, Lehl-
bach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Mills, O'Donnell, Prall,
Ross, Rue, See, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick—34.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Rich, Robbins—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.

The following message was received from the Governor:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Trenton, March 13th, 1884. }

Hon. A. B. Stoney, Speaker of General Assembly:

SIR—I have delivered the following bill, which originated in the House of Assembly, to the Secretary of State, to be filed in his office, without my signature, being unwilling to approve the same, viz.:

Assembly Bill No. 149, entitled

An Act concerning official newspapers in cities of this State.

Respectfully,

LEON ABBETT,

Governor.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 437, entitled

An Act to fix the salaries of the clerks of the Committee on Engrossed Bills and document clerk of the House,

Correctly engrossed.

Assembly Bill No. 223, entitled

An Act to annex to the township of Springfield, in the county of Union, a portion of the township of Milburn, in the county of Essex,

And

Assembly Bill No. 398, entitled

An Act to repeal the first section of the act entitled "An act for the protection of fish,"

Were severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 8,

Authorizing quartermaster-general to deliver to Frank A. Souders a certain confederate flag, captured by him,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Clarke, the House adjourned.

FRIDAY, March 14th, 1884.

At 10 o'clock A. M. the House met.

Upon calling the roll, the following gentleman answered to his name :

Mr. Caminade.

Mr. Caminade, 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 EVENING, March 17th, 1884.

At 8 o'clock the House met.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Neilson.

Upon calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names :

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Kelly, Lake,

Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Mr. Harrigan presented a petition against the sale of liquors in quantities less than a quart, which was read and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Rich, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 456, 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), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Favorably.

Mr. Clarke, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 461, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting conveyances" (Revision), approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws.

Mr. Steljes, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 462, 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 Corporations.

Mr. Rich, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 463, entitled

An Act relating to the control and government of fire departments in townships of this State;

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Burgess, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 464, entitled

An Act to define, limit and explain the meaning of sentences to the county jails and penitentiaries in this State,

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws.

Mr. Boud, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 465, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of the State," approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Hough, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 466, entitled

A Further Supplement to the act entitled "An act to provide additional accommodation for the insane of this State," approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Lunatic Asylums.

Mr. Rich, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No. 424, entitled

An Act to confirm the incorporation and proceedings of Evangelical Lutheran Churches,

With amendments.

The amendments were concurred in;

And

Senate Bill No. 152, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "An act in relation to ferries," approved February seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Favorably.

Mr. Lake, Chairman of the Committee on Militia, reported

Assembly Bill No. 447, entitled

A Supplement to an act for organization of National Guard of New Jersey,

Favorably.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 144, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of dentistry and to protect the people against empiricism in relation thereto in the State of New Jersey,"

Was read a third time, and concurred in by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke,

Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Harrison, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, North, O'Donnell, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—44.

In the negative—none.

Assembly Bill No. 443, entitled

An Act concerning cities,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

House amendments to

Senate Bill No. 192, entitled

A Supplement to an act relative to the publication of the laws of this State in the newspapers, approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

, Senate Bill No. 40, 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. 87, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to sales of land under a public statute or by virtue of any judicial proceedings" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1, entitled

Concurrent Resolution proposing amendments to the constitution,

Correctly engrossed;

Also,

Assembly Bill No. 336, entitled

An Act regarding usury and interest,

Assembly Bill No. 347, entitled

An Act validating defective conveyances,

Assembly Bill No. 320, entitled

A Supplement to "An act to authorize the formation of railroad corporations and regulate the same," approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three,

Assembly Bill No. 341, entitled

An Act concerning cities of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 306, entitled

An Act to regulate the manner of publishing ordinances in incorporated cities of the third class,

Assembly Bill No. 240, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the relief of persons imprisoned on civil process" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 390, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize the board of chosen freeholders of the respective counties of this State,"

Assembly Bill No. 138, entitled

An Act concerning incorporated towns and certain officers thereof,

Assembly Bill No. 343, entitled

An Act to regulate the manner of selecting grand juries in the several counties of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 393, entitled

A Supplement to an act to provide means for protection against fires in townships,

Assembly Bill No. 398, entitled

An Act to repeal the first section of the act entitled "An act for the protection of fish,"

Assembly Bill No. 382, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act to provide for the filing of a lis pendens in actions, either at law or in equity, relating to or affecting the possession or title of lands or real estate," approved February sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty,

Assembly Bill No. 223, entitled

An Act to annex to the township of Springfield, in the county of Union, a portion of the township of Milburn, in the county of Essex,

Assembly Bill No. 137, entitled

An Act in relation to suits in the court of chancery,

Assembly Bill No. 443, entitled

An Act concerning cities,

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 1,

Proposing amendments to the constitution,

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 8,

Authorizing quartermaster-general to deliver to Frank A. Souders a certain confederate flag, captured by him.

Correctly engrossed.

Mr. Hough, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 467, entitled

An Act to provide for and secure the raising of revenue for execution of the public duties of maintaining public schools.

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Fish, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 468, entitled

An Act to prevent trespasses by poultry,

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Agricultural College, when appointed.

Mr. Chapman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 469, entitled

An Act providing for the creation of boards of health, and defining their duties and powers, in cities of the first class,

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Ross, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 470, entitled

A Further Supplement to the act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of gas light corporations and regulate the same," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Hoffman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 16,

Requesting the repeal of a part of the United States revenue laws relating to alcohol,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary, when appointed.

Mr. Harrigan, on leave, introduced

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 17,

Requesting the quartermaster to loan to Washington battery one piece of mounted ordnance,

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Militia.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 109, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the incorporation of fire companies," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Were read a third time, and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—50.

In the negative—none.

Assembly Bill No. 415, entitled

An Act for the better protection of mortgagees,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Larison, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rue, Savage, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—41.

The Governor's veto message on Assembly Bill No. 46,

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Trenton, March 11th, 1884. }

To the General Assembly :

I herewith return to the House, in which it originated, Assembly Bill No. 46, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled a supplement to an act entitled 'An act to re-organize the local government of the township of West Hoboken,' passed March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, which supplement was approved April eighth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five," with my objections thereto.

This bill is in violation of the provisions of paragraph XI., section 7, article IV. of the constitution, because it is a local or special bill regulating the internal affairs of a township.

The Supreme Court held, in the case of *Sutterlee v. Camden Common Pleas*, (12th Vroom 495), that a repealing act, in reference to a city, was a local and special act, where the repealing act effected alterations in the internal policy of a city. The act sought to be repealed by Assembly Bill No. 46, will be found in the laws of 1875, page 545 ; it provides for the government of the fire department of the township of West Hoboken, the election of a board of trustees by the people therefor, defines their powers, fixes their compensation, and gives them control of the fire department.

An act regulating the fire department of a city is certainly one relating to its internal affairs.

The only question left to determine is the construction of the words "towns" in paragraph XI., section 7, article IV., of the constitution. Does this word embrace "townships?" I think, there can be no question on this point.

The Chief Justice, delivering the opinion of the Court of Errors in the case of *Pell v. Newark* (11th Vroom 555), says: "In my opinion such is, in reality, the result, the term 'towns' in the passage standing as a generic designation, *embracing townships as well as cities*, and all other places corporate established for local government of the same grade as these, and also those of an inferior order, if any such there be."

LEON ABBETT,

Governor.

Was taken up and read, and, upon the question being put, "Shall this bill pass, notwithstanding the objections of the Governor?" the objections of the Governor were sustained by the following vote:

In the affirmative—none.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—47.

The Governor's veto message on Assembly Bill No. 283,

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Trenton, March 11th, 1884. }

To the General Assembly:

I herewith return to the House, in which it originated, Assembly Bill No. 283, entitled "A Supplement to an act entitled 'An

act to establish a system of public instruction,'” (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, with my objections thereto.

The effect of this bill is to empower the Superintendent of Public Instruction to withhold from any school district its share of the State School Fund until such district shall pay any alleged indebtedness for building any school house therein, or until such district shall have issued bonds to pay therefor.

If a contractor has any legal claim against a school district, he has ample remedy in the courts and they have the means of ascertaining the truth and reaching a just conclusion—which the law does not allow the State Superintendent of Public Instruction to use.

Another objection is that incorporated cities and towns constitute a school district, and, under this bill, the cities of Elizabeth and Rahway might be deprived of their entire share of such school fund.

I think it is far better to leave the collection of debts to the court in all such cases, and have the money which is to educate the children in such school districts used for that purpose. Such an act as this might deprive cities, that are in an embarrassed financial condition, of the means to properly educate their children.

Another objection to this proposed act is that a city having fifteen or twenty schools, and thousands of pupils, might have its entire share of school moneys withheld if there was a dispute about an indebtedness due for building one of its school-houses.

There is no necessity for this proposed law, and great evil might result from the enforcement of its provisions.

Respectfully,

LEON ABBETT,

Governor.

Was taken up and read, and, upon the question being put, “Shall this bill pass, notwithstanding the objections of the Governor?” the objections were sustained by the following vote:

In the affirmative—none.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Campbell, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—49.

The Governor's veto message on Assembly Bill No. 207,

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Trenton, March 11th, 1884, }

To the General Assembly:

I herewith return to the House, in which it originated, Assembly Bill No. 207, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections,'" approved April eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, with my objections thereto.

This proposed act is, in my judgment, by reason of its second section, a clear violation of the constitution. This section provides that "the provisions of this act shall only apply to any city who may accept the same by ordinance." Article IV., section 1, of the constitution provides that the legislative power shall be vested in a Senate and General Assembly. The draughtsman of this act has endeavored to apply to this proposed legislation the rule which authorizes the acceptance or rejection of a municipal charter by the people at an election. There is no decision in this State which would uphold even the submission of a municipal charter to the common council or legislative body of a city as this second section proposes. The furthest that the courts of this State have gone, either in the case of the city of Paterson *v.* the Society for Establishing Useful Manufactures (24 N. J. L. R., 394, et. seq.), or in the case of Pell *v.* City of Newark (40 N. J. L. R., 71), has been to hold that a municipal charter or act granting or affecting municipal powers could be submitted to the voters at an election upon the ground that such legislation was, in effect, a grant of power, upon condition of acceptance, and not a delegation of legislative function; and in

the latter case the court suggests a distinction even as to the validity of such a grant of power, unless the municipal organization is one that is strictly a municipal corporation, such as a borough or a city. The proposed act does not deal with a grant of power to a municipality, but is to regulate elections and affects the question of registry at all elections for all purposes to be held within the cities embraced within the terms of the act.

The provisions of the original act affecting registry were incorporated in the election law for the purpose of protecting the purity of elections. The act affects the election of State and county officials as well as municipal officers.

It can, by no fair construction, be designated a grant of municipal power. It is a general act controlling a subject in which all the citizens of the State are interested. If it is attempted to sustain this proposed act upon the ground that it is legislation of a conditional character whose force is to depend upon the happening of some future event then, it seems to me, it is equally objectionable. To uphold any such conditional legislation, the event on which such a law may be made to take effect must be such as, in the judgment of the legislature, affects the question of the expediency of the law—an event on which the expediency of the law, in the opinion of the lawmakers, depends—and on this question of expediency the legislature must exercise its own judgment definitely and finally. When the law is made to take effect upon the happening of such an event the legislature, in effect, declares the law inexpedient if the event should not happen, but expedient if it should happen. They appeal to no other man or men to judge for them in relation to its present or future expediency. They exercise that power themselves and they perform the duty which the constitution imposes upon them. The wisdom or expediency, however, of the present proposed act does not depend on the ordinance of the city.

If this act is unwise or inexpedient now, it will be equally unwise and inexpedient after the passage of such an ordinance. If the act is wise and proper it is equally so now as it would be if accepted by the ordinance of any city. The event on which this act is to take effect is nothing else than the ordinance of the city on the identical question which the constitution makes it the duty of the legislature itself to decide. The legislature has no power to make a statute of this character, dependent upon such a contingency, because it would be confiding to others that

legislative discretion which it is bound to exercise itself and which it cannot delegate or commit to any other man or men to be exercised.

The first section of this bill provides in the amended section that it shall be limited to cities containing six thousand four hundred inhabitants, according to the census of the year 1880, or of any census *heretofore taken* either by authority of the laws of the United States or of this State. This restriction to a past census and excluding cities that may reach this population according to a future census is a fatal defect.

This bill is similar in this respect to the act criticised by the Supreme Court in the opinion read by Justice Dixon in the case of Pavonia Horse Railroad Company v. Jersey City, 16th Vroom, page 298.

Respectfully,

LEON ABBETT,

Governor.

Was taken up and read, and, upon the question being put, "Shall this bill pass notwithstanding the objections of the Governor?" the objections were sustained, by the following vote:

In the affirmative—none.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—50.

Mr. Mills offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

WHEREAS, The Hon. Cornelius A. Cadmus, of Passaic county, is in deep sorrow at the loss of his much respected and beloved father; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the members of this House extend to the Hon. Cornelius A. Cadmus their sincere and heartfelt sympathy in this the hour of his deep affliction.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 8,

Authorizing quartermaster-general to deliver to Frank A. Souders a certain Confederate flag captured by him,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wil-drick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—50.

In the negative—none.

On motion of Mr. Fish, the Speaker ordered the Chairman of the Committee on Corporations to report

Senate Bill No. 31, entitled

An Act respecting telegraph, telephone, electric light and other wires and cables for electric purposes,

To-morrow morning.

Assembly Bill No. 437, entitled

An Act to fix the salaries of the clerks of the Committee on Engrossed Bills and document clerk of the House,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff—38.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Haines, Irons, Ludlam—3.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 443, entitled

An Act concerning cities,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—45.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Rich, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Senate Bill No. 130, entitled

A Supplement to "An act to authorize the incorporation of burial cemetery associations, and regulate cemeteries," approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Without recommendation.

Assembly Bill No. 322, entitled

An Act to amend "An act relative to the publication of the laws of this State in the newspapers," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Holzwarth, Hough, Jenkins, Jernee, Kelly, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, O'Donnell, Rue, Savage, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Woodruff, Wortendyke—33.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Cole, Irons, Ludlam, North, Weaver, Wildrick—6.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 399, entitled

An Act entitled "An act in relation to statements of foreign insurance companies,"

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee,

Keasbey, Kelly, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Ross, Rue, Savage, See, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—42.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 355, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice in the courts of law," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Clarke, Cole, Flynn, Harrison, Hoffman, Keasbey, McLaughlin, Mills, North, Rich, Rue, See, Steljes, Woodruff—16.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Armstrong, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Robbins, Savage, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—32.

Assembly Bill No. 450, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act concerning corporations,

Was taken up on second reading, and, on motion of Mr. Flynn, laid over until next Wednesday.

Assembly Bill No. 39, entitled

An Act relative to actions by persons injured or killed at railroad crossings in cities of this State,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Mr. McLaughlin, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 467, entitled

An Act to provide for and secure the raising of revenue for execution of the public duties of maintaining public schools,

Assembly Bill No. 458, entitled

An Act to regulate the salaries of commissioners of assessment and revision of taxes in cities of the first class,

Assembly Bill No. 453, entitled

An Act relating to the improvement of streets in cities of this State, and authorizing such cities to issue loan certificates to pay the costs of such improvements,

Assembly Bill No. 459, entitled

An Act providing compensation for the services of commissioners of city boards having the control of the supply and distribution of water,

Assembly Bill No. 445, entitled

A Supplement to an act to enable towns and townships to obtain a supply of water,

Without recommendation.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 12,

Joint Resolution relative to claims of New Jersey volunteers,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 287, entitled

A Supplement to the act to provide means for protection against fires in townships,

Substitute for

Assembly Bill No. 194, entitled

An Act concerning fire departments in the townships of this State,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Mr. Lake, Chairman of the Committee on Militia, reported

Joint Resolution No. 7,

Proposing amendment to the State constitution,

Favorably.

Mr. Hough, Chairman of the Committee on Lunatic Asylum, reported

Assembly Bill No. 466, entitled

A Further Supplement to the act entitled "An act to provide additional accommodation for the insane of this State," approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one,

Without recommendation.

Assembly Bill No. 356 entitled

An Act concerning the taxation of certain corporations in the State,

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 9,

On protection for labor,

Were severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading, and made a special order for Thursday morning.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 3, entitled

Joint Resolution relative to proposed amendments to the constitution of New Jersey,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading, and made a special order for Wednesday morning.

Assembly Bill No. 277, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 11,

Authorizing the purchase of a historical painting representing the presentation of Molly Pitcher to Washington,

Were severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 296, entitled

An Act relating to cities,

Was taken up on second reading, amended and laid over.

Assembly Bill No. 240, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the relief of persons imprisoned on civil process" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armstrong, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Kelly, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Rue, Savage, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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,	
<i>Mr. Speaker—</i>	March 17th, 1884.	

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 his Excellency the Governor be requested to return to the Senate, for further consideration,

Senate Joint Resolution No. 4, entitled

Joint Resolution relating to the abolishment of quarantine dues upon certain vessels engaged in the coasting trade,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Caminade,

Assembly Bill No. 320, entitled

A Supplement to an act to authorize the formation of railroad corporations and regulate the same, approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three,

Was reconsidered, amended, ordered engrossed, and have a third reading.

On motion of Cole, the House adjourned.

TUESDAY, March 18th, 1884.

At 10 o'clock the House met.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Zentner.

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names :

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Byrnes, Chairman of the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, reported

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 14,

For the lighting of the State capitol with electric light,

Favorably.

Mr. Wildrick, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 413, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Weehawken Fire Department of the township of North Bergen, Hudson county,"

Favorably,

Assembly Bill No. 414, entitled

An Act to require telegraph companies to establish in certain cases offices for the transmission and reception of messages,

Without recommendation.

Mr. Rich, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 471, entitled

An Act recating to the examination and investigation of accounts of township officers,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Carson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 472, entitled

An Act respecting financial statements of officers of local governments 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. Holzwarth, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 473, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning the granting of licenses to sell strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer within the limit of incorporated cities," approved March twenty-seventh, 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. Chattle, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 474, entitled

An Act providing further powers in localities governed by commissioners,

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Hough, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 475, entitled

An Act to authorize the conveyance of certain lands belonging to the State of New Jersey, situated in the township of Ewing, and county of Mercer,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Lunatic Asylums.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 1, entitled

Concurrent Resolution proposing amendments to the constitution,

Was read a third time, and laid over until the afternoon.

Assembly Bill No. 138, entitled

An Act concerning incorporated towns and certain officers thereof,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Ross, Rue, Savage, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—45.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Neighbour, Weaver—2.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 288, entitled

Supplement to an act to fix the salaries of the officers of the Senate and General Assembly of N. J.,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Woodruff, Wortendyke—52.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Budd, Irons—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. Rich, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No. 455, entitled

An Act to provide for the employment of the inmates of any prison, penitentiary, jail or public reformatory institution located within this State,

Favorably.

Assembly Bill No. 318, entitled

An Act relative to the election of constables,

Was read a third time, and the vote by which it was ordered to a third reading, reconsidered, and laid over temporarily.

Assembly Bill No. 343, entitled

An Act to regulate the manner of selecting grand juries in the several counties of this State,

Was read a third time, and laid over until to-morrow, on motion of Mr. Holzwarth.

Assembly Bill No. 377, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of this State,"

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Boud, Branning, Chattle, Clark, Cole, Coombs, Dickin-
son, Flynn, Haines, Harrison, Kelly, McLaughlin,
North, O'Donnell, Rich, Rue, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker),
Wildrick—19.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Burgess,
Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Doremus, Hoff-
man, Holzwarth, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Lake, Larison,
Lehlbach, Ludlam, Mills, Neighbour, Ross, Scott, See,
Stafford, Woodruff, Wortendyke—30.

Assembly Bill No. 325, entitled

An Act authorizing constables and police officers in towns and townships to serve warrants and other criminal process,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, North, O'Donnell, Rich, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff—43.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Wortendyke—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 318, entitled

An Act relative to the election of constables,

Was taken up on second reading, amended, ordered re-engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 323, entitled

A Supplement to an act to amend and consolidate the several acts relating to game and game laws, revised and approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—47.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Burgess—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 300, entitled

An Act concerning the construction of sewers in cities of this State,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Boud, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, O'Donnell, Robbins, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—37.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Keasbey—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 310, entitled

An Act to exempt hospitals from taxes and water rents,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson,

Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Hoffman, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—44.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Rich, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No. 451, entitled

An Act to enforce the provisions, terms and conditions of the charter granted to and held by toll roads, turnpike and plank road companies in the State,

Favorably.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 384, entitled

A Supplement to an act constituting district courts in certain cities in this State, approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, and extending the same to counties of the second class,

Correctly engrossed.

Assembly Bill No. 77, entitled

A Further Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was read a third time, and laid over two days.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
Mr. Speaker— March 18th, 1884. }

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills :

Senate Bill No. 120, entitled

An Act concerning license fees in cities,

Senate Bill No. 159, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of ale, strong beer, lager, porter, wine and other malt liquors in the State of New Jersey," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two,

Senate Bill No. 198, entitled

An Act for the government of persons who are now or may hereafter become members of the New Jersey Detective Association, incorporated under the act entitled "An act to incorporate the New Jersey Detective Association," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one,

Senate Bill No. 219, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to public printing," approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

And

Assembly Bill No. 350, entitled

An Act to fix the duties of the door-keepers and gallery-keepers of the Senate and General Assembly,

Without amendments,

Assembly Bill No. 401, entitled

An Act to enable cities of this State to furnish better accommodations for their officers and municipal boards, as well as the National Guard of the State therein organized,

With amendments,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The message was taken up, and the Senate bills severally read a first time by their titles, and ordered to have a second reading, and referred to their appropriate committees.

Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 401 were read and ordered engrossed.

On leave, Mr. Dickinson withdrew

Assembly Bill No. 265, entitled

An Act to provide for the further relief of poor in cities of the first class.

Assembly Bill No. 384, entitled

A Supplement to "An act constituting district courts in certain cities in this State," approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, and extending the same to counties of the second class,

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Armstrong, Boud, Campbell, Chattle, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Harrigan, Hoffman, Hough, Keasbey, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Mills, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Ross, Savage, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker)—23.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Cole, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrison, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, Neighbour, North, Rue, Scott, Stafford, Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—30.

On motion of Mr. Fish, the House adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At 3 o'clock the House met.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke.

Mr. Chapman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 476, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes,"

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Armstrong, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 477, entitled

An Act authorizing the payment of money appropriated for the support of the poor, in cities of this State, to any regularly incorporated benevolent or charitable association in such city,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Clarke, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 478, entitled

An Act in relation to wire fences,

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. Stoney, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 479, entitled

An Act to prevent crime,

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 1,

Proposing an amendment to the constitution,

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Chattle moved that the rules forbidding a person to explain his vote be suspended,

Which was agreed to by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Coombs, Doremus, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Hough, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Woodruff—31.

In the negative—were

Messrs. Boud, Byrnes, Caminade, Clarke, Cole, Flynn, Holzwarth, Irons, Jernee, Lehlbach, Mills, O'Donnell, Rich, Ross, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—17.

On motion of Mr. Caminade, a call of the House was ordered, with the following result :

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—54.

The Concurrent Resolution proposing amendments to the constitution having been read a third time, was lost by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armstrong, Boud, Branning, Budd, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Irons, Jenkins, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, Neighbour, North, Rue, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Woodruff—26.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Chapman, Clarke, Flynn, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough,

Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Mills, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Ross, Savage, Scott, See, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—30.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 14, entitled

An Act to protect all citizens in their civil and legal rights,

Correctly engrossed.

Mr. Wildrick, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 477, entitled

An Act authorizing the payment of money appropriated for the support of the poor, in cities of this State, to any regularly incorporated benevolent or charitable association in such city,

Favorably.

Mr. Rich, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No. 436, entitled

A Supplement to an act concerning mortgages,

Assembly Bill No. 438, entitled

A Supplement to and amendatory of chapter CXLV. of laws of one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Favorably,

Assembly Bill No. 460, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the better protection of hotel, inn and boarding house keepers," approved April sixth, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five,

With amendments,

Assembly Bill No. 461, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting conveyances" (Revision), approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Without recommendation.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 18th, 1884. }

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. 41, entitled

An Act to authorize cities of the second class to make permanent improvements in the road-beds of streets at the general expense,

Senate Bill No. 188, entitled

An Act to re-imburse William S. Weart for damages sustained against the commissioners of the sinking fund of the State of New Jersey,

Senate Bill No. 199, entitled

A Supplement to an act concerning taxes (Revision), approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Senate Bill No. 205, entitled

An Act concerning the salaries of officers in cities and townships of this State,

Senate Bill No. 211, entitled

An Act concerning cities,

Senate Bill No. 212, entitled

An Act to authorize cities to commute and adjust for a fixed sum the payment by abutting land owners of special sewer taxes,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The message was taken up, and the Senate bills severally read a first time by their titles, and ordered to have a second reading, and referred to their appropriate committees.

Mr. Armitage offered the following resolution, which was read :

Resolved, That it is a violation of the constitutional oath taken by the members of the legislature, at the bar of the House, for them to vote against a resolution to go into joint meeting provided for by the law to elect officers whose terms have expired under the law.

On motion of Mr. Chapman, the resolution was referred to the attorney-general.

A message was received from the Governor at the hands of his Private Secretary, Willard Fisk, transmitting to the House the following report :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Trenton, March 18th, 1884. }

To the General Assembly:

I herewith transmit to the General Assembly, for its consideration, a report of the commissioners of the State water supply of New Jersey, dated March, 1884, and the engineer's report accompanying the same.

Respectfully,

LEON ABBETT,

Governor.

On motion of Mr. Cole, five thousand copies were ordered printed.

Mr. Neighbour offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted :

Resolved, That it shall require thirty-one votes to pass a resolution for a final adjournment of this House, and that it shall require thirty-one votes to reconsider this resolution.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 18th, 1884. }

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. 68, entitled

Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 304, entitled

An Act to amend "An act to establish a system of public instruction" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 411, entitled

An Act to provide for the payment of the expenses of a special committee of the House of Assembly to investigate the subject of riparian rights,

Without amendments.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Said bills having passed both Houses, were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills, with the following certificate endorsed on the same :

"I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

HENRY D. WINTON,

Clerk."

Mr. Neighbour offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted :

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That a joint meeting of the Legislature be held in the Assembly Chamber, at 12 o'clock noon, on Wednesday, March 19th, inst., for the election of all such officers as it is proper for said joint meeting to elect.

Assembly Bill No. 14, entitled

An Act to protect all citizens in their civil and legal rights,

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Cole moved the bill lie over.

Mr. Armitage called for the ayes and noes.

The motion to lie over was agreed to, by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Steljes, Weaver, Woodruff, Wortendyke—35.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Byrnes, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Larison, Ludlam, O'Connor, Ross, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick—13.

Assembly Bill No. 467, entitled

An Act to provide for and secure the raising of revenue for execution of the public duties of maintaining public schools,

Was taken up on second reading, ordered engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 390, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize the board of chosen freeholders of the respective counties of this State,"

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Larison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Rich, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—31.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Bell, Chapman, Doremus, Harrison, Holzwarth, Kelly, Lehlbach, Lupton, O'Connor, Rue, See, Stafford—12.

Mr. Wortendyke, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, reported

Assembly Bill No. 478, entitled

An Act in relation to wire fences,

Without recommendation.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
Mr. Speaker— March 18th, 1884. }

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills:

Assembly Bill No. 41, entitled

An Act to regulate the holding of, and to prevent frauds in, the primary elections of the several political parties in the State of New Jersey,

Assembly Bill No. 143, entitled

A Supplement to an act to regulate fisheries,

Assembly Bill No. 290, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further act concerning taxes,' making the same a first lien on real estate," etc.,

With amendments,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Senate amendments read and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Steljes, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 480, entitled

An Act to authorize cities in this State in certain cases to extend streets now partly opened, and to pay for such extension,

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. Carson,

Assembly Bill No. 328, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to preserve the navigation of the rivers and creeks within the State of New Jersey," approved April twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Was recommitted.

The Speaker ordered the Committee on Fisheries to report

Assembly Bill No. 381, entitled

An Act for the preservation of clams and oysters.

Assembly Bill No. 426, entitled

An Act to authorize the sale of malt liquors on State and county agricultural society grounds at time of holding fair,

Assembly Bill No. 453, entitled

An Act relating to the improvement of streets in cities of this State, and authorizing such cities to issue loan certificates to pay the costs of such improvements,

Assembly Bill No. 414, entitled

An Act to require telegraph companies to establish, in certain cases, offices for the transmission and reception of messages,

Assembly Bill No. 417, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize municipal corporations to contract for a supply of water for public uses,"

Assembly Bill No. 459, entitled

An Act providing compensation for the services of commissioners of city boards having the control of the supply and distribution of water,

Assembly Bill No. 458, entitled

An Act to regulate the salaries of commissioners of assessment and revision of taxes in cities of the first class,

Were severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be engrossed, and to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 1, entitled

An Act to protect all citizens in their civil and legal rights,

Senate Bill No. 158, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "An act relating to the opening of by-roads," approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

Were severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Ross, the House adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, March 19th, 1884.

At 10 o'clock A. M. the House met.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Neilson.

Upon calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole,

Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Neighbour, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Assembly Bill No. 470, entitled

A Further Supplement to the act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of gas light corporations and regulate the same," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Assembly Bill No. 476, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes,"

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 16,

Requesting the repeal of a part of the United States revenue laws relating to alcohol,

Senate Bill No. 206, entitled

An Act for the relief of Charles S. Strader, of the borough of Washington; in the county of Warren,

Without recommendation,

Assembly Bill No. 437, entitled

An Act to fix the salaries of the clerks of the Committee on Engrossed Bills and document clerk of the House,

Assembly Bill No. 439, entitled

A Supplement to an act respecting court of chancery,

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 13, entitled

A Resolution proposing amendments to the State constitution,
Favorably.

Mr. Rich, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 481, entitled

An Act to discharge persons from arrest under civil process,

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. Dickinson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 482, entitled

An Act to provide for the proper storage of military stores in
the possession of companies of the National Guard,

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a
second reading, and referred to the Committee on Militia.

Mr. Harrison, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 483, entitled

An Act to provide for drainage and sewage in townships,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have
a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Caminade, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 484, entitled

An Act to authorize the sale and conveyance or lease of certain
lands of the State of New Jersey, in the borough of Chambers-
burg, in the county of Mercer,

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. Lehlbach, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 485, entitled

An Act to provide for the appointment of commissioners of appeals in cases of taxation in cities of the first class,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Cole moved that

Senate Bill No. 1, entitled

An Act to protect all citizens in their civil and legal rights,

Be recommitted to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Rich called for the ayes and noes.

The call was sustained.

The motion to recommit was agreed to by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lupton, North, Rue, See, Stafford, Weaver, Woodruff—26.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Boud, Budd, Caminade, Chattle, Doremus, Fish, Harigan, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—23.

Mr. Savage, Chairman of the Committee on Fisheries, reported

Assembly Bill No. 381, entitled

An Act for the preservation of clams and oysters,

Adversely.

The adverse report was sustained.

Mr. Chattle moved the vote by which the adverse report was sustained, be reconsidered,

Which was not agreed to, by a *viva voce* vote.

Mr. Robbins, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 486, entitled

A Further Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning inns and taverns,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. McLaughlin, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 487, entitled

An Act relating to proceedings heretofore had for the sale of land for taxes in cities of this State,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Lake presented a resolution, passed by the board of freeholders of Hunterdon county, favoring the passage a five per cent. bill.

Assembly Bill No. 347, entitled

An Act validating defective conveyances,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Bell, Boud, Branning, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Harrigan, Hough, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Lar-

ison, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Ross, Rue, Savage, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—37.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Haines—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. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 467, entitled

An Act to provide for and secure the raising of revenue for execution of the public duties of maintaining public schools,

Correctly engrossed.

Assembly Bill No. 14, entitled

An Act to protect all citizens in their civil and legal rights,

Was read a third time.

Mr. Clarke moved a call of the House, with the following result:

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Bell, Boud, Branning, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Coombs, Doremus, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—45.

The Sergeant-at-Arms was ordered to produce Messrs. See, Cole, Mills and Dickinson.

The bill was then passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Woodruff, Wortendyke—52.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Lake, Rich, Steljes, Wildrick.—4.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 467, entitled

An Act to provide for and secure the raising of revenue for execution of the public duties of maintaining public schools,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, See, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 143, entitled

A Supplement to an act to regulate fisheries.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 14,

For the lighting of the State capitol with electric light,

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 17,

Requesting the quartermaster to loan to Washington battery one piece of mounted ordnance,

Assembly Bill No. 450, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act concerning corporations,

Assembly Bill No. 451, entitled

An Act to enforce the provisions, terms and conditions of the charter granted to and held by toll roads, turnpike and plank road companies in the State,

Assembly Bill No. 289, entitled

An Act to regulate the making of contracts for public use or improvements,

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 16,

Requesting the repeal of a part of the United States revenue laws relating to alcohol,

Were severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 410, entitled

An Act in relation to the collection of interest on mortgages,

Assembly Bill No. 271, entitled

An Act to prevent cattle pasturing or running at large on the streets or highways in the townships,

Were taken up on their second reading, and laid over temporarily.

Mr. Stoney presented a petition protesting against the passage of

Assembly Bill No. 138, entitled

An Act concerning incorporated towns and certain officers thereof.

Mr. Fish moved the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 77, entitled

A Further Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was ordered to a third reading, be reconsidered,

Which was agreed to.

The bill was then taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

A message was received from the Governor at the hands of his Private Secretary, Willard Fisk, transmitting to the House the following report:

Mr. Speaker—

	STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
	EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,	
	Trenton, March 19th, 1884.	

I have this day approved and signed the following bill, which originated in the House of Assembly, and have delivered the same to the Secretary of State, to be filed in his office:

Assembly Bill No. 264, entitled

An Act concerning the publication of financial statements in cities of this State.

LEON ABBETT,

Governor.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At 3 o'clock the House met.

Upon calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Ross, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wil-drick.

Mr. Rich, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Senate Bill No. 207, entitled

A Further Supplement to the act entitled "An act to secure to creditors an equal and just division of the estates of debtors who convey to assignees for the benefit of creditors" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Bill No. 199, entitled

A Supplement to an act concerning taxes (Revision), approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Favorably.

Mr. McLaughlin, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 474, entitled

An Act providing further powers in localities governed by commissioners,

Assembly Bill No. 472, entitled

An Act respecting financial statements of officers of local governments in this State,

Assembly Bill No. 469, entitled

An Act providing for the creation of boards of health, and defining their duties and powers, in cities of the first class,

Assembly Bill No. 485, entitled

An Act to provide for the appointment of commissioners of appeals in cases of taxation in cities of the first class,

Assembly Bill No. 487, entitled

An Act relating to proceeding heretofore had for the sale of land for taxes in cities of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 430, entitled

An Act to repeal an act relative to morgues and morgue-keepers,

Favorably.

Mr. Steljes, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Assembly Bill No. 432, entitled

An Act to authorize school boards to institute and maintain industrial or manual training classes in grammar schools,

Favorably.

Mr. Neighbour, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Senate Bill No. 80, entitled

An Act in relation to lay judges in the orphans', common pleas, quarter sessions and special sessions courts in this State,

Favorably.

Mr. Chapman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 488, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act for the better preservation of the early records of the State of New Jersey, passed March twenty-ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two,

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. McLaughlin, on leave introduced

Assembly Bill No. 489, entitled

An Act to prevent extravagance in the use of school books,

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 17,

Authorizing the quartermaster to loan a piece of ordnance to Washington battery,

Correctly engrossed.

Mr. Wildrick, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 462, 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. 463, entitled

An Act relating to the control and government of fire departments in townships of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 448, entitled

An Act relative to town ordinances, making same valid notwithstanding insufficiency of advertisement,

Favorably,

And

Assembly Bill No. 465, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of the State," approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Without recommendation.

Senate Bill No. 102, entitled

An Act to repeal section one of "An act fixing the amount to be expended by boards of education in certain cities of this State for permanent improvements in any one year," approved March fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Robbins, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—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.

Senate Bill No. 113, entitled

An Act authorizing the collection of tolls on certain bridges,
And

Senate Joint Resolution No. 3; entitled

Joint Resolution to Congress relative to the establishment of a penal colony,

Was ordered to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 172, entitled

A Further 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 March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was read a second time and ordered to have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Kelly, Larison, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, See, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—45.

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, 1884. }
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. 467, entitled

An Act to provide for and secure the raising of revenue for execution of the public duties of maintaining public schools,

Senate Bill No. 71, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act constituting district courts in certain cities in this State," approved March ninth, eighteen hundred and seventy-seven,

Senate Bill No. 169, entitled

An Act to facilitate proceedings under or by virtue of writs of executions,

Senate Bill No. 195, entitled

An Act authorizing the incorporated cities, towns and townships of this State to renew matured and maturing bonds,

Senate Bill No. 231, entitled

An Act to regulate the constructing and maintaining across the fresh water streams of this State of pipe lines through which petroleum is conveyed, and to place such pipe lines under the control of the State commissioners of water supply,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The message was taken up, and the Senate bills severally read a first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to their appropriate committees.

Assembly Bill No. 467 having passed both Houses, was this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills, with the following certificate endorsed on the same:

"I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

HENRY D. WINTON,

Clerk."

Senate Bill No. 191, entitled

An Act to authorize thief detecting societies to exercise police powers in townships,

Ordered to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 165, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize and regulate the business of banking," approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Hoffman, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lupton, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—33.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Keasbey, O'Connor—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.

Assembly Bill No. 455, entitled

An Act to provide for the employment of the inmates of any prison, penitentiary, jail or public reformatory institution located within this State,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading, and the bill be reprinted and placed on member's desks, to-morrow morning, and then considered.

Senate Bill No. 113, entitled

An Act authorizing the collection of tolls on certain bridges,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Boud, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Hoffman, Keasbey, Kelly, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—34.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Cadmus, Flynn, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Irons, Lehlbach, O'Connor, Rue—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.

Assembly Bill No. 309, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of the State" (Revision), approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and 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 19th, 1884. }

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. 263, entitled

An Act to prevent the pollution of the waters of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 380, entitled

An Act relative to assessments for sewers in cities of the first class,

With amendments,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Amendments made in the Senate read, and ordered to be engrossed and 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 19th, 1884. }

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 his Excellency the Governor be requested to return to the Senate, for further consideration,

Senate Bill No. 7, entitled

A Supplement to chapter XI. of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Wildrick, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No. 1, entitled

An Act to protect all citizens in their civil and legal rights.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 401, entitled

An Act to enable cities of this State to furnish better accommodations for their officers and municipal boards, as well as the National Guard of the State therein organized,

Correctly engrossed.

Assembly Bill No. 306, entitled

An Act to regulate the manner of publishing ordinances in incorporated cities of the third class,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Rich, Robbins, Rue, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick—37.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Weaver—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.

The Special Committee on Convict Labor, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 490, entitled

An Act making an appropriation for the extension of the State Prison walls and building workshop for the employment of prisoners,

Which was placed on calendar, and ordered to have a second reading.

Mr. Hough, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 491,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Lunatic Asylums.

Mr. Wildrick, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 492, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to secure to creditors an equal and just division of the estate of debtors,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Alcott, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 493,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Lunatic Asylums;

Also,

Assembly Bill No. 494, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a system of public instruction,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Education, when appointed.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 401, entitled

An Act to enable cities of this State to furnish better accommodations for their officers and municipal boards, as well as the national guard of the State therein organized,

Were read a third time, and concurred in by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Rue, See, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—38.

In the negative—none.

Mr. Budd, Chairman of the Committee on Commerce and Navigation, reported

Senate Bill No. 203, entitled

An Act to ascertain and define the easterly limits of the seaboard counties of this State and the jurisdiction thereof,

Favorably.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 376, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act to regulate elections,

Correctly engrossed.

Assembly Bill No. 340, entitled

An Act concerning the collection of taxes in cities of this State and to authorize actions at law therefor.

The bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Rue, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—44.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Cole, Keasbey—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.

Senate Bill No. 130, entitled

A Supplement to "An act to authorize the incorporation of rural cemetery associations and regulate cemeteries" (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 341, entitled

An Act concerning cities of this State,

Was read a third time, and laid over until to-morrow.

Mr. Steljes offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the Clerk, Reading Clerk, Journal Clerk, Speaker's Secretary, Engrossing Clerk, Sergeant-at-Arms, Assistant Engrossing Clerk and Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms be furnished with a certificate of their election, the same to be prepared by the Clerk, signed by the Speaker, and attested by the Clerk.

Assembly Bill No. 376, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act to regulate elections,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Rue, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—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. Jenkins, the House adjourned.

THURSDAY, March 20th, 1884.

At 10 o'clock the House met.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Zentner.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names :

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clark, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Rue, Savage, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Mills, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 495, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes," approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws.

Joint Resolution No. 7,

Proposing amendment to the State constitution,

Was taken up on third reading, and laid over until Thursday morning, and made the special order.

Assembly Bill No. 307, entitled

An Act for the better securing and enjoyment of wages to workmen and laborers in the State of New Jersey,

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Coombs, Dickinson, Hough, Lupton, Rich, Steljes, Woodruff—13.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armitage, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Cole, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Lehlbach, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Ross, Rue, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wortendyke—28.

Assembly Bill No. 311, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting conveyances," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Boud, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, O'Donnell, Rue, Savage, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—35.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Steljes—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. Fish moved to reconsider the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 307, entitled

An Act for the better securing and enjoyment of wages to workmen and laborers in the State of New Jersey,

Was lost,

Which was not agreed to by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Chattle, Dickinson, Fish, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Jenkins, Jernee, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Steljes, Woodruff—27.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Boud, Budd, Cadmus, Cole, Coombs, Doremus, Irons, Wortendyke—9.

Assembly Bill No. 15, entitled

An Act to provide for the election of delegates to a convention to prepare a constitution for the government of this State, and for submitting the same to the people thereof for ratification or rejection,

Was taken up on third reading, and laid over, and made a special order for Monday night.

Mr. Armitage, Chairman of the Committee on Elections, reported

Assembly Bill No. 449, entitled

A Supplement to an act to regulate elections,

Without recommendation.

Assembly Bill No. 326, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act constituting district courts in certain cities in this State," approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven,

Was taken up on third reading, and laid over until next week,

Assembly Bill No. 393, entitled

A Supplement to an act to provide means for protection against fires in townships,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Dickinson, Fish, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lupton, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Rue, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff—32.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Boud, Chattle, Doremus, Wortendyke—4.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 137, entitled

An Act in relation to suits in the court of chancery,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chapman,

Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Rue, Savage, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—44.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 17,

Requesting the quartermaster to loan to Washington battery one piece of mounted ordnance,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Rue, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—41.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Cole—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 143, entitled

A Supplement to an act to regulate fisheries,

Were read and concurred in by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Lake, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, North, O'Donnell, Rich, Rue; See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—42.

In the negative—none.

Assembly Bill No. 320, entitled

A Supplement to an act to authorize the formation of railroad corporations and regulate the same, approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three,

Was read a third time and laid over until next week.

Assembly Bill No. 108, entitled

An Act to repeal a supplement to an act entitled “An act to regulate elections,”

Was read a third time and recommitted.

Assembly Bill No. 341, entitled

An Act concerning cities of this State,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Lake, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Ross, Rue, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—39.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 382, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act to provide for the filing of a lis pendens in actions, either at law or in equity, relating to or affecting the possession or title of lands or real estate," approved February sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, North, O'Donnell, Rue, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—44.

In the negative—none.

Mr. Hough, Chairman of the Committee on Lunatic Asylums, reported

Assembly Bill No. 491, entitled

An Act to authorize the managers of the State Lunatic Asylum to purchase additional land,

Favorably.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 395, entitled

An Act to authorize persons who may think themselves aggrieved by the judgment or decision of any district court in this State to appeal therefrom,

Assembly Bill No. 296, entitled

An Act relating to cities,

Assembly Bill No. 318, entitled

An Act relative to the election of constables,

Assembly Bill No. 263, entitled

An Act to prevent the pollution of the waters of this State,

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 14,

For the lighting of the State capitol with electric light,

Assembly Joint Resolution, No. 16,

Requesting the repeal of a part of the United States revenue laws relating to alcohol,

Assembly Bill No. 458, entitled

An Act to regulate the salaries of commissioners of assessment and revision of taxes in cities of the first class,

Assembly Bill No. 459, entitled

An Act providing compensation for the services of commissioners of city boards having the control of the supply and distribution of water,

Correctly engrossed.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 16,

Requesting the repeal of a part of the United States revenue laws relating to alcohol,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth,

Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Rich, Ross, Rue, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff—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. Lake, Chairman of the Committee on Militia, reported

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 15,

That the Governor direct the adjutant-general to have a compilation of the National Guard law prepared,

Without recommendation.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 356, entitled

An Act concerning the taxation of certain corporations in the State,

House amendments to

Senate Bill No. 158, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "An act relating to the opening of by-roads," approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 9,

On protection for labor,

Correctly engrossed.

Assembly Bill No. 458, entitled

An Act to regulate the salaries of commissioners of assessment and revision of taxes in cities of the first class,

Was read a third time, and laid over until Monday night.

Assembly Bill No. 461, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting conveyances" (Revision), approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 294, entitled

An Act to regulate the liability of corporations for injuries received by their employees,

Assembly Bill No. 295, entitled

An Act for the preservation of the health of female employes employed in manufacturing, mechanical and mercantile establishments,

Assembly Bill No. 448, entitled

An Act relative to town ordinances, making same valid notwithstanding insufficiency of advertisement,

Assembly Bill No. 457, entitled

An Act to provide for the sale of assessment deeds and certificates of sale held by townships in this State,

Assembly Bill No. 446, entitled

An Act to provide for purchase and distribution of Dickinson's Forms,

Assembly Bill No. 379, entitled

An Act to provide for the drainage of meadow lands in townships of this State,

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 15,

That the Governor direct the adjutant-general to have a compilation of the National Guard law prepared,

Assembly Bill No. 255, entitled

An Act to prevent willful trespasses,

Assembly Bill No. 406, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning marriages, births and deaths,"

Assembly Bill No. 271, entitled

An Act to prevent cattle pasturing or running at large on the streets or highways in the townships,

Assembly Bill No. 419, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to sales of land under a public statute or by virtue of any judicial proceedings," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred seventy-four,

Were severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 421, entitled

An Act authorizing the publication of all legal advertisements and other notices in certain newspapers in this State which have been published for at least one year,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading and reprinted.

Mr. Savage, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads and Canals, reported

Assembly Bill No. 442, entitled

An Act to prevent illegal use of passes on railroad, steamboat and ferry companies,

Favorably.,

On motion of Mr. Cole,

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 9,

On protection for labor,

Was laid over until Monday night.

Assembly Bill No. 395, entitled

An Act to authorize persons who may think themselves aggrieved by the judgment or decision of any district court in this State to appeal therefrom,

Was taken up on third reading, and laid over until next week.

Assembly Bill No. 318, entitled

An Act relative to the election of constables,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Burges, Byrnes, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Lehlbach, North, O'Donnell, Rich, Ross, Rue, See, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke
—35.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Doremus, Lake, Ludlam, Lupton—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. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 77, entitled

A Further Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Correctly engrossed.

Assembly Bill No. 77, entitled

A Further Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Savage, See, Steljes—35.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Boud, Budd, Caminade, Doremus, Irons, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—12.

Mr. Savage, Chairman of the Committee on Fisheries, reported

Assembly Bill No. 454, entitled

An Act to repeal parts of acts regulating the fisheries in the Delaware river and other rivers above tide water,

Favorably.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 455, entitled

An Act to provide for the employment of the inmates of any prison, penitentiary, jail or public reformatory institution located within this State,

Correctly engrossed.

Assembly Bill No. 455, entitled

An Act to provide for the employment of the inmates of any prison, penitentiary, jail or public reformatory institution located within this State,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Bell, Boud, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Jernee, Keasbey, Lake, Lehlbach, Ludlam, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Ross, Savage, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—37.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Cole offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted :

Resolved, That when this House adjourns, it adjourns to Saturday morning at 9 o'clock, thence to Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

Mr. Wildrick, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 471, entitled

An Act relating to the examination and investigation of accounts of township officers,

Assembly Bill No. 483, entitled

An Act to provide for drainage and sewage in townships,

Senate Bill No. 198, entitled .

An Act for the government of persons who are now or may hereafter become members of the New Jersey Detective Association, incorporated under the act entitled "An act to incorporate the New Jersey Detective Association," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one,

Favorably.

Mr. Steljes, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Assembly Bill No. 489, entitled

An Act to prevent extravagance in the use of school books,

Assembly Bill No. 494, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a system of public instruction,"

Favorably.

Mr. Burgess arose to a question of privilege, and said that, in a discussion during the session, he had, at the entrance to one of the committee rooms, lost his self-possession and dealt a member (Mr. Armitage) a blow, for which he wished to apologize to the House.

Mr. Clarke moved the apology be accepted.

Mr. Flynn offered as a substitute to the motion, the following resolution, which was read :

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed to investigate the trouble that took place this morning between Messrs. Burgess and Armitage, and that the committee report to the House as early a time as possible.

The resolution having been read, was lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Cadmus, Chapman, Doremus, Flynn, Irons, Larison, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Wortendyke—9.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Lake, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, North, Rich, Ross, Savage, See, Stafford, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff—36.

The House then accepted the apology by a *viva voce* vote.

On motion of Mr. Cole, the House adjourned.

SATURDAY, March 22d, 1884.

At 10 o'clock A. M. the House met.

Upon calling the roll, the following gentleman answered to his name :

Mr. Caminade.

Mr. Caminade, Speaker *pro tem.*, in the chair.

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem.* declared the House adjourned until Monday evening, at eight o'clock.

MONDAY EVENING, March 24th, 1884.

At 8 o'clock the House met.

Prayer was offered by Hon. John B. Campbell.

Upon calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Neighbour, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Assembly Bill No. 488, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act for the better preservation of the early records of the State of New Jersey, passed March twenty-ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two,

Senate Bill No. 169, entitled

An Act to facilitate proceedings under or by virtue of writs of executions,

Senate Bill No. 159, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of ale, strong beer, lager, porter, wine and other malt liquors in the State of New Jersey," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two,

Senate Bill No. 71, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act constituting district courts in certain cities in this State," approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven,

Favorably.

Mr. Cole, offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted :

WHEREAS, we learn with deep regret that our friend and associate, Hon. William Prall, has lost his young wife ;

BE IT RESOLVED, *by the House of Assembly*, That we extend to the Hon. William Prall our hearty sympathy in this the hour of his affliction ;

Resolved, That the Clerk of this House be directed to forward a copy of these resolutions to Hon. William Prall.

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Assembly of the State of New Jersey :

The Special Committee appointed by the 107th General Assembly to investigate the accounts of the State Comptroller and other State officers, beg leave to report that the long-continued illness of the late Speaker, Thomas O'Connor, who was Chairman of the Committee, prevented the committee from taking the first steps towards an investigation until late in the summer. Speaker O'Connor's decease occurred on the 20th of August, leaving the committee composed of four members, who were so divided as to the manner of procedure, and the extent to which the investigation should be carried, as to prevent it from agreeing upon any plan whatever.

The committee organized by the election of the Hon. E. O. Chapman, as chairman, and William Hutchinson, Esq., as clerk. The remainder of the year, however, was spent in futile efforts to meet and agree, and, after many failures, we are com-

pelled to report our inability to perform satisfactorily the work for which the committee was appointed.

E. O. CHAPMAN,
PETER FORMAN,
G. W. JENKINS,
JOHN GILL,

Committee.

March 24th, 1884.

Senate Bill No. 87, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to sales of land under a public statute or by virtue of any judicial proceedings" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

With House amendments,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Robbins, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—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.

A message was received from the Governor at the hands of his Private Secretary, Willard Fisk, transmitting to the House the following report:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Trenton, March 24th, 1884. }

Mr. Speaker—

I have this day approved and signed the following bill, which originated in the House of Assembly, and have delivered the same to the Secretary of State, to be filed in his office:

Assembly Bill No. 467, entitled

An Act to provide for and secure the raising of revenue for execution of the public duties of maintaining public schools.

LEON ABBETT,

Governor.

Senate Bill No. 22, entitled

An Act to prohibit fishing by steamers and other vessels with shirred or purse seines in any of the waters within the jurisdiction of the State of New Jersey,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engróssed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 419, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to sales of land under a public statute or by virtue of any judicial proceedings," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 414, entitled

An Act to require telegraph companies to establish in certain cases offices for the transmission and reception of messages,

Assembly Bill No. 406, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning marriages, births and deaths,"

Assembly Bill No. 380, entitled

An Act relative to assessments for sewers in cities of the first class,

Assembly Bill No. 379, entitled

An Act to provide for the drainage of meadow lands in townships of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 309, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of the State" (Revision), approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 295, entitled

An Act for the preservation of the health of female employes employed in manufacturing, mechanical and mercantile establishments,

Assembly Bill No. 290, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further act concerning taxes,' making the same a first lien on real estate," etc.,

Assembly Bill No. 289, entitled

An Act to regulate the making of contracts for public use or improvements,

Assembly Bill No. 287, entitled

A Supplement to the act to provide means for protection against fires in townships,

Assembly Bill No. 446, entitled

An Act to provide for purchase and distribution of Dickinson's Forms,

Assembly Bill No. 450, entitled

- A Further Supplement to an act concerning corporations,
Joint Resolution No. 12,
Joint Resolution relative to claims of New Jersey volunteers,
Assembly Bill No. 271, entitled

An Act to prevent cattle pasturing or running at large on the streets or highways in the townships,

- Joint Resolution providing amendments to the constitution,
Assembly Bill No. 41, entitled

An Act to regulate the holding of, and to prevent frauds in, the primary elections of the several political parties in the State of New Jersey,

- Assembly Bill No. 348, entitled

An Act to validate and render more effective ordinances of boards of health and vital statistics of the several counties of this State,

- Assembly Bill No. 39, entitled

An Act relative to actions by persons injured or killed at railroad crossings in cities of this State,

- Assembly Joint Resolution No. 11,

Authorizing the purchase of a historical painting representing the presentation of Molly Pitcher to Washington,

- Correctly engrossed.

- Assembly Bill No. 470, entitled

A Further Supplement to the act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of gas light corporations and regulate the same," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

- Assembly Bill No. 280, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the collection of demands against ships, steamboats and other vessels," approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven,

Assembly No. 475, entitled

An Act to authorize the conveyance of certain lands belonging to the State of New Jersey, situated in the township of Ewing, and county of Mercer,

Assembly Bill No. 218, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning bridges and turnpikes," approved March twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 59, entitled

An Act to repeal a part of section two, of chapter CCCCXCIX., of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 442, entitled

An Act to prevent illegal use of passes on railroad, steamboat and ferry companies,

Assembly Bill No. 397, entitled

An Act concerning cities,

Were taken up, read a second time, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Mr. Chattle, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 497, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the better preservation of the early records 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. Burgess, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 498, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws, when appointed.

Mr. Harrison, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 499, entitled

An Act concerning horse 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. Fish, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 500, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies" (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Steljes, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 501, entitled

An Act for the regulation of salaries of city treasurers 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.

Mr. Steljes, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 502, entitled

An Act authorizing cities in the State to fix the salaries of city physicians of such cities,

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Flynn, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 503, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Oak Wood Cemetery Association,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

The following resolution, was read and declared out of order :

Resolved, That after Wednesday, the 26th inst., no bills shall be introduced in the House.

Senate Bill No. 97, entitled

An Act to ratify and confirm an agreement made between the commissioners appointed on the part of the State of New York and the commissioners appointed on the part of the State of New Jersey, respecting the location of the northern boundary line between the States of New York and New Jersey and the replacing and erecting of monuments thereon, bearing date the seventh day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Was taken up on second reading, read a second time, and ordered to a third reading, and,

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines,

Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lehlbach, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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. Harrigan, the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 453, entitled

An Act relating to the improvement of streets in cities of this State, and authorizing such cities to issue loan certificates to pay the costs of such improvements,

Was ordered to a third reading, was reconsidered.

The bill was then taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 458, entitled

An Act to regulate the salaries of commissioners of assessment and revision of taxes in cities of the first class,

Was taken up on third reading, and laid over until Wednesday next.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 9,

On protection for labor,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan,

Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Kelly, Lake, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Rich, Robbins, Rue, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker) Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—38.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Cole, Coombs, Harrison, Hoffman, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Mills, See, Stafford—11.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

The following messages were received from the Senate :

	STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
	SENATE CHAMBER,	
<i>Mr. Speaker—</i>	March 24th, 1884.	

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bill :

Assembly Bill No. 272, entitled

An Act to authorize the appointment of fire wardens,

With amendment,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The amendments made in Senate were concurred in.

	STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
	SENATE CHAMBER,	
<i>Mr. Speaker—</i>	March 24th, 1884.	

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills :

Assembly Bill No. 127, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize cities in this State to issue and dispose of water bonds or water scrip to renew certain water bonds or water scrip," approved January thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Assembly Bill No. 443, entitled

An Act concerning cities,

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 8,

Authorizing quartermaster-general to deliver to Frank A. Souders a certain confederate flag, captured by him,

Without amendment.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Said bills having passed both Houses, were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills, with the following certificate endorsed on the same :

"I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

HENRY D. WINTON,

Clerk."

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 24th, 1884. }

Mr. Speaker—

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bill :

Senate Bill No. 122, entitled

An Act to provide a supplement to Stewart's Digest of the Law and Chancery Reports of the State of New Jersey,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The message was taken up, and the Senate bill read a first time by its title, and ordered to have a second reading, and referred to its appropriate committee.

On leave, Mr. Harrigan withdrew

Assembly Bill No. 453, entitled

An Act relating to the improvement of streets in cities of this State, and authorizing such cities to issue loan certificates to pay the costs of such improvements,

And offered a substitute therefor, which was referred to the same committee.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 14,

For the lighting of the State capitol with electric light,

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Campbell, Carson, Cole, Dickinson, Haines, Harrigan, Hough, Jenkins, Jernee, Kelly, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, Savage, Scott, Woodruff—19.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Branning, Chapman, Chattle, Coombs, Doremus, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, North, Rich, Robbins, See, Stafford, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—24.

Mr. McLaughlin, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No. 212, entitled

An Act to authorize cities to commute and adjust for a fixed sum the payment by abutting land owners of special sewer taxes,

Senate Bill No. 41, entitled

An Act to authorize cities of the second class to make permanent improvements in the road-beds of streets at the general expense,

Senate Bill No. 81, entitled

An Act in relation to the codification and revision of the ordinances of cities of the second class,

Favorably.

Mr. Robbins, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 504, entitled

An Act to require all corporations chartered by the laws of this State to publish a statement of their resources and liabilities, and a list of their officers, with the salaries received by each, and the amount of dividends and earnings declared and earned,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Riparian Rights,

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 380, entitled

An Act relative to assessments for sewers in cities of the first class,

Were read a third time, and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Byrnes, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lupton, Neighbour, North, Rich, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver—35.

In the negative—none.

Mr. Armstrong offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor of this House be extended to the Hon. Adison C. Gibbs, ex-Governor of the State of Oregon.

On motion of Mr. Burgess,

Assembly Bill No. 451, entitled

An Act to enforce the provisions, terms and conditions of the charter granted to and held by toll roads, turnpike and plank road companies in the State,

Was made the special order for Thursday morning.

On motion of Mr. Rich,

Assembly Bill No. 198, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize the incorporation of rural cemetery associations and regulate cemeteries" (Revision), approved April nine, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Was recommitted.

On motion of Mr. Mills, the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 59, entitled

An Act to repeal a part of section two, of chapter CCCCXCIX., of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Was ordered to a third reading, was reconsidered.

The bill was then taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, ordered to be engrossed, and to have a third reading.

The following message was received from the Senate:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 24th, 1884. }
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. 79, entitled

A Further Supplement to "An act concerning inns and taverns," approved April seventeenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six ;

Also,

Senate Bill No. 37, entitled

An Act to facilitate the giving of security on official and other bonds,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Fish presented a petition in favor of

Senate Bill No. 231, entitled

An Act to regulate the constructing and maintaining across the fresh water streams of this State of pipe lines through which petroleum is conveyed, and to place such pipe lines under the control of the State commissioners of water supply,

Which was read, and ordered to be printed.

On motion of Mr. Wortendyke, the House adjourned.

TUESDAY, March 25th, 1884.

At 10 o'clock the House met.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Green.

Upon calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names :

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Senate Bill No. 54, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 95, entitled

An Act to incorporate and establish free public libraries in this State,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Larison, Neighbour, North, Rue, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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.

Senate Bill No. 207, entitled

A Further Supplement to the act entitled "An act to secure to creditors an equal and just division of the estates of debtors who convey to assignees for the benefit of creditors" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 450, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act concerning corporations,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Harrison, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, North, O'Connor, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—42.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Armitage—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. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 417, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize municipal corporations to contract for a supply of water for public uses,"

Assembly Bill No. 461, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting conveyances" (Revision), approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Correctly engrossed.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 12,

Relative to the claims of New Jersey soldiers,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Ross, Rue, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker) Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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. Chapman, the vote by which
 Assembly Joint Resolution No. 14,
 For the lighting of the State capitol with electric light,
 Was lost, was reconsidered by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes,
 Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Cole,
 Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan,
 Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins,
 Keasbey, Kelly, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour,
 North, O'Connor, Rich, Ross, Rue, Scott, See, Steljes,
 Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—
 42.

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,	
<i>Mr. Speaker :</i>	March 25th, 1884.	

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly
 that the Senate has passed the following bills :

Senate Bill No. 228, entitled

An Act for the support of the State Reform School for Boys,

Senate Bill No. 229, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the support of the
 New Jersey State Reform School for Boys," approved March
 thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

Senate Bill No. 235, entitled

An Act authorizing repairs to the State Arsenal,

And

Assembly Bill No. 240, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the relief of persons imprisoned on civil process" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Without amendments,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The message was taken up, and the Senate bills severally read a first time by their titles, and ordered to have a second reading, and referred to their appropriate committees.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

	STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
	SENATE CHAMBER,	
<i>Mr. Speaker:</i>	March 25th, 1884.	

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills:

Assembly Bill No. 45, entitled

An Act authorizing suits to be brought against the State of New Jersey,

Assembly Bill No. 105, entitled

An Act to give to firemen the same advantages in respect to taxes and jury duty as now are or hereafter may be allowed to members of the National Guard of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 229, entitled

An Act to further extend the times before or within the State assessment or other sum required to be paid into the State treasury by virtue of the provisions of the act entitled "An act to increase the revenues of the State of New Jersey," approved

March eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine, or any subsequent act, may be paid, and to remit, release and extinguish any conditions, penalties or forfeitures heretofore provided for, incurred or proclaimed by reason of the non-payment of any assessment or sum aforesaid, required by virtue of the provisions of said act,

Assembly Bill No. 391, entitled

An Act to establish an excise department in certain cities,
With amendments,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The amendments made in the Senate were read, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Mr. Rich, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No. 484, entitled

An Act to authorize the sale and conveyance or lease of certain lands of the State of New Jersey, in the borough of Chambersburg, in the county of Mercer,

Favorably.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 391, entitled

An Act to establish an excise department in certain cities,
Were read and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws.

Mr. Harrigan, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 505, entitled

An Act concerning official newspapers in this State,

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Public Printing.

Assembly Bill No. 461, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting conveyances" (Revision), approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Hough, Jernee, Larison, Mills, North, Robbins, Ross, Rue, See, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Woodruff—31.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Chapman, Doremus, Fish, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Kelly, Lehlbach, Lupton, Neighbour, O'Connor, Scott, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—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.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 290, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further act concerning taxes,' making the same a first lien on real estate," etc.,

Were read and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Boud, Burgess, Byrnes, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle,

Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Robbins, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—48.

In the negative—none.

Assembly Bill No. 485, entitled

An Act to provide for the appointment of commissioners of appeals in cases of taxation in cities of the first class,

Assembly Bill No. 474, entitled

An Act providing further powers in localities governed by commissioners,

Were read a second time, amended, ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

Mr. Haines offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor of the House be extended to the Hon. Senator W. J. McKnight, of Pennsylvania.

A message was received from the Governor at the hands of his Private Secretary, Willard Fisk, transmitting to the House the following report:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, }
Trenton, March 25th, 1884. }

Hon. A. B. Stoney, Speaker of General Assembly:

SIR—I have delivered the following bill, which originated in the House of Assembly, to the Secretary of State, to be filed in his office, without my signature, being unwilling to approve the same, viz.:

Assembly Bill No. 85, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning certain townships in this State," approved March twenty-third, eighteen hundred and eighty-three.

Respectfully,

LEON ABBETT,

Governor.

Mr. Hough, Chairman of the Committee on Lunatic Asylums, reported

Assembly Bill No. 495, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes," approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Assembly Bill No. 386, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning disorderly persons," approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Assembly Bill No. 410, entitled

An Act in relation to the collection of interest on mortgages.

Assembly Bill No. 409, entitled

An Act to provide for a standard time in the State of New Jersey,

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 477, entitled

An Act authorizing the payment of money appropriated for the support of the poor in cities of this State, to any regularly incorporated benevolent or charitable association in such city,

Assembly Bill No. 447, entitled

A Supplement to an act for organization of National Guard of New Jersey,

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, ordered to be engrossed, and to have a third reading, and to be reprinted.

Senate Bill No. 184, entitled

An Act providing an additional appropriation for the support of the New Jersey Home for Disabled Soldiers,

Was taken up on second reading, read a second time, and ordered to have a third reading.

Under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by title, and, on motion of Mr. Chapman, referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 78, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning juries," approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Robbins, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—40.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Rich—1.

Assembly Bill No. 484, entitled

An Act to authorize the sale and conveyance or lease of certain lands of the State of New Jersey, in the borough of Chambersburg, in the county of Mercer,

Assembly Bill No. 154, entitled

An Act providing for the review of convictions and judgments for contempt of court,

Assembly Bill No. 463, entitled

An Act relating to the control and government of fire departments in townships of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 199, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act incorporating the inhabitants of townships, designating their powers and regulating their meetings,"

Assembly Bill No. 452, entitled

An Act to enlarge and confer additional power upon boards of health in cities of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 353, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act concerning the protection of the public health and the record of vital facts and statistics relating thereto, approved March eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, and the supplements thereto,

Assembly Bill No. 435, entitled

An Act to authorize municipal corporations to contract for a supply of water for public uses,

Assembly Bill No. 370, entitled

An Act amending an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 416, entitled

An Act validating in certain cases sales and conveyances of lands situate in adjoining counties heretofore made by a sheriff of one of such counties,

Assembly Bill No. 445, entitled

A Supplement to an act to enable towns and townships to obtain a supply of water,

Assembly Bill No. 436, entitled

A Supplement to an act concerning mortgages,

Were severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Mr. Robbins moved to adjourn,

Which was not agreed to, by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Branning, Harrigan, Kelly, Lake, McLaughlin, Mills, O'Connor, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage—11.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Hoffinan, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, Neighbour, North, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff—40.

On motion of Mr. Fish,

Senate Bill No. 231, entitled

An Act to regulate the constructing and maintaining across the fresh water streams of this State of pipe lines through which petroleum is conveyed, and to place such pipe lines under the control of the State commissioners of water supply,

Was placed in hands of Judiciary Committee.

On motion of Mr. Savage,

Senate Bill No. 67, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of railroad corporations and regulate the same," approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three,

Was recommitted.

Assembly Bill No. 105, entitled

An Act to give to firemen the same advantages in respect to taxes and jury duty as now are or hereafter may be allowed to members of the National Guard of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 229, entitled

An Act to further extend the times before or within the State assessment or other sum required to be paid into the State treasury by virtue of the provisions of the act entitled "An act to increase the revenues of the State of New Jersey," approved March eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine, or any subsequent act, may be paid, and to remit, release and extinguish any conditions, penalties or forfeitures heretofore provided for, incurred or proclaimed by reason of the non-payment of any assessment or sum aforesaid, required by virtue of the provisions of said act,

Assembly Bill No. 45, entitled

An Act authorizing suits to be brought against the State of New Jersey,

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be re-engrossed, and have a third reading.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 218, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning bridges and turnpikes," approved March twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 255, entitled

An Act to prevent willful trespasses,

Assembly Bill No. 277, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes," (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 294, entitled

An Act to regulate the liability of corporations for injuries received by their employes,

Assembly Bill No. 320, entitled

A Supplement to an act to authorize the formation of railroad corporations and regulate the same, approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three,

Assembly Bill No. 451, entitled

An Act to enforce the provisions, terms and conditions of the charter granted to and held by toll roads, turnpike and plank road companies in the State,

Assembly Bill No. 457, entitled

An Act to provide for sale of assessments deeds and certificate of sale held by townships,

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 15,

That the Governor direct the adjutant-general to have a compilation of the National Guard law prepared,

Assembly Bill No. 426, entitled

An Act to authorize the sale of malt liquors on State and county agricultural society grounds at time of holding fair,

Assembly Bill No. 448, entitled

An Act relative to town ordinances, making same valid notwithstanding insufficiency of advertisement,

Correctly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. Cole, the House adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At 3 o'clock the House met.

Upon calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names :

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff.

Mr. Rich, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No. 480, entitled

An Act to authorize cities in this State in certain cases to extend streets now partly opened, and to pay for such extension,

Assembly Bill No. 481, entitled

An Act to discharge persons from arrest under civil process,
Favorably,

Assembly Bill No. 357, entitled

An Act to amend an act 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,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four," which said supplement was approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty,

Adversely,

And

Assembly Bill No. 391, entitled

An Act to establish an excise department in certain cities,
With Senate amendments.

The adverse report was sustained.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 453, entitled

An Act relating to the improvement of streets in cities of this State, and authorizing such cities to issue loan certificates to pay the costs of such improvements,

Correctly engrossed.

Mr. Armitage, Chairman of the Committee on Elections, reported

Assembly Bill No. 108, entitled

An Act to repeal a supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections,"

With amendments.

Assembly Bill No. 218, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning bridges and turnpikes," approved March twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Neighbour, North, Robbins, Rue, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wil-drick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—42.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Boud, Cole, O'Connor—3.

Mr. Alcott, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 506, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act relative to sales of lands,

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. Rich, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Senate Bill No. 122, entitled

An Act to provide a supplement to Stewart's Digest of the Law and Chancery Reports of the State of New Jersey,

Senate Bill No. 196, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act to establish and organize the State Reform School for Juvenile Offenders," approved April sixth, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five,

Favorably,

And

Senate Bill No. 205, entitled

An Act concerning the salaries of officers in cities and townships of this State,

Without recommendation.

Mr. Scott, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture and Agricultural College, reported

Assembly Bill No. 468, entitled

An Act to prevent trespasses by poultry,

With recommendation.

Mr. Neighbour, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Assembly Bill No. 492, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to secure to creditors an equal and just division of the estate of debtors,"

And

Senate Bill No. 231, entitled

An Act to regulate the constructing and maintaining across the fresh water streams of this State of pipe lines through which petroleum is conveyed, and to place such pipe lines under the control of the State commissioners of water supply,

Favorably.

Mr. Ross, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 507, entitled

An Act relative to the establishment of gas companies in cities, towns and boroughs,

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Chapman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 508, entitled

An Act to secure the equal taxation of property within this State,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws.

Mr. Chapman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 509, entitled

An Act relative to the assessment of taxes,

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws.

Assembly Bill No. 398, entitled

An Act to repeal the first section of the act entitled "An act for the protection of fish,"

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Robbins, Rue, Scott, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick
—37.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Hoffman, Keasbey—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,	
<i>Mr. Speaker :</i>	March 25th, 1884.	

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. 87, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to sales of land under a public statute or by virtue of any judicial proceedings" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

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,	
<i>Mr. Speaker—</i>	March 25th, 1884.	

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 authorize actions against the State in certain cases,

Senate Bill No. 215, entitled

An Act to regulate the manufacture, sale and use of oleomargarine, butterine, suine or any form of imitation butter or cheese, and for the better protection of dairymen and consumers of the products of the dairy,

Senate Bill No. 227, entitled

An Act to prevent crime,

Senate Bill No. 230, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to sales of lands under a public statute or by virtue of any judicial proceedings," (Revision) approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The message was taken up, and the Senate bills severally read a first time by their titles, and ordered to have a second reading, and referred to their appropriate committees.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 11,

Authorizing the purchase of a historical painting representing the presentation of Molly Pitcher to Washington,

Was read a third time, and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, on motion of Mr. Cole.

Assembly Bill No. 446, entitled

An Act to provide for purchase and distribution of Dickinson's Forms,

Was read a third time.

Mr. Cole moved to refer the bill to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Which was not agreed to, by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chattle, Cole, Doremus, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Irons, Lehlbach, Mills, O'Connor, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—22.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Dickinson, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Hoffman, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Ludlam, Lupton, Neighbour, North, Rue, See, Stafford, Woodruff—26.

The bill was then passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Flynn, Harrison, Hoffman, Hough, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, Robbins, Rue, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Woodruff—37.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Bell, Cole, Doremus, Haines, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Irons, Lehlbach, Ludlam, O'Connor, Rich—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. Rich, the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 463, entitled

An Act relating to the control and government of fire departments in townships of this State,

Was ordered to a third reading, was reconsidered,

The bill was then amended, and ordered to be re-engrossed, and have a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Chapman, the vote by which

Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 421,

Was ordered to a third reading, was reconsidered,

The bill was then amended, ordered re-engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 475, entitled

An Act to authorize the conveyance of certain lands belonging to the State of New Jersey, situated in the township of Ewing, and county of Mercer,

Mr. Hough moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was ordered to a third reading,

Which was agreed to.

The bill was then amended, ordered re-engrossed, and have a third reading.

The Incidental Committee introduced

Assembly Bill No. 510, entitled

Incidental bill,

Which was ordered printed.

Assembly Bill No. 431, entitled

A Supplement to an act to preserve navigation (as) to rivers and creeks,

Was placed on the calendar under the ten-day rule. . .

Senate Bill No. 41, entitled

An Act to authorize cities of the second class to make permanent improvements in the road-beds of streets at the general expense,

Was taken up on second reading, and laid over until to-morrow.

Assembly Bill No. 343, entitled

An Act to regulate the manner of selecting grand juries in the several counties of this State,

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Branning, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Harrison, Hough, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lupton, Neighbour, North, Scott, Stafford—19.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Chapman, Clarke, Flynn, Haines, Holzwarth, Irons, Jernee, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Mills, O'Connor, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick—28.

Resolved, That Joint Resolution No. —, proposing an amendment to the constitution, striking out the word "male," which was made a special order for Thursday morning, be made a special order for next Monday evening.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 15,

That the Governor direct the adjutant-general to have a compilation of the National Guard law prepared,

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Jernee, Kelly, Neighbour, North, Rich, Ross, Rue, Stafford, Steljes—21.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armstrong, Cadmus, Chattle, Harrison, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, O'Connor, Robbins, Scott, See, Weaver, Wildrick—19.

Mr. Harrigan moved that the vote by which the adverse report on

Assembly Bill No. 394, entitled

An Act in respect to the salary or compensation of mayors in cities of the first class in this State,

Be reconsidered.

Mr. Jenkins, raised the point of order that the motion should be made within twenty-four hours.

The Chair decided the point of order not well taken.

Mr. Keasbey appealed from the decision of the Chair.

Mr. Cole moved to lay the whole matter on the table,

Which was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 166, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate fisheries in the river Delaware, and for other purposes," passed the twenty-sixth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and eight,

Was placed on the calendar, under the ten-day rule.

Assembly Bill No. 277, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Carson, Chattle, Coombs, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, North, Robbins, Rue, Stafford, Weaver, Wildrick—31.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Harrigan, Kelly, Ludlam, O'Connor, Rich, Ross, Savage, See—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.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 25th, 1884. }

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. 233, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to the management of the moneys of the school fund," passed March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate,

The message was taken up, and the Senate bill read a first time by its title, and ordered to have a second reading, and referred to its appropriate committee.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 272, entitled

An Act to authorize the appointment of fire wardens,

Assembly Bill No. 391, entitled

An Act to establish an excise department in certain cities,

Correctly engrossed.

Assembly Bill No. 108, entitled

An Act to repeal a supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections,"

Assembly Bill No. 466, entitled

A Further Supplement to the act entitled "An act to provide additional accommodations for the insane of this State," approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one,

Assembly Bill No. 424, entitled

An Act to confirm the incorporation and proceedings of Evangelical Lutheran Churches,

Assembly Bill No. 462, 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. 421, entitled

An Act authorizing the publication of all legal advertisements and other notices in certain newspapers in this State which have been published for at least one year,

Were severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 152, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "An act in relation to ferries," approved February seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

On motion of Mr. See, the House adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, March 26th, 1884.

At 10 o'clock A. M. the House met.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Hanley.

Upon calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Lake, Chairman of the Committee on Militia, reported
Senate Bill No. 235, entitled

An Act authorizing repairs to the State Arsenal,
Without recommendation.

Mr. Rich, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws,
reported

Assembly Bill No. 506, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act relative to sales of lands,
Favorably.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed
Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 442, entitled

An Act to prevent illegal use of passes on railroad, steamboat
and ferry companies,

Assembly Bill No. 475, entitled

An Act to authorize the conveyance of certain lands belonging
to the State of New Jersey, situated in the township of Ewing,
and county of Mercer,

Assembly Bill No. 474, entitled

An Act providing further powers in localities governed by
commissioners,

Assembly Bill No. 470, entitled

A Further Supplement to the act entitled "An act to author-
ize the formation of gas light corporations and regulate the
same," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred
and seventy-six,

Assembly Bill No. 436, entitled

A Supplement to an act concerning mortgages,

Assembly Bill No. 397, entitled

An Act concerning cities,

Assembly Bill No. 386, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning disorderly persons," approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Assembly Bill No. 45, entitled

An Act authorizing suits to be brought against the State of New Jersey,

Assembly Bill No. 108, entitled

An Act to repeal a supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections,"

Assembly Bill No. 324, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to sales of land under a public statute or by virtue of any judicial proceedings," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 409, entitled

An Act to provide for a standard time in the State of New Jersey,

Assembly Bill No. 463, entitled

An Act relating to the control and government of fire departments in townships of this State,

Assembly No. 506, entitled

A Further Supplement to "An act relative to sales of lands under a public statute or by virtue of any legal proceedings" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 105, entitled

An act to give to firemen the same advantages in respect to taxes and jury duty as now are or hereafter may be allowed to members of the National Guard of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 358, entitled

A Supplement to an act to regulate the sale of milk,

Correctly engrossed.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 391, entitled

An Act to establish an excise department in certain cities,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Hough, Irons, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Neighbour, North, Rich, Robbins, Rue, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wortendyke—33.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Bell, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Ludlam, Lupton, O'Connor—10.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
Mr. Speaker— March 25th, 1884. }

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills :

Assembly Bill No. 228, entitled

An Act to regulate fees and expenses of constables in criminal cases,

Assembly Bill No. 330, entitled

An Act to authorize police service in townships,

Assembly Bill No. 358, entitled

A Supplement to an act to regulate the sale of milk,

With amendments,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The amendments made in the Senate were read, and ordered to have a second reading, and to be engrossed.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows :

	STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
	SENATE CHAMBER,	
<i>Mr. Speaker—</i>	March 26th, 1884.	

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills :

Assembly Bill No. 171, entitled

A Supplement to "An act in relation to the powers of commissioners appointed to purchase toll roads in this State," passed April nineteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Assembly Bill No. 311, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting conveyances," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 347, entitled

An Act validating defective conveyances,

Assembly Bill No. 382, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act to provide for the filing of a lis pendens in actions, either at law or in equity, relating to or affecting the possession or title of lands or real estate," approved February sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty,

Without amendments.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Said bills having passed both Houses, were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills, with the following certificate endorsed on the same :

"I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

HENRY D. WINTON,

Clerk."

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows :

	STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
	SENATE CHAMBER,	
<i>Mr. Speaker—</i>	March 26th, 1884.	

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills :

Senate Bill No. 37, entitled

An Act to facilitate the giving of security on official and other bonds,

Senate Bill No. 7, entitled

A Supplement to chapter XI. of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

Substitute for Senate Bill No. 124, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act limiting the time for commencing actions against assignee of any person or persons making an assignment for the benefit of his or her creditors," approved March twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty,

Senate Bill No. 208, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate fees," approved June thirteenth, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-nine,

Senate Bill No. 216, entitled

An Act to protect public and private property from fire,

Senate Bill No. 224, entitled

An Act to repeal "An amendment to an act entitled 'An act in relation to past due taxes and assessments,' approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two," approved March eighth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The message was taken up, and the Senate bills severally read a first time by their titles, and ordered to have a second reading, and referred to their appropriate committees.

A message was received from the Governor at the hands of his Private Secretary, Willard Fisk, transmitting to the House the following report :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Trenton, March 26th, 1884. }

Mr. Speaker—

I have this day approved and signed the following bills, which originated in the House of Assembly, and have delivered the same to the Secretary of State, to be filed in his office :

Assembly Bill No. 401, entitled

An Act to enable cities of this State to furnish better accommodations for their officers and municipal boards, as well as the National Guard of the State therein organized,

Assembly Bill No. 256, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act incorporating the inhabitants of townships, designating their powers and regulating their meetings,"

Assembly Bill No. 109, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the incorporation of fire companies," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Assembly Bill No. 304, entitled

An Act to amend "An act to establish a system of public instruction" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 127, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize cities in this State to issue and dispose of water bonds or water scrip to renew certain water bonds or water scrip," approved January thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

LEON ABBETT,

Governor.

On motion of Mr. Rich, the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 480, entitled

An Act to authorize cities in this State in certain cases to extend streets now partly opened, and to pay for such extension,

Was ordered to a third reading, was reconsidered.

The bill was then taken up, read a second time, considered by sections amended, agreed to, and ordered and to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 432, entitled

An Act to authorize school boards to institute and maintain industrial or manual training classes in grammar schools, .

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 228, entitled

An Act to regulate fees and expenses of constables in criminal cases,

Were read, ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 330, entitled

An Act to authorize police service in townships,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 506, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act relative to sales of lands,

Assembly Bill No. 491, entitled

An Act to authorize the managers of the State Lunatic Asylum to purchase additional land,

Assembly Bill No. 494, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a system of public instruction,"

Assembly Bill No. 492, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to secure to creditors an equal and just division of the estate of debtors,"

Assembly Bill No. 423, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a system of public instruction," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Were severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

The vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 485, entitled

An Act to provide for the appointment of commissioners of appeals in cases of taxation in cities of the first class,

Was ordered to a third reading, was reconsidered.

The bill was then amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

The vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 480, entitled

An Act to authorize cities in this State in certain cases to extend streets now partly opened, and to pay for such extension,

Also,

Assembly Bill No. 324, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to sales of land under a public statute or by virtue of any judicial proceedings," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was ordered to a third reading, was reconsidered.

The bill was then amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 192, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Was read a third time, and laid over until Monday evening.

Assembly Bill No. 474, entitled

An Act providing further powers in localities governed by commissioners,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—43.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Boud—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 453, entitled

An Act relating to the improvement of streets in cities of this State, and authorizing such cities to issue loan certificates to pay the costs of such improvements,

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Doremus, Flynn, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, McLaughlin, O'Connor, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—24.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Burgess, Campbell, Carson, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Weaver, Woodruff—29.

Assembly Bill No. 506, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act relative to sales of lands,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Doremus, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, North, Rich, Robbins, Rue, Scott, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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. Neighbour offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted :

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That a joint meeting of the Legislature be held in the Assembly Chamber, at 12 o'clock noon, on Wednesday, March 26th, inst., for the election of all such officers as it is proper for said joint meeting to elect.

Mr. Fish moved to reconsider the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 277, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was lost,

Which was not agreed to, by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Boud, Budd, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Doremus, Harrigan, Hoffman, Jernee, Kelly, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Rich, Ross, Savage, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wortendyke—23.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Coombs, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, Robbins, Rue, Scott, Stafford, Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff—30.

Mr. O'Connor asked that his vote be corrected on the passage of Assembly Bill No. 277, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes," (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

It was so ordered.

Mr. Cole charged that the bill had been passed through the House.

On motion of Mr. Fish the gentleman's words were taken down.

A message was received from the Governor at the hands of his Private Secretary, Willard Fisk, transmitting to the House the following report:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Trenton, March, —, 1884. }

To the General Assembly:

I herewith return to the General Assembly, in which it originated, Assembly Bill No. 68, entitled "Supplement to the act

entitled 'An act concerning taxes,' approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six, with my objections thereto.

This bill appears upon its face to make a radical change in the tax of the State. It appears, however, to be special in limiting the operation of the first section by the proviso in the fifth section. The first section provides that the office of commissioner of appeal for the collection of taxes in towns, townships and boroughs, be and the same is hereby excluded from the operation of the first section in all towns or boroughs where the matters referred to in the bill are regulated by charter or special laws.

This bill is also objectionable because it increases the burdens of the taxpayers. It gives to the assessor two cents for the service of a notice on each person whose name appears on the duplicate or transcript assessed for real or personal property.

Section eleven of "An act concerning taxes," (Revision, page 1142,) imposes on the township collector all the duties which this bill imposes upon the township assessor, and the fees which are paid the collector pay for this service as well as all other services performed by him. I see no reasons for relieving the township collector of a portion of his duties and imposing them on the assessor, and paying the assessor these extra fees. If it is deemed advisable to transfer these particular duties to the assessors, and to pay them extra therefor, the amount which is paid them for this service should certainly be deducted from the fees now paid to the collector.

Respectfully,

LEON ABBETT,

Governor.

Was laid over one day, under the rules.

On motion of Mr. Lehlbach, the House adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At 3 o'clock the House met.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Mr. Wildrick, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 503, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Oak Wood Cemetery Association,"

Favorably.

Mr. Keasbey, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 511, entitled

An Act concerning licenses for the sale of liquors,

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. Robbins, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 512, entitled

An Act to amend and consolidate an act relative to game and game fish,

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. Harrigan, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 513, entitled

An Act to remove the fire and police departments in the cities and towns of this State from political control,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 133, entitled

An Act concerning railroads,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 272, entitled

An Act to authorize the appointment of fire wardens,

Were read and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chatte, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, Rich, Robbins, Rue, Scott, Stafford, Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—41.

In the negative—none.

Assembly Bill No. 414, entitled

An Act to require telegraph companies to establish in certain cases offices for the transmission and reception of messages,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—43.

In the negative, was—

Mr. North—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,	
<i>Mr. Speaker—</i>	March 26th, 1884.	

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, for further consideration,

Senate Bill No. 165, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize and regulate the business of banking," approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

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,
Mr. Speaker— March 26th, 1884. }

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills :

Assembly Bill No. 506, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act relative to sales of lands,

Assembly Bill No. 341, entitled

An Act concerning cities of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 393, entitled

A Supplement to an act to provide means for protection against fires in townships,

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Said bills having passed both Houses, were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills, with the following certificate endorsed on the same :

"I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

HENRY D. WINTON,

Clerk."

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 26th, 1884. }
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. 232, entitled

An Act to authorize cities to order and regulate the construction of sidewalks, and to provide for the payment of the expense thereof,

Senate Bill No. 234, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the more easy partition of lands held by coparceners, joint tenants and tenants in common," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Joint Resolution No. 4, entitled

Joint Resolution relating to the abolishment of quarantine dues upon certain vessels engaged in the coasting trade,

Senate Bill No. 247, entitled

An Act entitled "An act relating to the depth and construction of foundation walls of buildings and the responsibility of adjoining property owners to each other in cities in the State of New Jersey,"

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The message was taken up, and the Senate bills severally read a first time by their titles, and ordered to have a second reading, and referred to their appropriate committees.

Assembly Bill No. 295, entitled

An Act for the preservation of the health of female employes employed in manufacturing, mechanical and mercantile establishments,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Ludlam, Lupton, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—37. °

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 448, entitled

An Act relative to town ordinances, making same valid notwithstanding insufficiency of advertisement,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—41.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 289, entitled

An Act to regulate the making of contracts for public use or improvements,

Was read a third time, and laid over.

Assembly Bill No. 348, entitled

An Act to validate and render more effective ordinances of boards of health and vital statistics of the several counties of this State,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—44.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 409, entitled

An Act to provide for a standard time in the State of New Jersey,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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. Cole, the House adjourned.

THURSDAY, March 27th, 1884.

At 10 o'clock the House met.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Green.

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names :

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Lake, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills,

Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Ross, Chairman of the Committee on Riparian Rights, reported

Assembly Bill No. 504, entitled

An Act to require all corporations chartered by the laws of this State to publish a statement of their resources and liabilities, and a list of their officers, with the salaries received by each, and the amount of dividends and earnings declared and earned,

Without recommendation.

Mr. Wortendyke, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, reported

Senate Bill No. 233, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to the management of the moneys of the school fund," passed March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Favorably.

Mr. O'Connor, Chairman of the Committee on Printing, reported

Assembly Bill No. 505, entitled

An Act concerning official newspapers in this State,

Favorably.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 421, entitled

An Act authorizing the publication of all legal advertisements and other notices in certain newspapers in this State which have been published for at least one year,

Assembly Bill No. 59, entitled

An Act to repeal a part of section two, of chapter CCCCXCIX., of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 484, entitled

An Act to authorize the sale and conveyance or lease of certain lands of the State of New Jersey, in the borough of Chambersburg, in the county of Mercer,

Assembly Bill No. 492, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to secure to creditors an equal and just division of the estate of debtors,"

Assembly Bill No. 485, entitled

An Act to provide for the appointment of commissioners of appeals in cases of taxation in cities of the first class,

Assembly Bill No. 435, entitled

An Act to authorize municipal corporations to contract for a supply of water for public uses,

Correctly engrossed.

Mr. Budd, Chairman of the Committee on Commerce and Navigation, reported

Senate Joint Resolution No. 4, entitled

Joint Resolution relating to the abolishment of quarantine dues upon certain vessels engaged in the coasting trade,

Favorably.

Mr. Rich, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 514, entitled

An Act to repeal that section of the tax act which requires out of the first moneys received for taxes the county apportionment must be paid,

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws.

Mr. Hough, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 515, entitled

An Act permitting orphans' courts to exercise their own discretion with regard to issuing of orders for creditors to present demands against debtors to assignees,

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. Keasbey, on leave, introduced

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 18,

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. Fish (by request), on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 516, entitled

An Act providing that all veterans of the late war, and who are now serving in the National Guard, be entitled to all tax exemption privileges under existing laws,

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 397, entitled

An Act concerning cities,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade,

Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—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. Harrigan moved to reconsidered the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 453, entitled

An Act relating to the improvement of streets in cities of this State, and authorizing such cities to issue loan certificates to pay the costs of such improvements,

Was lost.

On motion of Mr. Savage, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

On motion of Mr. Steljes, the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 452, entitled

An Act to enlarge and confer additional power upon boards of health in cities of this State,

Was ordered to a third reading, was reconsidered.

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading,

Assembly Bill No. 435, entitled

An Act to authorize municipal corporations to contract for a supply of water for public uses,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lupton, McLaughlin, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—34.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Haines, Jenkins, North—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.

The Governor's veto message on

Assembly Bill No. 68, entitled

Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was read, and upon the question being put, "Shall this bill pass, notwithstanding the objections of the Governor?" the objections of the Governor were sustained by the following vote :

In the affirmative, was—

Mr. Weaver—1.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Byrnes, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—37.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 358, entitled

A Supplement to an act to regulate the sale of milk,

Were read and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Rich, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortenkyke—39.

In the negative—none.

Senate Bill No. 90, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled “An act for the settlement and relief of the poor,”

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Rich, Ross, Rue, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—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.

Assembly Bill No. 451, entitled

An Act to enforce the provisions, terms and conditions of the charter granted to and held by toll roads, turnpike and plank road companies in the State,

Was read a third time, and laid over until Tuesday morning.

Mr. Campbell offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted :

Resolved, That when this House adjourns, it adjourns to meet on Saturday the 29th, A. M., and when it then adjourns, to meet on Monday the 31st, at 8 o'clock P. M.

Assembly Bill No. 484, entitled

An Act to authorize the sale and conveyance or lease of certain lands of the State of New Jersey, in the borough of Chambersburg, in the county of Mercer,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, Neighbour, North, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Scott, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—38.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Flynn offered the following resolution, which was read :

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That his Excellency the Governor be requested to return to the House of Assembly, in which it originated,

Assembly Bill No. 55, entitled

An Act for the government of persons who are members of companies incorporated under the act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of pursuing and detective companies."

Assembly Bill No. 287, entitled

A Supplement to the act to provide means for protection against fires in townships,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Rich, Robbins, Rue, Scott, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—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. Armitage, Chairman of the Committee on Reform Schools, reported

Assembly Bill No. 228, entitled

An Act to regulate fees and expenses of constables in criminal cases,

Assembly Bill No. 229, entitled

An Act to further extend the times before or within the State assessment or other sum required to be paid into the State treasury by virtue of the provisions of the act entitled "An act to increase the revenues of the State of New Jersey," approved March eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine, or any subsequent act, may be paid, and to remit, release and extin-

guish any conditions, penalties or forfeitures heretofore provided for, incurred or proclaimed by reason of the non-payment of any assessment or sum aforesaid, required by virtue of the provisions of said act,

Favorably.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 494, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a system of public instruction,"

Assembly Bill No. 410, entitled

An Act in relation to the collection of interest on mortgages,

Assembly Bill No. 462, 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. 466, entitled

A Further Supplement to the act entitled "An act to provide additional accommodation for the insane of this State," approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one,

Assembly Bill No. 477, entitled

An Act authorizing the payment of money appropriated for the support of the poor, in cities of this State, to any regularly incorporated benevolent or charitable association in such city,

Assembly Bill No. 424, entitled

An Act to confirm the incorporation and proceedings of Evangelical Lutheran Churches,

Correctly engrossed.

Senate Bill No. 152, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "An act in relation to ferries," approved February seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Was read a third time, laid over until Monday evening, and to be the first business taken up.

Senate Bill No. 140, entitled

An Act regulating billiard and pool rooms in this State,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 160, entitled

An Act to provide for the payment of indebtedness incurred in excess of appropriation made to any city board having control of the improvement and reconstruction of streets and sewers,

Was read a second time and ordered to a third reading.

Was read a third time by title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Campbell, Chattle, Clarke, Dickinson, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Lake, Larison, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Rich, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—33.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armstrong, Carson, Cole, Coombs, Doremus, Holzwarth, Keasbey, Lehlbach, See—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. Rich,

Assembly Bill No. 15, entitled

An Act to provide for the election of delegates to a convention to prepare a constitution for the government of this State, and for submitting the same to the people thereof for ratification or rejection,

Was laid over until Monday evening, and ordered to take the second place on the calendar.

Mr. Savage, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads and Canals, reported

Senate Bill No. 67, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of railroad corporations and regulate the same," approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three,

With amendments.

The amendments made in the committee were read and adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 490, entitled

An Act making an appropriation for the extension of the State Prison walls and building workshop for the employment of prisoners,

Assembly Bill No. 496, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a system of public instruction," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 487, entitled

An Act relating to proceedings heretofore had for the sale of land for taxes in cities of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 503, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Oak Wood Cemetery Association,

Senate Bill No. 67, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of railroad corporations and regulate the same," approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three,

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 105, entitled

An Act to give to firemen the same advantages in respect to taxes and jury duty as now are or hereafter may be allowed to members of the National Guard of this State,

With Senate amendments,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Lake, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick—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.

Senate Bill No. 143, entitled

An Act to provide means to increase the fish productions in the waters of this State,

Was taken up on second reading, read a second time, and ordered to a third reading.

The bill having been read a third time by title,

Mr. Neighbour moved the bill be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means,

Which was not agreed to, by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Haines, Larison, Lehlbach, Neighbour, Rich, Robbins, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—13.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Jernee, Keasbey, Lupton, Mills, North, O'Connor, Ross, Savage, See—29.

The bill was then passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Hough, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, North, O'Connor, Robbins, Ross, Savage, See—31.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Doremus, Holzwarth, Irons, Larison, Lehlbach, Neighbour, Rich, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—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.

Assembly Bill No. 130 entitled

A Supplement to "An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of this State,"

Was taken up, and laid over until Monday, on motion of Mr. Lehlbach.

Senate Bill No. 135, entitled

A Supplement to "An act respecting proceedings in criminal cases" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was read a second time and ordered to have a third reading.

Having been read a third time by title, was passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick—35.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Budd, North—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. Wildrick, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 486, entitled

A Further Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning inns and taverns,"

Favorably.

Senate Bill No. 22, entitled

An Act to prohibit fishing by steamers and other vessels with shirred or purse seines in any of the waters within the jurisdiction of the State of New Jersey,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote, under suspension of the rules :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Lake, Lehlbach, Mills, North, O'Connor, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—40.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Lake—1.

On motion of Mr. Burgess, the House adjourned.

FRIDAY, March 28th, 1884.

At 10 o'clock A. M. the House met.

Upon calling the roll, the following gentleman answered to his name :

Mr. Caminade.

Mr. Caminade, 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 EVENING, March 31st, 1884.

At 8 o'clock the House met.

Prayer was offered by Thos. G. Chattle.

Upon calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names :

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Rich, Robbins, Rue, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Chapman, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 11,

Authorizing the purchase of a historical painting representing the presentation of Molly Pitcher to Washington,

And

Senate Bill No. 184, entitled

An Act providing an additional appropriation for the support of the New Jersey Home for Disabled Soldiers,

Favorably.

Mr. Neighbour, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Assembly Bill No. 500, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies" (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Assembly Bill No. 497, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the better preservation of the early records of the State of New Jersey,"

And

Senate Bill No. 37, entitled

An Act to facilitate the giving of security on official and other bonds,

Senate Bill No. 216, entitled

An Act to protect public and private property from fire,

Senate Bill No. 215, entitled

An Act to regulate the manufacture, sale and use of oleomargarine, butterine, suine or any form of imitation butter or cheese, and for the better protection of dairymen and consumers of the products of the dairy,

Senate Bill No. 227, entitled

An Act to prevent crime,

Favorably,

And

Senate Bill No. 190, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to sales of land under any public statute, or by virtue of any judicial proceedings," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

With amendments.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 330, entitled

An Act to authorize police service in townships,

Assembly Bill No. 199, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act incorporating the inhabitants of townships, designating their powers and regulating their meetings,"

Assembly Bill No. 490, entitled

An Act making an appropriation for the extension of the State Prison walls and building workshop for the employment of prisoners,

Assembly Bill No. 487, entitled

An Act relating to proceedings heretofore had for the sale of land for taxes in cities of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 16, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act to encourage the formation of libraries in the free public schools of New Jersey," passed April sixth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one,

Assembly Bill No. 496, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a system of public instruction," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 432, entitled

An Act to authorize school boards to institute and maintain industrial or manual training classes in grammar schools,

Assembly Bill No. 491, entitled

An Act to authorize the managers of the State Lunatic Asylum to purchase additional land,

Assembly Bill No. 228, entitled

An Act to regulate fees and expenses of constables in criminal cases,

Assembly Bill No. 353, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act concerning the protection of the public health and the record of vital facts and statistics relating thereto, approved March eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, and the supplements thereto,

Assembly Bill No. 452, entitled

An Act to enlarge and confer additional power upon boards of health in cities of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 370, entitled

An Act amending an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Correctly engrossed.

Mr. Steljes, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 517, entitled

An Act to authorize cities of this State to offer rewards 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 Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Mills, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 518, entitled

An Act to provide for the assessment and collection of a tax upon property transported by railroad or canal into this State in order better to enable the State to protect such property and to pay for losses caused thereto by violence or insurrection,

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Mr. Clarke, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 519, entitled

An Act to authorize neighboring cities to improve a principal street in each city so as to form a continuous thoroughfare,

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. Harrigan, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 520, entitled

An Act to facilitate judicial proceedings in counties having a population of over one hundred thousand 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. Hough, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 521, entitled

An Act concerning taxes,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Fish, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 522, entitled

An Act to incorporate fire districts heretofore established or which may be established under the provisions of the act entitled "An act to provide means for protection against fires in townships,"

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws.

Senate Bill No. 152, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "An act in relation to ferries," approved February seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Robbins, Rue, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—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. Cole offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted :

Resolved, That five hundred copies of the House Bill No. 313, with Senate amendments, be printed.

On motion of Mr. Fish, the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 447, entitled

A Supplement to an act for organization of National Guard of New Jersey,

Was ordered to a third reading, was reconsidered.

Senate Bill No. 203, entitled

An Act to ascertain and define the easterly limits of the seaboard counties of this State and the jurisdiction thereof,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Joint Resolution No. 7,

Proposing amendment to the State constitution,

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Flynn, Haines, Harrison, Hough, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, North, Robbins, Rue—24.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Bell, Burgess, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, Neighbour, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Savage, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—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.

Mr. McLaughlin, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 501, entitled

An Act for the regulation of salaries of city treasurers in cities of the second class,

Assembly Bill No. 502, entitled

An Act authorizing cities in the State to fix the salaries of city physicians of such cities,

Assembly Bill No. 473, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning the granting of licenses to sell strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer within the limit of incorporated cities," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

Favorably.

Senate Bill No. 133, entitled

An Act concerning railroads,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Robbins, Rue, Savage, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—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.

A message was received from the Governor at the hands of his Private Secretary, Willard Fisk, transmitting to the House the following report:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Trenton, March 27th, 1884. }

Mr. Speaker—

I have this day approved and signed the following bills, which originated in the House of Assembly, and have delivered the same to the Secretary of State, to be filed in his office:

Assembly Bill No. 393, entitled

A Supplement to an act to provide means for protection against fires in townships,

Assembly Bill No. 341, entitled

° An Act concerning cities of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 382, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act to provide for the filing of a lis pendens in actions, either at law or in equity, relating to or affecting the possession or title of lands or real estate," approved February sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty,

Assembly Bill No. 311, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting conveyances," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 240, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the relief of persons imprisoned on civil process" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 144, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of dentistry and to protect the people against empiricism in relation thereto in the State of New Jersey,"

Assembly Bill No. 143, entitled

A Supplement to an act to regulate fisheries,

Assembly Bill No. 506, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act relative to sales of lands,

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 8,

Authorizing quartermaster-general to deliver to Frank A. Souders a certain confederate flag, captured by him.

Respectfully,

LEON ABBETT,

Governor. °

Assembly Bill No. 490, entitled

An Act making an appropriation for the extension of the State Prison walls and building workshop for the employment of prisoners,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Jenkins, Keasbey, Kelly, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Savage, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick—35.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armstrong, Branning, Chattle, Hoffman, Irons, Larison, Ludlam, North, Weaver, Wortendyke—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 Bill No. 206, entitled

An Act for the relief of Charles S. Strader, of the borough of Washington, in the county of Warren,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 367, entitled

An Act granting boroughs in counties of the second class the right to license inns, taverns and saloons,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections agreed to, ordered to be engrossed, and ordered 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 31st, 1884. }
Mr. Speaker—

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 236, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act to abolish and prohibit the employment, under contract, of convicts and inmates of prisons, jails, penitentiaries and all reformatory institutions in the State of New Jersey," approved February twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four,

Senate Bill No. 147, 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 costs thereof," approved March eighth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The message was taken up, and the Senate bills severally read a first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to their appropriate committees.

Assembly Bill No. 270, entitled

A Further 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 on second reading and laid over.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 416, entitled

An Act validating in certain cases sales and conveyances of lands situate in adjoining counties heretofore made by a sheriff of one of such counties,

Assembly Bill No. 280, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the collection of demands against ships, steamboats and other vessels," approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven,

Assembly Bill No. 154, entitled

An Act providing for the review of convictions and judgments for contempt of court,

Assembly Bill No. 423, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a system of public instruction," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 503, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Oak Wood Cemetery Association,

Correctly engrossed.

Assembly Bill No. 421, entitled

An Act authorizing the publication of all legal advertisements and other notices in certain newspapers in this State which have been published for at least one year,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Branning, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Kelly, Lake, Ludlam, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Rue, Savège, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—31.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armstrong, Bell, Campbell, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Fish, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lupton, North, Weaver—17.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 227, entitled

An Act to prevent crime,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 417, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize municipal corporations to contract for a supply of water for public uses,"

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Coombs, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, Prall, Rich, Rue, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—39.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 263, entitled

An Act to prevent the pollution of the waters of this State,

Were read a third time, and concurred in by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Kelly, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Rue, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wil-drick, Wortendyke—44.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Harrison—1.

On motion of Mr. Clarke,

Assembly Bill No. 129, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled “An act to increase the powers of township committees,” approved March eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty,

Was recommitted to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 280, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled “An act for the collection of

demands against ships, steamboats and other vessels," approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven,

Was read a third time, and laid over till to-morrow morning.

Assembly Bill No. 505, entitled

An Act concerning official newspapers in this State,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 270, entitled

A Further 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, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 15, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—40.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Kelly, Lake, Robbins—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. Caminade, the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 280, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled “An act for the collection of demands against ships, steamboats and other vessels,” approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven,

Was laid over, was reconsidered, and also the vote by which it was ordered to a third reading, and preamble then stricken out.

On motion of Mr. Burgess, the House adjourned.

TUESDAY, April 1st, 1884.

At 10 o'clock the House met.

Prayer was offered by Hon. John B. Campbell.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names :

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines,

Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Bell, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 523, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act in relation 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 Revision of Laws.

Assembly Bill No. 451, entitled

An Act to enforce the provisions, terms and conditions of the charter granted to and held by toll roads, turnpike and plank road companies in the State,

Was taken up on its third reading, and laid over until the afternoon.

Assembly Bill No. 496, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a system of public instruction," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Irons, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, North, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke
—34.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Cole, Doremus, Harrison, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Ludlam, Mills, Rue—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. Wildrick, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 434, entitled

An Act for improvement of streets, roads and public highways, Adversely.

The adverse report was not sustained.

Assembly Bill No. 424, entitled

An Act to confirm the incorporation and proceedings of Evangelical Lutheran Churches,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Lake, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Rue, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—45.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Fish, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 524, entitled

An Act entitled "An act for the better securing and enjoyment of wages to workingmen and laborers 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 Revision of Laws.

Assembly Bill No. 462, 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 read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chatte, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Jenkins, Lake, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Rue, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—43.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 330, entitled

An Act to authorize police service in townships,

Were read a third time, and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Bell, Boud, Branning, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Harrison, Holzwarth, Irons, Lehlbach, Lupton, Neighbour, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Rue, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—37.

In the negative—none.

Senate Bill No. 37, entitled

An Act to facilitate the giving of security on official and other bonds,

Was taken up and laid over temporarily.

Senate Bill No. 235, entitled

An Act authorizing repairs to the State Arsenal,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Lake, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Robbins, Rue, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—38.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Rich—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.

Senate Bill No. 37, entitled

An Act to facilitate the giving of security on official and other bonds,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time by its title, and laid over until next Thursday.

Assembly Bill No. 465, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of the State," approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Mr. Savage (by request), on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 525, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning shooting societies," approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 228, entitled

An Act for the support of the Reform School for Boys,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Was taken up on third reading, and laid over until this afternoon.

Mr. Flynn moved to reconsider the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 55, entitled

An Act for the government of persons who are members of companies incorporated under the act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of pursuing and detective companies,"

Was passed, was reconsidered by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrison, Holzwarth, Irons, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Savage, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—39.

In the negative—none.

Senate Bill No. 47, entitled

An Act respecting salaries of law or president judges in the counties of the second class,

Was taken up on second reading.

Mr. Flynn moved the further consideration of this bill be postponed until the 4th day of July next.

Mr. Rue called for the ayes and noes, and the call was sustained.

On motion of Mr. Flynn, a call of the House was ordered with the following result:

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines,

Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

The motion to postpone was lost by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armitage, Bell, Budd, Cadmus, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Doremus, Flynn, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Larison, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wortendyke—28.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Boud, Branning, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Hough, Keasbey, Lake, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Robbins, Rue, Savage, See, Wildrick, Woodruff—28.

The bill was then ordered to a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 38, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of courts of law" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Mr. Keasbey, moved to reconsider the vote by which

Senate Bill No. 47, entitled

An act respecting salaries of law or president judges in the counties of the second class,

Was ordered to have a third reading,

Which was not agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Flynn, the bill was then taken on its third reading, and lost by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Boud, Branning, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Cole, Dickinson, Haines, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Ludlam, Robbins, Rue, See, Woodruff—20.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armitage, Budd, Burgess, Cadmus, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—35.

Mr. Cole moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was lost.

Mr. Savage moved to lay the motion on the table,

Which was not agreed to, by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Boud, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Caminade, Carson, Chattle, Dickinson, Haines, Hoffman, Hough, Keasbey, Ludlam, Robbins, Rue, Savage, See, Woodruff—18.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armitage, Burgess, Cadmus, Campbell, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—35.

The motion to reconsider the vote by which the bill was lost was not agreed to, by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Boud, Branning, Byrnes, Caminade, Carson, Chattle, Dickinson, Haines, Hoffman, Hough, Ludlam, Robbins, Rue, Savage, See, Woodruff—17.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armitage, Armstrong, Budd, Burgess, Cadmus, Campbell, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—38.

On motion of Mr. Flynn, the further consideration of

Senate Bill No. 46, entitled

An Act respecting salaries of prosecutors of the pleas in counties of the second class,

Was postponed until July 4th, next.

The following message was received from the Governor :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Trenton, April 1st, 1884. }

Hon. A. B. Stoney, Speaker of General Assembly :

SIR—I have this day delivered the following bills, which originated in the House of Assembly, to the Secretary of State, to be filed in his office without my signature, being unwilling to approve the same, viz. :

Assembly Bill No. 172, entitled

An Act to authorize the establishment of free public libraries in the cities of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 171, entitled

A Supplement to "An act in relation to the powers of commissioners appointed to purchase toll roads in this State," passed April nineteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Assembly Bill No. 290, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further act concerning taxes,' making the same a first lien on real estate," etc.,

Assembly Bill No. 347, entitled

An Act validating defective conveyances.

LEON ABBETT,

Governor.

A message was received from the Governor at the hands of his Private Secretary, Willard Fisk, transmitting to the House the following report:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Trenton, April 1st, 1884. }

To the General Assembly:

I herewith return to the General Assembly, in which it originated, Assembly Bill No. 380, entitled "An Act relative to assessments for sewers in cities in this State," with my objections thereto.

This bill provides for the cancellation of an assessment by the finance board of a city where a sewer has been so constructed that the man-holes are so far above the surrounding ground as to be obstructive and injurious to abutting property, provided that the aggregate of such canceled assessment shall not exceed \$20,000. This bill is unnecessary if the parties affected by it have any legal cause of complaint. Under the law no person owning property can be assessed for more than the property is specially benefited. If the assessment is in excess of such special benefit, the party has ample remedy by certiorari. I am informed that the bill is intended to reach the case of Bergen Point plank

road sewer, in Jersey City. The assessments for this improvement were confirmed by the Board of Public Works of that city September 26th, 1871. In December, of that year, the grade of the street was changed, and whenever this grade is worked the sewer will be some six to ten feet below the surface of the street, and the man-holes will not be any obstruction whatever to surrounding property. The difficulty exists in the fact that the street has not yet been filled in to the grade. On March 22d, 1873, an act was passed entitled, "An act to adjust unpaid assessments in Jersey City," with certain limitations provided in the act. The assessment in question was one of those brought before the board created by this act, and was reduced, by that board, some \$5,000, leaving about \$16,000 to be paid by the property owners. Of this amount about \$2,500 has been paid, the remainder, with some ten years' interest, is unpaid, and is one of the assets of Jersey City for the purposes of paying its public debt. I think it would be unfair to those who have paid their assessments for this improvement, and to all parties who have promptly paid assessments for other improvements, and to the creditors of Jersey City, that this assessment should be canceled. If this scheme is carried out, it is equivalent to giving the parties who are assessed over \$13,000, with ten years' interest. I know of no other place in the State to which the provisions of this bill would apply, except Jersey City, but whether it applies to one or more places, the principle of the bill is, in my judgment, vicious, because it attempts to remedy alleged evils in an assessment by Legislature instead of by an appeal to the courts.

Respectfully,

LEON ABBETT,

Governor.

The Governor's objection to

Assembly Bill No. 380, entitled

An act relative to assessments for sewers in cities of the first class,

Were read, and laid over one day for consideration.

On motion of Mr. Neighbour, the House adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At 3 o'clock the House met.

Upon calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names :

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Rue, Savage, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Mr. Wildrick, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 148, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act to regulate the practice of courts of law,

Without recommendation.

Mr. Rich, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No. 498, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 512, entitled

An Act to amend and consolidate an act relative to game and game fish,

With amendments.

Assembly Bill No. 66, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and materials in erecting any building" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Adversely, Mr. Rich dissenting,

And

Joint Resolution No. 18,

With amendments.

Amendments made in committee adopted, and adverse report on

Assembly Bill No. 66, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and materials in erecting any building" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was not sustained.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 505, entitled

An Act concerning official newspapers in this State,

And

House amendments to

Senate Bill No. 67, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of railroad corporations and regulate the same," approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three,

Correctly engrossed.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows :

	STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
	SENATE CHAMBER,	
<i>Mr. Speaker :</i>	April 1st, 1884.	

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has concurred in the resolution requesting the Governor to return

Assembly Bill No. 55, entitled

An Act for the government of persons who are members of companies incorporated under the act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of pursuing and detective companies.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

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,	
<i>Mr. Speaker—</i>	April 1st, 1884.	

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bill :

Assembly Bill No. 316, entitled

An Act relating to newspapers,

Without amendments,

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Said bill having passed both Houses, was this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills, with the following certificate endorsed on the same :

"I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

HENRY D. WINTON,

Clerk."

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
Mr. Speaker— April 1st, 1884. }

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills :

Substitute for Senate Bill No. 121, 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,

Senate Bill No. 177, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to ascertain the rights of the State and of the riparian owners in the lands lying under the waters of the bay of New York and elsewhere in the State," approved April eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four, and the acts amendatory thereof,

Senate Bill No. 200, entitled

A Further 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," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Bill No. 217, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "An act to further regulate the licensing of inns and taverns and places for the sale of malt, vinous, spirituous and other intoxicating liquors," approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Senate Bill No. 241, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "A bill providing for the founding of a State institution for the instruction and maintenance of indigent deaf mutes, to be known as the State Institution for the Deaf and Dumb," approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

Senate Bill No. 248, entitled

An Act concerning division of wards in cities of this State,

And

Assembly Bill No. 213, entitled

A Supplement to an act concerning townships and township officers, approved April twenty-one, eighteen hundred and seventy-six,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate:

The message was taken up, and the Senate bills severally read a first time by their titles, and ordered to have a second reading, and referred to their appropriate committees.

Mr. Savage, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 526, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to ascertain the rights of the State and of the riparian owners in the lands lying under the water 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 Riparian Rights,

Mr. O'Connor, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 527, entitled

An Act in relation to life insurance 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. Larison, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill, No. 528, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to abolish and prohibit the employment, under contract, of convicts, &c.,

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on State Prison,

Mr. Caminade offered the following resolution, which was read :

BE IT RESOLVED, *by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey*, That the Joint Committee on the Reform School for Boys be directed to investigate the management of that institution, particularly with regard to the question of employment, and inquire into the feasibility of teaching the inmates mechanical trades, and probable cost to the State, and report by bill or otherwise at the next session of the legislature.

And be it Resolved, That the committee shall have power to send for persons and papers, no expense to be incurred on the part of the State without the approval of the Governor.

On motion of Mr. Cole, the preamble was stricken out, and resolution adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 336, entitled

An Act regarding usury and interest,

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Budd, Byrnes, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Ludlam, Lupton, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Robbins, Scott, Weaver, Woodruff—20.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Cadmus, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Harrison, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, Prall, Rich, Savage, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wil-drick, Wortendyke—32.

On motion of Mr. Burgess, the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 451, entitled

An Act to enforce the provisions, terms and conditions of the charter granted to and held by toll roads, turnpike and plank road companies in the State,

Was ordered to a third reading, was reconsidered.

The following amendment was lost:

Amend section 3, by striking out all of said section after the first word "not," in line 8, and insert after the word "not," "be required to take a less toll than is now charged by said company."

The was again ordered to a third reading, read a third time, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Burgess, Byrnes, Chapman, Cole, Fish, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lupton, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Scott, Steljes—16.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Budd, Cadmus, Caminade, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Robbins, See, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—32.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Senate Bill No. 19, entitled

An Act for the better protection of the wages of mechanics, minors, clerks, laborers, servants and others employed in the State,

Senate Bill No. 38, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of courts of law" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

With House amendments.

Assembly Bill No. 280, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the collection of demands against ships, steamboats and other vessels," approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven,

Assembly Bill No. 270, entitled

A Further 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. 255, entitled

An Act to prevent willful trespasses,

Assembly Bill No. 367, entitled

An Act granting boroughs in counties of the second class the right to license inns, taverns and saloons,

Assembly Bill No. 465, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of the State," approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 481, entitled

An Act to discharge persons from arrest under civil process,

Assembly Bill No. 452, entitled

An Act to enlarge and confer additional power upon boards of health in cities of this State,

Were taken up on third reading, reconsidered, amended, ordered re-engrossed, and reprinted.

Assembly Bill No. 447, entitled

A Supplement to an act for organization of National Guard of New Jersey,

Was taken up on third reading, reconsidered, amended, and ordered re-engrossed.

Assembly Bill No. 55, entitled

An Act for the government of persons who are members of companies incorporated under the act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of pursuing and detective companies,

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Robbins, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Woodruff, Wortendyke—43.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Rich, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 529,

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Riparian Rights.

Senate Bill No. 198, entitled

An Act for the government of persons who are now or may hereafter become members of the New Jersey Detective Association, incorporated under the act entitled "An act to incorporate the New Jersey Detective Association," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 426, entitled

An Act to authorize the sale of malt liquors on State and county agricultural society grounds at time of holding fair,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Clark, Cole, Dickinson, Fish, Flynn, Harri-
gan, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keas-
bey, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Mills, O'Con-
nor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Scott, See, Stafford,
Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—36.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armstrong, Budd, Campbell, Chattle, Coombs, Doremus, Haines, Larison, Lupton, Neighbour, North, Woodruff—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.

Mr. McLaughlin, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No. 129, entitled

An Act concerning collectors in cities of the third class,

With amendments,

Assembly Bill No. 517, entitled

An Act to authorize cities of this State to offer rewards in certain cases,

Favorably,

Assembly Bill No. 507, entitled

An Act relative to the establishment of gas companies in cities, towns and boroughs,

With amendments.

The amendments made in committee were read and adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 501, entitled

An Act for the regulation of salaries of city treasurers in cities of the second class,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, ordered to be engrossed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 500, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies" (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Cole, the House adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, April 2d, 1884.

At 10 o'clock the House met.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Schel.

Upon calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names :

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Senate Bill No. 192, entitled

A Supplement to "An act relative to the publication of the laws of this State in the newspapers," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

With House amendments,

Was read a second time, and ordered to a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time by title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Doremus, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Lupton, Neighbour, North, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—38.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Cole, Dickinson, Irons, Ludlam, See—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.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

House amendments to

Senate Bill No. 129, entitled

An Act concerning collectors in cities of the third class,

Correctly engrossed.

Senate Bill No. 206, entitled

An Act for the relief of Charles S. Strader, of the borough of Washington, in the county of Warren,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Boud, Branning, Budd, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, Neighbour, North, Rich, Robbins, Ross, See, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—33.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Burgess, Holzwarth, Keasbey, Lehlbach—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.

Senate Bill No. 233, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to the management of the moneys of the school fund," passed March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 498, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 412, entitled

An Act in relation to assessors and collectors in boroughs and townships in this State,

Assembly Bill No. 502, entitled

An Act authorizing cities in the State to fix the salaries of city physicians of such cities,

Assembly Bill No. 488, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act for the better preservation of the early records of the State of New Jersey, passed March twenty-ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two,

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Jernee, for Mr. McLaughlin, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 519, entitled

An Act to authorize neighboring cities to improve a principal street in each city so as to form a continuous thoroughfare,

Favorably.

Senate Bill No. 228, entitled

An Act for the support of the Reform School for Boys,

Was taken up on second reading, ordered to a third reading, read a third time by title, and recommitted, on motion of Mr. Clarke.

Assembly Bill No. 98, entitled

An Act to prevent the laying of pipes for carrying oil, called pipe lines, across the fresh water streams of the State, and to cause the removal of those already laid,

Was taken up on third reading and laid over until to-morrow.

On motion of Mr. Chattle,

Assembly Bill No. 497, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the better preservation of the early records of the State of New Jersey,"

Was withdrawn from the files of the House.

Assembly Bill No. 507, entitled

An Act relative to the establishment of gas companies in cities, towns and boroughs,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 519, entitled

An Act to authorize neighboring cities to improve a principal street in each city so as to form a continuous thoroughfare,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 199, entitled

A Supplement to an act concerning taxes (Revision), approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Was read a second time, and ordered to have a third reading.

Under suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time by title and recommitted.

Senate Bill No. 166, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate fisheries in the river Delaware, and for other purposes," passed the twenty-sixth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and eight,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Cole moved to take up

Senate Bill No. 231, entitled

An Act to regulate the constructing and maintaining across the fresh water streams of this State of pipe lines through which petroleum is conveyed, and to place such pipe lines under the control of the State commissioners of water supply,

On second reading,

Which was agreed to, by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Burgess, Cadmus, Campbell, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Flynn, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lupton, Prall, Rue, See, Stafford, Woodruff—26.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Boud, Budd, Byrnes, Caminade, Chapman, Harrigan, Irons, Kelly, Ludlam, Mills, Neighbour, North, Rich, Ross, Savage, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker) Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—20.

The bill was then read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Cole, a call of the House was ordered, with the following result :

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Caminade, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Mr. Harrigan moved to adjourn, which was agreed to, by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Boud, Branning, Budd, Caminade, Chapman, Doremus, Harrigan, Harrison, Jernee, Lake, Larison, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—23.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Flynn, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Neighbour, North, Rue, See, Woodruff—22.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At 3 o'clock the House met.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Rich, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No. 524, entitled

An Act entitled "An act for the better securing and enjoyment of wages to workingmen and laborers in the State of New Jersey,"

With amendments.

The amendments made in the committee were read and adopted.

Mr. Neighbour, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Senate Bill No. 217, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "An act to further regulate the licensing of inns and taverns and places for the sale of malt, vinous, spirituous and other intoxicating liquors, approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Without recommendation.

Mr. Savage, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 530,

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. Kelly, Chairman of the Committee on State Prison, reported

Assembly Bill No. 528, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to abolish and prohibit the employment, under contract, of convicts, etc.,

Senate Bill No. 236, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act to abolish and prohibit the employment, under contract, of convicts and inmates of prisons, jails, penitentiaries and all reformatory institutions in the State of New Jersey," approved February twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four,

Favorably.

Senate Bill No. 231, entitled

An Act to regulate the constructing and maintaining across the fresh water streams of this State of pipe lines through which petroleum is conveyed, and to place such pipe lines under the control of the State commissioners of water supply,

Was taken up on its second reading, as the unfinished business of the afternoon.

Mr. Keasbey offered the following amendment, which was lost:

12. *And be it enacted*, That if, in the opinion of said commissioners, any portion of said pipe lines, already laid and constructed in this State, which lie within fifty feet of any railroad track, are so laid and constructed as to be dangerously exposed to the possibility of being broken by a train running off the track of said railroad, then they shall cause the same to be relaid or reconstructed, under the provisions of this act, and buried, when possible, under the ground to such depth as, in their judgment, shall make the same safe.

The above amendment was lost, by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Harrison, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Neighbour, North, Rue, See, Wildrick, Woodruff—19.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Branning, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Hoffman, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, Mills, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wortendyke—27.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 519, entitled

An Act to authorize neighboring cities to improve a principal street in each city so as to form a continuous thoroughfare,

Assembly Bill No. 507, entitled

An Act relative to the establishment of gas companies in cities, towns and boroughs,

Assembly Bill No. 500, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies" (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Assembly Bill No. 501, entitled

An Act for the regulation of salaries of city treasurers in cities of the second class,

Assembly Bill No. 502, entitled

An Act authorizing cities in the State to fix the salaries of city physicians of such cities,

Assembly Bill No. 447, entitled

A Supplement to an act for organization of National Guard of New Jersey,

Assembly Bill No. 412, entitled

An Act in relation to assessors and collectors in boroughs and townships in this State,

Assembly Bill No. 229, entitled

An Act to further extend the times before or within the State assessment or other sum required to be paid into the State treasury by virtue of the provisions of the act entitled "An act to increase the revenues of the State of New Jersey," approved March eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine, or any subsequent act, may be paid, and to remit, release and extinguish any conditions, penalties or forfeitures heretofore provided for, incurred or proclaimed by reason of the non-payment of any assessment or sum aforesaid, required by virtue of the provisions of said act,

Senate Bill No. 198, entitled

An Act for the government of persons who are now or may hereafter become members of the New Jersey Detective Associa-

tion, incorporated under the act entitled "An act to incorporate the New Jersey Detective Association," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one,

Assembly Bill No. 488, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act for the better preservation of the early records of the State of New Jersey, passed March twenty-ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two,

Correctly engrossed.

A message was received from the Governor at the hands of his Private Secretary, Willard Fisk, transmitting to the House the following report :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Trenton, April 2d, 1884. }

Mr. Speaker—

I have this day approved and signed the following bills, which originated in the House of Assembly, and have delivered the same to the Secretary of State, to be filed in his office :

Assembly Bill No. 272, entitled

An Act to authorize the appointment of fire wardens,

Assembly Bill No. 358, entitled

A Supplement to an act to regulate the sale of milk.

Respectfully,

LEON ABBETT,

Governor.

The consideration of Senate Bill No. 231, on second reading, was again taken up.

On motion of Mr. Clarke, a call of the House was ordered, with the following result :

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Clarke,

Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Mr. Mills offered the following amendment :

Add a new section, to be called section 2.

7. *And be it enacted*, That all pipe lines already laid and constructed in this State shall be reconstructed and relaid within one year after this act shall take effect, according to the manner, method, or system approved by the State commissioners of water supply, and that no pipe line or like contrivances, shall be laid or be permitted to lie within two hundred feet of any railroad track which shall not be laid at a depth of at least three feet under the surface of the ground ; provided that this shall not apply where any pipe line crosses any culvert, or shall be on any bridge or bridges.

Change number of section 12 to 13.

The amendment was adopted by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Branning, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Hoffman, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, Mills, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wortendyke—25.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Neighbour, North, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff—21.

The bill was then ordered to be re-engrossed, and reprinted and have a third reading.

Mr. Cole moved to make the bill the special order for next Monday night.

Which was not agreed to, by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, North, Prall, See, Wildrick—15.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Budd, Byrnes, Caminade, Chapman, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Woodruff, Wortendyke—24.

Mr. Lake moved to reconsider the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 336, entitled

An Act regarding usury and interest,

Was lost.

On motion of Mr. Flynn, the motion was laid on the table.

On motion of Mr. Cole, the House adjourned.

THURSDAY, April 3d, 1884.

At 10 o'clock the House met.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Scheibel.

Upon calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Wildrick, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No. 121, entitled

A Further Supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Widows' and Orphans' Friendly Society," approved April third, eighteen hundred and seventy-three,

Favorably.

The following resolution was read and adopted :

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That the Governor be requested to return to the House of Assembly, for further consideration,

Assembly Bill No. 105, entitled

An act to give to firemen the same advantages in respect to taxes and jury duty as now are or hereafter may be allowed to members of the National Guard of this State.

House amendments to

Senate Bill No. 67, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of railroad corporations and regulate the same," approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three,

Were read and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Larison, Lupton, Neighbour, North, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker) Wildrick, Wortendyke—37.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Cole, Lehlbach—2.

Assembly Bill No. 492, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled “An act to secure to creditors an equal and just division of the estate of debtors,”

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—45.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Keasbey—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 379, entitled

An Act to provide for the drainage of meadow lands in townships of this State,

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote :

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lehlbach, Robbins, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff—28.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Clark, Coombs, Harrison, Ludlam, Neighbour, Prall, Weaver, Wortendyke—8.

Mr. Jenkins moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was lost, with the following result :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Cole, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, North, Rich, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff—33.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Cadmus, Coombs, Harrison, Keasbey, Ludlam, Mills, Neighbour, Rue, Weaver, Wortendyke—10.

The bill was then passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Cole, Dickinson, Fish, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, North, Rich, Robbins, Scott, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff—31.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Boud, Cadmus, Coombs, Doremus, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Ludlam, Mills, Neighbour, Prall, Ross, Rue, Savage, Stafford, Weaver, Wortendyke—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.

Mr. Neighbour offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted :

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That a joint meeting of the Legislature be held in the Assembly Chamber, at 12 o'clock noon, on Wednesday, the ninth day of April, inst., for the election of Rodman M. Price, to the office of Comptroller, and for the election of all such other officers as it is proper for said joint meeting to elect.

Mr. Caminade, Chairman of the Committee on Deaf and and Dumb, reported

Senate Bill No. 241, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "A bill providing for the founding of a State institution for the instruction and maintenance of indigent deaf mutes, to be known as the State Institution for the Deaf and Dumb," approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

Without recommendation.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows :

	STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
	SENATE CHAMBER,	
<i>Mr. Speaker—</i>	April 3d, 1884.	

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills :

Senate Bill No. 240, entitled

An Act to authorize townships to borrow money for road purposes,

Senate Bill No. 244, entitled

An Act relating to executors, administrators, guardians, trustees or commissioners,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The message was taken up, and the Senate bills severally read a first time by their titles, and ordered to have a second reading, and referred to their appropriate committees.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,

SENATE CHAMBER,

April 3d, 1884. }

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. 83, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act to secure to creditors an equal and just division of the estates of debtors who convey to assignees for the benefit of creditors," approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 133, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the better protection of sheriffs," approved March sixth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine,

Assembly Bill No. 218, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning bridges and turnpikes," approved March twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 244, entitled

An Act empowering fish wardens to enforce game laws,

Assembly Bill No. 291, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to further define the duties of the fish commissioners of the State of New Jersey,"

Assembly Bill No. 318, entitled

An Act relative to the election of constables,

Assembly Bill No. 348, entitled

An Act to validate and render more effective ordinances of boards of health and vital statistics of the several counties of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 409, entitled

An Act to provide for a standard time in the State of New Jersey,

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 16,

Requesting the repeal of a part of the United States revenue laws relating to alcohol,

Without amendments.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Said bills having passed both Houses, were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills, with the following certificate endorsed on the same:

"I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

HENRY D. WINTON,

Clerk."

On motion of Mr. Harrigan, the vote by which the motion to lay on the table the motion to reconsider the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 453, entitled

An Act relating to the improvement of streets in cities of this State, and authorizing such cities to issue loan certificates to pay the costs of such improvements,

Was lost, was reconsidered.

The vote by which the bill was lost was reconsidered by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, McLaughlin, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke
—31.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Campbell, Dickinson, Fish, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lupton, North, Rue—15.

The vote by which the bill was ordered to a third reading, was reconsidered, and laid over.

Mr. Neighbour offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That when this House adjourn it be to meet on Friday morning, at 10 o'clock, and that when it then adjourn it be to meet on Monday evening, at 8 o'clock.

Mr. McLaughlin, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No. 147, 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 costs thereof," approved March eighth, one thousand eight hundred eighty-two,

Senate Bill No. 114, entitled

An Act concerning cities in this State,

Senate Bill No. 248, entitled

An Act concerning division of wards in cities of this State.

Favorably.

Mr. Rich, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No. 531, entitled

An Act to give certain firemen the same advantages in respect to taxes and jury duty as members of the National Guard,

Favorably.

Mr. Chapman, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Bill No. 422, entitled

An Act to provide for the payment of the expenses of a special committee of the House of Assembly, to investigate the accounts of the comptroller and other State officers,

Favorably.

Mr. Savage, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads and Canals, reported

Assembly Bill No. 499, entitled

An Act concerning horse railroads,

Without recommendation.

Mr. Kelly offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

WHEREAS, The Hon. Michael J. O'Donnell, has met a great misfortune in the loss of his youngest child ; be it

Resolved, That the cordial sympathy of this House be extended to our colleague, Hon. Michael J. O'Donnell, in this the time of his bereavement.

Mr. Chapman offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

WHEREAS, The Legislature of the State of New Jersey shares in the common gratitude of the loyal people of the United States towards the patriotic men who defended the government in the dark days of the rebellion; *and whereas*, this body recognizes the justice and equity of certain claims of the defenders of national union and liberty still unadjusted by the general government of the United States; be it therefore

Resolved, That the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey do hereby request the Senators and Representatives of this State to give their vote and support in favor of H. R. Bill No. 2404, introduced by the Hon. Wm. McAdoo, in order that the said bill may become a law.

Mr. Prall moved, to reconsider the vote by which

Senate Bill No. 40, 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 ordered to a third reading.

The vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 501, entitled

An Act for the regulation of salaries of city treasurers in cities of the second class,

Was ordered to a third reading, was reconsidered.

Mr. Harrigan, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 531, entitled

An Act to give certain firemen the same advantages in respect to taxes and jury duty as members of the National Guard,

As substitute for No. 105.

Mr. Chattle, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 532, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide for protection of the public health,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws.

On motion of Mr. Cole, the vote by which the resolution to adjourn to Friday and then to Monday, was reconsidered.

Senate Bill No. 233, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to the management of the moneys of the school fund," passed March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Boud, Byrnes, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Doremus, Flynn, Hough, Jernee, Kelly, Larison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, Rich, Robbins, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—22.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Cadmus, Campbell, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, North, Prall, Ross, Rue, Savage, See, Weaver—33.

Mr. Ross, Chairman of the Committee on Riparian Rights, reported

Assembly Bill No. 526, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to ascertain the rights of the State and of the riparian owners in the lands lying under the water of the bay of New York and elsewhere in this State," approved April eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four,

Without recommendation.

Mr. Flynn moved to adjourn.

Which was not agreed to by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Boud, Chapman, Clarke, Flynn, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Wortendyke—17.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, North, Prall, Rue, Scott, See—30.

Mr. See offered the following resolution, which was read and lost:

Resolved, That one thousand copies of the testimony submitted with the report of the Committee on Riparian Rights for the year 1883, be printed for the use of the legislature.

Mr. Prall moved to reconsider the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 233, entitled

An Act concerning the running of ferry boats,

Was lost.

On motion of Mr. Rich, the motion to lay on the table was agreed to, by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Boud, Burgess, Byrnes, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Hough, Jernee, Kelly, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Woodruff, Wortendyke—26.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, North, Prall, Rue, See—25.

On motion of Lehlbach, the House adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At 3 o'clock the House met.

Upon calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Armstrong, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wil-drick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Mr. See, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 533, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning evidence"
(Revision),

Which was read a 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,	
<i>Mr. Speaker—</i>	April 3d, 1884.	

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has concurred in the resolution requesting the Governor to return to the House of Assembly,

Assembly Bill No. 105, entitled

An Act to give to firemen the same advantages in respect to taxes and jury duty as now are or hereafter may be allowed to members of the National Guard of this State.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

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,	
<i>Mr. Speaker—</i>	April 3d, 1884.	

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills:

Assembly Bill No. 55, entitled

An Act for the government of persons who are members of companies incorporated under the act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of pursuing and detective companies,"

Assembly Bill No. 295, entitled

An Act for the preservation of the health of female employes employed in manufacturing, mechanical and mercantile establishments,

Assembly Bill No. 414, entitled

An Act to require telegraph companies to establish, in certain cases, offices for the transmission and reception of messages,

Assembly Bill No. 446, entitled

An Act to provide for purchase and distribution of Dickinson's Forms,

Assembly Bill No. 461, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting conveyances" (Revision), approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

And

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 12,

Joint Resolution relative to claims of New Jersey volunteers,
Without amendments.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Said bills having passed both Houses, were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills, with the following certificate endorsed on the same :

"I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

HENRY D. WINTON,

Clerk."

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
 SENATE CHAMBER,
 April 3d, 1884. }

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. 331, entitled

An Act concerning the appointment of assessors in cities of the first class,

With amendment,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The amendment was read, and the bill ordered to have a second reading.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
 SENATE CHAMBER,
 April 3d, 1884. }

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 Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize and regulate the business of banking," approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Senate Bill No. 222, entitled

An Act to provide for agreements between creditors and insolvent companies,

Senate Bill No. 246, entitled

An Act for the appointment of a commissioner of taxes and assessments in cities of this State,

Senate Bill No. 253, entitled

An Act to defray the expenses of the commission appointed by the act entitled "An act for the appointment of a commission in relation to the question of oyster planting in the waters of the State,"

Senate Bill No. 258, entitled

An Act relating to the issue of temporary loan bonds,

Senate Joint Resolution No. 10, entitled

Joint Resolution authorizing the Governor, upon the request of the commissioners of State water supply, to communicate with the authorities of the State of New York in relation to the waters flowing into New Jersey from that State,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The message was taken up, and the Senate bills severally read a first time by their titles, and ordered to have a second reading, and referred to their appropriate committees.

Assembly Bill No. 422, entitled

An Act to provide for the payment of the expenses of a special committee of the House of Assembly to investigate the accounts of the comptroller and other State officers,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Carson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 534, entitled

An Act to prevent and punish misconduct, fraud, and illegal voting at caucusses, &c.,

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws.

Mr. Carson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 535, entitled

A Supplement to an act for the formation of borough governments,

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. Carson,

Assembly Bill No. 328, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to preserve the navigation of the rivers and creeks within the State of New Jersey," approved April twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Was placed on the calendar under the ten-day rule.

Mr. Ross moved to take from the table the motion to reconsider the vote by which

Senate Bill No. 233, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to the management of the moneys of the school fund," passed March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Was lost,

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Cole moved to indefinitely postpone the consideration of the bill,

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Ross moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was lost,

Which was agreed to by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Larison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—32.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Cole, Dickinson, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Mills, Prall, Rue, See, Weaver—19.

Mr. Burgess moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was ordered to a third reading,

Which was agreed to by a *viva voce* vote.

Assembly Bill No. 364, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the formation of borough governments," approved April fifth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 37, entitled

An Act to facilitate the giving of security on official and other bonds,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn,

Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Rich, Savage, Scott, See, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Woodruff, Wortendyke—38.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Neighbour, Rue—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. Hough,

Assembly Bill No. 521, entitled

An Act concerning taxes,

Was withdrawn from the files of the House.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 422, entitled

An Act to provide for the payment of the expenses of a special committee of the House of Assembly, to investigate the accounts of the comptroller and other State officers,

Correctly engrossed.

Mr. Rich, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No. 511, entitled

An Act concerning licenses for the sale of liquors,

Assembly Bill No. 522, entitled

An Act to incorporate fire districts heretofore established or which may be established under the provisions of the act entitled "An act to provide means for protection against fires in townships,"

Favorably,

Assembly Bill No. 509, entitled

An Act relative to the assessment of taxes,

Assembly Bill No. 508, entitled

An Act to secure the equal taxation of property within this State,

Adversely, Mr. Rich dissenting,

Adverse reports were non-concurred in,

Assembly Bill No. 523, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act in relation to the publication of the laws of this State in the newspapers,

Without recommendation,

Senate Bill No. 200, entitled

A Further 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," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Favorably,

Senate Bill No. 23, entitled

An Act to authorize actions against the State in certain cases,

Adversely, Mr. Rich dissenting.

The adverse report was non-concurred in.

Assembly Bill No. 270, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was read a third time, and a call of the House ordered, with the following result :

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

The bill was then passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Flynn, Hoffman, Jenkins, Kelly, Larison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Woodruff—31.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Bell, Burgess, Carson, Chapman, Doremus, Fish, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Prall, Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—17.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 140, entitled

An Act regulating billiard and pool rooms in this State,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickin-

son, Doremus, Flynn, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Ludlam, North, Prall, Robbins, Rue, Scott, See, Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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.

Assembly Bill No. 524, entitled

An Act entitled “An act for the better securing and enjoyment of wages to workingmen and laborers in the State of New Jersey,”

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 331, entitled

An Act concerning the appointment of assessors in cities of the first class,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 364, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled “An act for the formation of borough governments,” approved April fifth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 503, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled “An act to incorporate the Oak Wood Cemetery Association,”

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Aicott, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Flynn, Harrigan, Harrison, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Ludlam, North, Ross, Rue, Scott, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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.

Senate Bill No. 148, entitled

An Act concerning turnpike roads,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and 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,	
<i>Mr. Speaker—</i>	April 3d, 1884.	

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bill:

Assembly Bill No. 313, entitled

An Act for the taxation of railroads and canals,

With amendments,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 313, entitled

An Act for the taxation of railroads and canals,

Were read.

Mr. Prall moved that they be not concurred in,

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Cole offered the following resolution, which was accepted by Mr. Prall and read :

Resolved, That the House of Assembly dissents from the amendments made to House Bill No. 313, and that they ask from the Senate a conference, and request that a committee of three, on the part of the Senate, shall meet a like committee on the part of the House.

Assembly Bill No. 480, entitled

An Act to authorize cities in this State in certain cases to extend streets now partly opened, and to pay for such extension,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Mills, Prall, Rich, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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. Rich, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Senate Bill No. 258, entitled

An Act relating to the issue of temporary loan bonds,
Favorably.

On motion of Mr. Burgess, the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 459, entitled

An Act providing compensation for the services of commissioners of city boards having the control of the supply and distribution of water,

Was ordered to a third reading, was reconsidered.

On motion of Mr. Jenkins, the House adjourned.

FRIDAY, April 4th, 1884

At 10 o'clock A. M. the House met.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Schnebel.

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes,
Cadmus, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke,
Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Har-
rigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins,

Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, North, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Mr. Budd, Chairman of the Committee on Commerce and Navigation, reported

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 19,

Asking congress for the maintenance of free and unobstructed navigation of the Kill Von Kull,

Favorably.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 331, entitled

An Act concerning the appointment of assessors in cities of the first class,

Assembly Bill No. 459, entitled

An Act providing compensation for the services of commissioners of city boards having the control of the supply and distribution of water,

Correctly engrossed.

Mr. Chapman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 536, entitled

An Act to further amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of commissioners to determine upon plans for storage of any of the waters of this State for the purpose of furnishing to cities and towns a joint water supply," approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations, and ordered printed the same day.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 313, entitled

An Act for the taxation of railroads and canals,

Were taken up on second reading.

Mr. Cole moved that that portion of the minutes of April 3d, which record the non-concurrence of the House in the Senate amendments, be corrected,

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Prall moved that the Speaker put the question, "Shall the Senate amendments now have a third reading?"

It was ordered.

On motion of Mr. Fish, the amendments were ordered to be read.

Pending the reading of the amendments, Mr. Chapman moved that the further reading of the amendments be dispensed with, and that they be printed,

Which was not agreed to.

A message was received from the Governor at the hands of his Private Secretary, Willard Fisk, transmitting to the House the following report:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY, }
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT. }

To the Legislature of the State of New Jersey:

I earnestly urge upon the Legislature to remain in session this week, until some definite action is agreed upon between the Senate and the General Assembly, in reference to Assembly Bill No. 313.

If the Houses disagree, a reference committee should be immediately appointed, and act during the day, and the result of the deliberation submitted to the two Houses for action during the day. The Legislature, if they settle the question involved

in Bill No. 313 this week, can then have next week to settle the question involved in Assembly Bill No. 378.

The interests of the State should be paramount to any consideration of personal convenience, and I trust that no attempt will be made to adjourn either House this week until definite action is taken in reference to Assembly Bill No. 313.

Respectfully,

LEON ABBETT,

Governor.

The Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 313, entitled

An Act for the taxation of railroads and canals,

Having been read, the question was then put, "Shall the House of Assembly concur in the Senate amendments?"

The amendments were then not concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Budd, Campbell, Carson, Coombs, Fish, Hoffman, Jenkins, Larison, North, Rue, Scott, Wildrick—15.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver—34.

Mr. Prall offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That this House request a conference and appoint a committee of three, to confer with a committee of three to be appointed by the Senate, upon Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 313, dissented to by this House.

The Speaker appointed the following Conference Committee:
Messrs. Ross, Savage and Cole.

On motion of Mr. Cole, the committee was empowered to set during session.

Mr. Savage, Chairman of the Committee on Fisheries, reported

Senate Bill No. 253, entitled

An Act to defray the expenses of the commission appointed by the act entitled "An act for the appointment of a commission in relation to the question of oyster planting in the waters of the State.

On motion of Mr. Holzwarth, the House adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At 3 o'clock the House met.

Upon calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff.

Mr. Rich, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported.

Senate Bill No. 124, entitled

An Act to repeal the act entitled "An act limiting the time for commencing actions against assignee of any person or persons making an assignment for the benefit of his or their creditors," approved March twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty,

Favorably.

Mr. Savage, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads and Canals, reported

Senate Bill No. 213, entitled

An Act relating to straightened or improved lines of railroad,
With amendments.

Mr. Steljes, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 537, entitled

An Act to authorize cities to fix salary of recorders,

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. Ross, Chairman of the House Conference Committee on Assembly Bill No. 313, reported as follows:

To the Speaker and House of Assembly:

The committee of conference on the part of the House, appointed to meet the committee of conference to be appointed by the Senate, to confer upon Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 313, would respectfully report, that they have met the Senate committee, and, upon conference, it was agreed upon the part of your committee that they recommend to the House of Assembly that they receive and concur in said amendments, having been assured by the Senate committee that if the House do not concur

they will recommend to the Senate that the Senate adhere to the bill in its present form.

WILLIAM E. ROSS,
EDWARD S. SAVAGE,
FRANK O. COLE,

Committee.

Mr. Ross moved the adoption of the report..

After a long debate, on motion of Mr. McLaughlin, the previous question was ordered by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Hoffman, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, North, Prall, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick—43.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Chapman, Harrison, Holzwarth, Lehlbach, Mills, Rich, Steljes—7.

The report of the committee was then adopted by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Hoffman, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, North, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick—41.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Byrnes, Chapman, Harrison, Holzwarth, Lehlbach, Mills, Prall, Rich, Steljes—9.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 313, entitled

An Act for the taxation of railroads and canals,

Were then concurred in by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—44.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Chapman, Harrison, Holzwarth, Lehlbach, Mills, North, Prall, Rich, Steljes—10.

The amendments were then ordered to be engrossed.

Mr. Neighbour offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted :

Resolved, That when this House adjourn, it be to meet to-morrow morning at ten o'clock, and that when it then adjourn it be to meet on Monday evening at eight o'clock.

Mr. Prall offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted :

Resolved, That this House views with regret the action of the Senate in limiting the operation of Assembly Bill 313 as passed by the Assembly, and that it accepts and votes for the Senate amendments thereto made, because the State of New Jersey is in actual need of the revenue therein provided to prevent the imposition of a direct State tax ;

Resolved, That this House protests most strenuously against the principle of any bill for the raising of revenue which fails to recognize equal taxation and meet the just demands of the people.

Mr. Bell, on leave, introduced

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 20,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Federal Relations.

On motion of Mr. Cole, 3,000 extra copies of

Assembly Bill No. 313, entitled

An Act for the taxation of railroads and canals,

Were ordered printed.

On motion of Mr. Bell, the House adjourned.

MONDAY EVENING, April 7th, 1884.

At 8 o'clock the House met.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Gaskill.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names :

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Robbins, Rue, Savage, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Neighbour, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Assembly Bill No. 520, entitled

An Act to facilitate judicial proceedings in counties having a population of over one hundred thousand in this State,

Favorably.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 313, entitled

An Act for the taxation of railroads and canals,

Correctly engrossed.

The report was accepted and acted upon.

Mr. Harrison, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 538, entitled

Supplement to the act incorporating the inhabitants of townships, designating their powers and regulating their meetings.

Mr. Armitage, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 539, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning corporations" (Revision), approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

Mr. Chapman offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted :

Resolved, That the Secretary of State be requested to print one thousand copies of the annual returns of the general elections, from 1876 to 1883, for the use of this legislature.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 524,

Correctly engrossed.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER, }
Mr. Speaker: April 4th, 1884. }

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills :

Assembly Bill No. 164, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the collection of demands against ships, steamboats and other vessels," approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven,

Assembly Bill No. 492, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to secure to creditors an equal and just division of the estate of debtors,"

Without amendments,

And

Assembly Bill No. 448, entitled

An Act relative to town ordinances, making same valid notwithstanding insufficiency of advertisement,

With amendments.

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Said bills having passed both Houses, were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills, with the following certificate endorsed on the same :

"I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly,

HENRY D. WINTON,

Clerk."

Senate amendments were read, and ordered to a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 526, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to ascertain the rights of the State and of the riparian owners in the lands lying under the water of the bay of New York and elsewhere in this State," approved April eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four,

Was read a second time, and laid over until to-morrow morning.

Assembly Bill No. 374, entitled

A Supplement to an act relative to the publication of the laws of this State in the newspapers, approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 294, entitled

An Act to regulate the liability of corporations for injuries received by their employes,

Was read a third time, and laid over until to-morrow.

Assembly Bill No. 502, entitled

An Act authorizing cities in the State to fix the salaries of city physicians of such cities,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Harrigan, Hoffman, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, See, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—40.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 475, entitled ^o

An Act to authorize the conveyance of certain lands belonging to the State of New Jersey, situated in the township of Ewing, and county of Mercer,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—41.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 253, entitled

An Act to defray the expenses of the commission appointed by the act entitled "An act for the appointment of a commission in relation to the question of oyster planting in the waters of the State,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill was then read a third time, and laid over until tomorrow.

Assembly Bill No. 353, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act concerning the protection of the public health and the record of vital facts and statistics relating thereto, approved March eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, and the supplements thereto,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Bell, Branning, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lupton, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, See, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—38.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 512, entitled

An Act to amend and consolidate an act relative to game and game fish,

Assembly Bill No. 439, entitled

A Supplement to an act respecting court of chancery,

Assembly Bill No. 456, entitled

An Act relating to compensation of trustees and guardians,

Were severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 528, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to abolish and prohibit the employment, under contract, of convicts," etc.,

Assembly Bill No. 429, entitled

An Act to provide for making and giving official bonds by clerks and treasurers of boroughs and villages,

Were severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 452, entitled

An Act to enlarge and confer additional power upon boards of health in cities of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 374, entitled

A Supplement to an act relative to the publication of the laws of this State in the newspapers, approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Assembly Bill No. 537, entitled

An Act to authorize cities to fix salary of recorders,

Were severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 459, entitled

An Act providing compensation for the services of commissioners of city boards having the control of the supply and distribution of water,

Was read a third time, and laid over until to-morrow.

Assembly Bill No. 505, entitled

An Act concerning official newspapers in this State,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Dickinson, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Rue, Savage, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick—34.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Coombs, Doremus, Haines, Hoffman—4.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 494, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled “An act to establish a system of public instruction,”

Was read a third time, and laid over until Wednesday morning.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,

SENATE CHAMBER,

April 7th, 1884.

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. 225, entitled

An Act to authorize and empower cities owning and controlling water works to make a contract with any city, town or township in this State, or any adjoining State, for the distribution and use of water,

Senate Bill No. 259, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled “An act to authorize townships to employ police,” approved February twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Senate Bill No. 261,

Senate Bill No. 262,

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2,

Concurrent Resolution proposing amendments to the constitution,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The message was taken up, and the Senate bills severally read a first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to their appropriate committees.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
Mr. Speaker— April 7th, 1884. }

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills:

Assembly Bill No. 484, entitled

An Act to authorize the sale and conveyance or lease of certain lands of the State of New Jersey, in the borough of Chambersburg, in the county of Mercer,

Assembly Bill No. 417, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize municipal corporations to contract for a supply of water for public uses,"

Assembly Bill No. 137, entitled

An Act in relation to suits in the court of chancery,

Assembly Bill No. 277, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes," (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 300, entitled

An Act concerning the construction of sewers in cities of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 397, entitled

An Act concerning cities,

Severally with amendments,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Amendments made in the Senate were read, ordered to be re-engrossed, and have a third reading.

A message was received from the Governor at the hands of his Private Secretary, Willard Fisk, transmitting to the House the following report:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Trenton, April 7th, 1884. }

Mr. Speaker—

I have this day approved and signed the following bills, which originated in the House of Assembly, and have delivered the same to the Secretary of State, to be filed in his office:

Assembly Bill No. 492, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to secure to creditors an equal and just division of the estate of debtors,"

Assembly Bill No. 330, entitled

An Act to authorize police service in townships.

LEON ABBETT,

Governor.

Senate Bill No. 191, entitled

An Act to authorize thief detecting societies to exercise police powers in townships,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Mills, Neighbour, North, Robbins, Rue, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—35.

In the negative—none.

Assembly Bill No. 531, entitled

An Act to give certain firemen the same advantages in respect to taxes and jury duty as members of the National Guard,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 94, entitled

An Act to provide for the storage of military stores and equipments in the possession of Companies B, C and D, of the Sixth Regiment Infantry, Second Brigade National Guard of the State of New Jersey,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan,

Hoffman, Hough, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Rue, Savage, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick—39.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Flynn, Irons, Larison, Ludlam, Wortendyke—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.

Senate Bill No. 57, entitled

An Act concerning recognizances in criminal cases,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Rue, Savage, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—36.

In the negative—none.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

House amendments to

Senate Bill No. 213, entitled

An Act relating to straightened or improved lines of railroad,

Assembly Bill No. 498, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Correctly engrossed.

Senate Bill No. 38, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of courts of law" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Chattle, Coombs, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lehlbach, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, Savage, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—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.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 331, entitled

An Act concerning the appointment of assessors in cities of the first class,

Were read.

Mr. Lehlbach moved the bill be laid over,

Which was not agreed to, by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Bell, Burgess, Cadmus, Coombs, Fish, Flynn, Harrison, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Mills, Prall, Ross—13.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Ludlam, North, O'Connor, Rich, Robbins, Savage, Wildrick, Wortendyke—25.

On motion of Mr. Neighbour, the House adjourned.

TUESDAY, April 8th, 1884.

At 10 o'clock the House met.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Hutchinson.

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names :

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Branning, of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No. 261, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the formation of borough governments in seaside resorts,' approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight," said supplement approved March tenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one,

Senate Bill No. 262, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act for the formation of borough governments in seaside resorts," approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

Favorably.

Mr. Wortendyke, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, reported

Senate Joint Resolution No. 10, entitled

Joint Resolution authorizing the Governor, upon the request of the commissioners of State water supply, to communicate with the authorities of State of the New York in relation to the waters flowing into New Jersey from that State,

Favorably.

Senate Bill No. 203, entitled

An Act to ascertain and define the easterly limits of the seaboard counties of this State, and the jurisdiction thereof, .

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, North, Prall, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—41.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Keasbey, Lehlbach, Neighbour, O'Connor, Rue—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.

Mr. Keasbey, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 540, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act to secure to creditors an equal and just division of the estates of debtors who convey to assignees for the benefit of creditors,"

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, when appointed.

Senate Bill No. 253, entitled

An Act to defray the expenses of the commission appointed by the act entitled "An act for the appointment of a commission in relation to the question of oyster planting in the waters of the State,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Boud, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Hough, Jenkins, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—35.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Bell, Holzwarth, Irons, Lehlbach—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.

Senate Bill No. 166, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate fisheries in the river Delaware, and for other purposes," passed the twenty-sixth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and eight,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chattle, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Robbins, Rue, Savage Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—41.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Harrison—1.

Senate Bill No. 213, entitled

An Act relating to straightened or improved lines of railroads,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, ordered to have a third reading, and be re-engrossed with House amendments.

Senate Bill No. 74, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 130, entitled

A Supplement to "An act to authorize the incorporation of burial cemetery associations, and regulate cemeteries" (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Was read a third time, and, on motion of Mr. Cole, the vote by which the bill was ordered to a third reading, was reconsidered.

The bill was then amended, agreed to, and ordered to be re-engrossed, and have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 213, entitled

An Act relating to straightened or improved lines of railroad,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, Mills, Neighbour, North, Prall, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—40.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Holzwarth, Lehlbach, Lupton, O'Connor—5.

Mr. Savage offered the following resolution, which was read:

WHEREAS, It is a fact of public notoriety that the North River Construction Company, incorporated under the laws of this State, is insolvent and in the hands of a receiver, with claims of an undefined amount for labor, material and other causes against the New York, West Shore and Buffalo Railway Company, a corporation existing under the laws of the State of New Jersey, as well as New York, which claims have grown out of the construction of the railroad of such company; and *whereas*, it is desirable to ascertain and test the actual operation

and results and necessity of amendment of the liberal law of this State, providing for the organization of corporations, with power to construct railroads, which, in the present case, seems to have left persons supplying the material of a railway without any person responsible for payment therefor, and with doubtful or disputed security for payment, now therefore be it, and it is hereby

Resolved, That a committee consisting of three, one of which shall be the Speaker, shall be appointed by the Chair, to examine into the affairs of the North River Construction Company, The New York, West Shore and Buffalo Railway Company, and The Terminal Company (whatever its name or designation), owning or controlling the terminal facilities contemplated for such railway company, at Weehawken, in Hudson county, and to report thereon to the Legislature with all convenient speed, either at this session or the next ;

Resolved, That in the prosecution of its inquiry, such committee may sit in any part of the State, at any time during the year, and that it have power to send for persons and papers.

Mr. Keasbey offered the following amendments to the resolution :

Amend the resolution by striking out the first two lines, and insert the following :

“Resolved (the Senate concurring), That a committee of six be appointed, three from the Senate and three from the House, of whom the Speaker of the House shall be one.”

The amendment was adopted by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, North, Prall, Robbins, Stafford, Steljes, Woodruff—33.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Doremus, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Lake, Larison, Neighbour, O'Connor, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—15.

Mr. Savage then withdrew the resolution.

Senate Bill No. 241, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "A bill providing for the founding of a State institution for the instruction and maintenance of indigent deaf mutes, to be known as the State Institution for the Deaf and Dumb," approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

Was read a second time, and ordered to have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff—42.

In the negative—none.

Mr. Prall, Chairman of the Committee on Banks and Insurance, reported

Assembly Bill No. 530, entitled

An Act to establish a bank and insurance department,

Favorably.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 452, entitled

An Act to enlarge and confer additional power upon boards of health in cities of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 501, entitled

An Act for the regulation of salaries of city treasurers in cities of the second class,

Assembly Bill No. 364, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the formation of borough governments," approved April fifth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 512, entitled

An Act to amend and consolidate an act relative to game and game fish,

Assembly Bill No. 448, entitled

An Act relative to town ordinances, making same valid notwithstanding insufficiency of advertisement,

Assembly Bill No. 528, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to abolish and prohibit the employment, under contract, of convicts," &c.,

Assembly Bill No. 531, entitled

An Act to give certain firemen the same advantages in respect to taxes and jury duty as members of the National Guard,

Correctly engrossed.

Assembly Bill No. 524, entitled

An Act entitled "An act for the better securing and enjoyment of wages to workingmen and laborers in the State of New Jersey,"

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chattle, Coombs, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Robbins, Rue, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—41.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Harrison, Hoffman—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.

The following messages were received from the Senate by the hands of the Secretary :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,

Mr. Speaker—

April 8th, 1884. }

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bill :

Assembly Bill No. 252, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to the publication of the laws in the newspapers," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Without amendment.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Said bill having passed both Houses, was this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills, with the following certificate endorsed on the same :

"I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

HENRY D. WINTON,

Clerk."

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 8th, 1884. }

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 House of Assembly be requested to return to the Senate, for further consideration,

Senate Bill No. 113, entitled

An Act authorizing the collection of tolls on certain bridges,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 8th, 1884. }

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. 156, entitled

An Act authorizing persons having liens for work, labor or materials employed in the repair or construction of any estate to enforce such lien,

With amendment,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The amendment was read and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Cole offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted :

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That his Excellency the Governor be requested to return to the House of Assembly, in which it originated,

Assembly Bill No. 348, entitled

An Act to validate and render more effective ordinances of boards of health and vital statistics of the several counties of this State.

The Senate amendments were read and ordered to a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 187, entitled

An Act to secure the observance of the annual arbor day in schools,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, said bill was taken up and read a third time by title, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lake, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Robbins, Rue, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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.

Assembly Bill No. 501, entitled

An Act for the regulation of salaries of city treasurers in cities of the second class,

Was read a third time, and laid over until to-morrow.

Senate Bill No. 41, entitled

An Act to authorize cities of the second class to make permanent improvements in the road-beds of streets at the general expense,

Was taken up on third reading, and, pending its consideration,

On motion of Mr. Cole, the House adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At 3 o'clock the House met.

Upon calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names :

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Mr. Neighbour, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Senate Bill No. 188, entitled

An Act to re-imburse William S. Weart for damages sustained against the commissioners of the sinking fund of the State of New Jersey,

Without recommendation.

Assembly Bill No. 458, entitled

An Act to regulate the salaries of commissioners of assessment and revision of taxes in cities of the first class,

Was read a second time, and ordered to a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Bell, Boud, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Chattle, Coombs, Dickinson, Dor-
emus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth,
Irons, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton,
Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, Prall, Robbins, Ross,
Steljes, Stoney, (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick Woodruff,
Wortendyke—35.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Cole—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 229, entitled

An Act to further extend the times before or within the State assessment or other sum required to be paid into the State treasury by virtue of the provisions of the act entitled "An act to increase the revenues of the State of New Jersey," approved March eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine, or any subsequent act, may be paid, and to remit, release and

extinguish any conditions, penalties or forfeitures heretofore provided for, incurred or proclaimed by reason of the non-payment of any assessment or sum aforesaid, required by virtue of the provisions of said act,

Were read a third time, and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chattle, Cole, Doremus, Haines, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, Prall, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—36.

In the negative—none.

Ordered that the Speaker sign said bill, and that the Clerk carry it the Committee on Passed Bills.

With consent of the House, Mr. Mills withdrew

Assembly Bill No. 98, entitled

An Act to prevent the laying of pipes for carrying oil, called pipe lines, across the fresh water streams of the State, and to cause the removal of those already laid.

Mr. Neighbour, Chairman of the Committee on Federal Relations, reported

Assembly Joint Resolution, No. 20,

Assembly Bill No. 416, entitled

An Act validating in certain cases sales and conveyances of lands situate in adjoining counties heretofore made by a sheriff of one of such counties,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Robbins, Rue, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke
—34.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 499, entitled

An Act concerning horse railroads,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 175, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "A further supplement to an act concerning corporations,"

Was read a third time, and laid over temporarily.

Assembly Bill No. 485, entitled

An Act to provide for the appointment of commissioners of appeals in cases of taxation in cities of the first class,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chattle, Cole, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Mills, Neighbour, North, Prall, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke
—35.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 217, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "An act to further regulate the licensing of inns and taverns and places for the sale of malt, vinous, spirituous and other intoxicating liquors," approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Was taken up on second reading, and laid over until Thursday.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 19,

Asking Congress for the maintainance of free and unobstructed navigation of the Kill Von Kull,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 518, entitled

An Act to provide for the assessment and collection of a tax upon property transported by railroad or canal into this State in order better to enable the State to protect such property and to pay for losses caused thereto by violence or insurrection,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 8th, 1884. }
Mr. Speaker—

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed a resolution requesting the House of Assembly to return to the Senate, for further consideration,

Assembly Bill No. 331, entitled

An Act concerning the appointment of assessors in cities of the first class,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The following message was received from the Governor:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Trenton, April 8th, 1884. }

Hon. A. B. Stoney, Speaker of General Assembly:

SIR—I have delivered the following bill, which originated in the House of Assembly, to the Secretary of State, to be filed in his office, without my signature, being unwilling to approve the same, viz.:

Assembly Bill No. 391, entitled

An Act to establish an excise department in certain cities.

Respectfully,

LEON ABBETT,

Governor.

Mr. Armstrong offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the opinion of the Attorney General be requested for the information of this House as to the constitutionality of Assembly Bill No. 518.

On motion of Mr. Chattle, the vote by which

Assembly Bill, No. 528, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to abolish and prohibit the employment, under contract, of convicts," &c.,

Was ordered to a third reading, was reconsidered.

The bill was then taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

The following message was received from the Senate:

	STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
	SENATE CHAMBER,	
<i>Mr. Speaker—</i>	April 8th, 1884.	

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills:

Assembly Bill No. 139, entitled

An Act amending an act to authorize the construction of school-houses in cities of the first class of this State, approved February thirteen, eighteen hundred and eighty-three,

Assembly Bill No. 211, entitled

An Act regulating lettings in cases where no definite time is fixed,

Without amendments.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Said bills having passed both Houses, were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills, with the following certificate endorsed on the same:

"I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

HENRY D. WINTON,

Clerk."

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 8th, 1884. }

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. 83, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act to secure to creditors an equal and just division of the estates of debtors who convey to assignees for the benefit of creditors," approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 435, entitled

An Act to authorize municipal corporations to contract for a supply of water for public uses,

With amendments,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Senate amendments were read, and ordered to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 81, entitled

An Act to provide for the election of road overseers in their respective districts,

Was ordered reprinted with the Senate amendments.

Senate Bill No. 122, entitled

An Act to provide a supplement to Stewart's Digest of the Law and Chancery Reports of the State of New Jersey,

Was read a second time, and ordered to have a third reading.

Under suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Chapman, Cole, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke
—35.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Robbins offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted :

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed by the Chair to ascertain by what authority the consulting physician at the State Prison was appointed, and in what manner he is recompensed, and this committee report to this House in one week.

The Speaker appointed the following committee to ascertain by what authority the consulting physician at the State Prison was appointed, and in what manner he is recompensed, in accordance with the resolution by the gentleman from Hunterdon : Messrs. Robbins, Caminade, Fish.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows :

	STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
	SENATE CHAMBER,	
<i>Mr. Speaker—</i>	April 8th, 1884.	

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills :

Senate Bill No. 251, entitled

An Act respecting appeals from the decision, report or award of commissioners appointed to appraise real estate, land or materials taken or condemned by law,

Senate Joint Resolution No. 9,

Requesting Congress to pass a bill to promote the efficiency of the revenue marine service,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The message was taken up, and the Senate bills severally read a first time by their titles, and ordered to have a second reading, and referred to their appropriate committees.

Assembly Bill No. 473, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning the granting of licenses to sell strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer within the limit of incorporated cities," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 520, entitled

An Act to facilitate judicial proceedings in counties having a population of over one hundred thousand in this State,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Lake, the House adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, April 9th, 1884.

At 10 o'clock the House met.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Steiner.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared
and answered to their names:

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Neighbour, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Assembly Bill No. 516, entitled

An Act providing that all veterans of the late war and who are now serving in the National Guard be entitled to all tax-exemption privileges under existing laws,

Favorably,

Senate Concurrent Resolution, No. 2,

Concurrent Resolution proposing amendments to the constitution,

With amendments,

Senate Joint Resolution, No. 9,

Requesting Congress to pass a bill to promote the efficiency of the revenue marine service,

Favorably,

Senate Bill No. 251, entitled

An Act respecting appeals from the decision, report or award of commissioners appointed to appraise real estate, land or materials taken or condemned by law,

Favorably.

Assembly Bill No. 491, entitled

An Act to authorize the managers of the State Lunatic Asylum to purchase additional land,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Coombs, Doremus, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lake, Lehlbach, Neighbour, North, Robbins, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—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. Armitage, Chairman of the Committee on Reform Schools, reported

Senate Bill No. 228, entitled

An Act for the support of the Reform School for Boys,

Favorably.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
Mr. Speaker— April 9th, 1884. }

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills :

Assembly Bill No. 77, entitled

A Further Supplement to the act entitled, "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 235, entitled

An Act providing for the publication of laws in the New Jersey Coast Pilot,

Without amendments.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Said bills having passed both Houses, were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills, with the following certificate endorsed on the same :

"I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

HENRY D. WINTON,

Clerk."

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
Mr. Speaker— April 9th, 1884. }

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bill :

Senate Bill No. 256, entitled

An Act relating to township boards of health,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

• WILLIAM A. STILES,

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,
Mr. Speaker— April 9th, 1884. }

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has concurred in the resolution adopted by the House of Assembly, requesting his Excellency the Governor to return to that body, for further consideration,

Assembly Bill No. 348, entitled

An Act to validate and render more effective ordinances of boards of health and vital statistics of the several counties of this State,

WILLIAM A. STILES,

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,
Mr. Speaker— April 9th, 1884. }

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills :

Assembly Bill No. 287, entitled

A Supplement to the act to provide means for protection against fires in townships,

Assembly Bill No. 474, entitled

An Act providing further powers in localities governed by commissioners,

With amendments,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 474, entitled

An Act providing further powers in localities governed by commissioners,

Correctly engrossed.

The amendments made in the Senate were read a second time and ordered to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 175, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "A further supplement to an act concerning corporations,"

Was taken up on its third reading, and, on motion of Mr. Cole, laid over until to-morrow.

Mr. Rich, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Senate Bill No. 259, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act to authorize townships to employ police," approved February twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Favorably.

Assembly Bill No. 498, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An Act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Mills, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Weaver—32.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Boud, Chattle, Coombs, Doremus, Haines, Irons, Keasbey, Larison, Ludlam, Neighbour, North, Robbins, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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. Flynn, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 541, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize any city of the State to enter into contracts with railroad companies whose roads enter their corporate limits,

Which was ordered printed without reference.

Assembly Bill No. 529, entitled

An Act relative to the State's and the public right in lands under tide-water or that have heretofore been under tide-water, and grants of the riparian commissioners thereof, and to secure the restoration to the State and the public, and private parties, rights in the public tide-water basin at Jersey City, established by act of the legislature in the year eighteen hundred and seventy-two,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Mr. Ross, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 542, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act to prevent willful trespass on lands," approved February seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws.

Senate Bill No. 205, entitled

An Act concerning the salaries of officers in cities and townships of this State,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, said bill was taken up and read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—31.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Campbell, Coombs, Dickinson, Haines, Harrison, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, North, Prall, Rue, See, Stafford, Woodruff—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.

On motion of Mr. Fish, the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 452, entitled

An Act to enlarge and confer additional power upon boards of health in cities of this State,

Was ordered to a third reading, was reconsidered.

The bill was then taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered and to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 124, entitled

An Act to repeal the act entitled "An act limiting the time for commencing actions against assignee of any person or persons making an assignment for the benefit of his or their creditors," approved March twelfth, one thousand-eight hundred and eighty,

Was read a second time, and ordered to a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, said bill was taken up and read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Scott, See, Steljes, Weaver, Woodruff, Wortendyke—43.

In the negative—none.

Assembly Bill No. 526, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to ascertain the rights of the State and of the riparian owners in the lands lying under the waters of the bay of New York and elsewhere in this State," approved April eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 474, entitled

An Act providing further powers in localities governed by commissioners,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Carson, Chattle, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—39.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 422, entitled

An Act to provide for the payment of the expenses of a special committee of the House of Assembly to investigate the accounts of the comptroller and other State officers,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Lake, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins,

Ross, Rue, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker)
Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—40.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Cole, Keasbey—2.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 531, entitled

An Act to give certain firemen the same advantages in respect to taxes and jury duty as members of the National Guard,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Keasbey, Lake, Lehlbach, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Rue, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker) Weaver, Woodruff—33.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Carson, Doremus, Harrison, Larison, Ludlam, Robbins, Stafford, Wortendyke—9.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 526, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to ascertain the rights of the State and of the riparian owners in the lands lying under the waters of the bay of New York and elsewhere

in this State," approved April eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Ross, the House adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At 3 o'clock the House met.

Upon calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names :

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Mr. Prall, Chairman of the Committee on Banks and Insurance, reported

Senate Bill No. 165, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize and regulate the business of banking," approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Favorably.

Assembly Bill No. 271, entitled

An Act to prevent cattle pasturing or running at large on the streets or highways in the townships,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Doremus, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Jenkins, Jernee, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Robbins, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Woodruff, Wortendyke—35.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Neighbour, Ross—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.

Senate Bill No. 71, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act constituting district courts in certain cities in this State," approved March ninth, eighteen hundred and seventy-seven,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, said bill was taken up and read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Campbell, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Lari-

son, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Scott, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff—33.

In the negative, was—

Mr. O'Connor—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.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 11,

Authorizing the purchase of a historical painting representing the presentation of Molly Pitcher to Washington,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Lupton, McLaughlin, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Robbins, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—42.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Harrison, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Rich—4.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

A message was received from the Governor at the hands of his Private Secretary, Willard Fisk, transmitting to the House the following report:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Trenton, April 9th, 1884. }

Hon. A. B. Stoney, Speaker of the General Assembly :

SIR—I return herewith, as requested by a resolution,

Assembly Bill No. 348, entitled

An Act to validate and render more effective ordinances of boards of health and vital statistics of the several counties of this State.

LEON ABBETT,

Governor.

Mr. Rich, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Senate Bill No. 7, entitled

A Supplement to chapter XI. of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

Senate Bill No. 234, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled “An act for the more easy partition of lands held by coparceners, joint tenants and tenants in common,” approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Bill No. 230, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled “An act relative to sales of lands under a public statute or by virtue of any judicial proceedings,” (Revision) approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Favorably.

Senate Bill No. 162, entitled

An Act to enforce the payment of taxes in cities of this State,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Holzwarth, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Ross, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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.

Assembly Bill No. 440, entitled

An Act to amend the practice act, approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 533, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning evidence" (Revision),

Were severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 259, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act to authorize townships to employ police," approved February twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Carson, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lupton, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Robbins, Rue, Scott, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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. McLaughlin, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 538, entitled

Supplement to the act incorporating the inhabitants of townships, designating their powers and regulating their meetings,

Assembly Bill No. 527, entitled

An Act in relation to life insurance corporations,

Assembly Bill No. 537, entitled

An Act to authorize cities to fix salary of recorders,

Senate Bill No. 246, entitled

An Act for the appointment of a commissioner of taxes and assessments in cities of this State.

Senate Bill No. 240, entitled

An Act to authorize townships to borrow money for road purposes,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Byrnes, Caminade, Carson, Flynn, Harrigan, Hough, Jernee, North, Rue, Steljes—11.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Doremus, Harrison, Holzwarth, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Neighbour, Prall, Robbins, Ross, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—21.

Mr. Chapman offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the privileges of the floor of the House of Assembly be extended to the Hon. C. Morehead, Commissioner-General of the World Industrial and Cotton Centennial Exposition, to be opened in New Orleans next December.

Assembly Bill No. 447, entitled

A Supplement to an act for organization of National Guard of New Jersey,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, O'Donnell, Prall, Robbins, Rue, Scott, See, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—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. Cole, the vote by which

Senate Bill No. 231, entitled

An Act to regulate the constructing and maintaining across the fresh water streams of this State of pipe lines through which petroleum is conveyed, and to place such pipe lines under the control of the State commissioners of water supply,

Was ordered to a third reading, was reconsidered.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 429, entitled

An Act to provide for making and giving official bonds by clerks and treasurers of boroughs and villages,

Assembly Bill No. 452, entitled

An Act to enlarge and confer additional power upon boards of health in cities of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 397, entitled

An Act concerning cities,

Assembly Bill No. 137, entitled

An Act in relation to suits in the court of chancery,

Correctly engrossed.

Mr. Cole offered the following amendment to

Senate Bill No. 231, entitled

An Act to regulate the constructing and maintaining across the fresh water streams of this State of pipe lines through which petroleum is conveyed, and to place such pipe lines under the control of the State commissioners of water supply:

Strike out section 12, and make section 13 section 12,

Which was agreed to by a *viva voce* vote.

Mr. Flynn moved to reconsider the vote by which the amendment was adopted,

Which was not agreed to, by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Byrnes, Caminade, Chapman, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Irons, Larison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Mills, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Scott, Steljes, Weaver, Wortendyke—21.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Carson, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Harrison, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, North, Ross, Rue, See, Stafford, Stonéy (Speaker), Wildrick—22.

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 419, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to sales of land under a public statute or by virtue of any judicial proceedings," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Fish, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, North, O'Donnell, Prall, Robbins, Rue, Scott, See, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—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. Fish, the House adjourned.

THURSDAY, April 10th, 1884.

At 10 o'clock the House met.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Barry.

Upon calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Senate Joint Resolution No. 3, entitled

Joint Resolution to Congress relative to the establishment of a penal colony,

Was read a third time, and laid over.

Assembly Bill No. 324, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to sales of land under a public statute or by virtue of any judicial proceedings," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Boud, Budd, Cadmus, Caminade, Carson, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, North, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Ross, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Woodruff, Wortendyke—37.

In the negative—none.

Senate Bill No. 165, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize and regulate the business of banking," approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Caminade, Carson, Chattle, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Holzwarth, Irons, Jernee, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Robbins, Ross, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—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.

Mr. Cole moved to commit

Assembly Bill No. 541 entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize any city of the State to enter into contracts with railroad companies whose roads enter their corporate limits,

To Committee on Corporations,

Which was not agreed to, by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Caminade, Chapman, Cole, Dickinson^a Fish, Flynn, Holzwarth, Hough, Jenkins, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, North, O'Connor, Steljes, Woodruff—17.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Coombs, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, Mills, Neighbour, O'Donnell, Prall, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—40.

Mr. Cole moved the bill be laid over until next Monday evening, which was not agreed to :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Bell, Burgess, Caminade, Chapman, Cole, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Jenkins, Keasbey, Kelly, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, North, O'Connor, Prall, Steljes, Woodruff—23.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Boud, Branning, Budd, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Coombs, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Irons, Jernee, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, Mills, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—33.

On motion of Mr. Lehlbach, the consideration of the bill was laid over until the afternoon.

Mr. Flynn consented to the above motion, on the understanding that the bill be considered as the first business of the afternoon.

Assembly Bill No. 453, entitled

An Act relating to the improvement of streets in cities of this State, and authorizing such cities to issue loan certificates to pay the costs of such improvements,

Was taken up on second reading.

Mr. Harrigan moved to amend the bill,

Which was agreed to by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Boud, Branning, Byrnes, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Mills, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—34.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Bell, Campbell, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Keasbey, Lehlbach, See—11.

Mr. Lehlbach offered a substitute for

Assembly Bill No. 453, entitled

An Act relating to the improvement of streets in cities of this State, and authorizing such cities to issue loan certificates to pay the costs of such improvements,

An act to amend an act entitled "An act relating to the improvement of streets and the construction of sewers in the cities of this State," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

1. BE IT ENACTED by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, That the first section of the said act be amended so as to read as follows: That it shall be lawful for the common council or other legislative or governing body of any city in this State, whenever in its judgment such action shall seem judicious, to raise, in its annual tax ordinance, a capital fund to be used exclusively in the improvement of its streets

and the construction of necessary sewers therein; which said fund, so raised in the several cities of this State, shall not exceed in any one year the following amounts, viz.: in cities having a population of one hundred and fifty thousand, a sum not exceeding ——— dollars; in cities having a population of fifty thousand and not more than one hundred thousand, a sum not exceeding twenty-five thousand dollars; in cities having a population of twenty-five thousand and not more than fifty thousand, a sum not exceeding ten thousand dollars; and in cities having a population less than twenty-five thousand, a sum not exceeding ——— dollars.

2. *And be it enacted*, That this act shall take effect immediately.

After a long debate on adoption of the same, Mr. Cole moved the previous question.

The main question was then ordered by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Burgess, Byrnes, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—42.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Doremus, Harrison—3.

The Substitute was then lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Campbell, Carson, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lupton, North, Rue, See, Stafford, Weaver, Woodruff—23.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—33.

Mr. Armstrong offered the following amendment, which was lost :

Add to section 6 of Assembly Bill No. 453 ; provided, however, that nothing in this act shall be construed to allow the increase of the total indebtedness of any city, maximum amount of indebtedness allowed is now fixed by law.

Mr. Keasbey offered an amendment to the bill to the effect that before money can be spent for improvement of streets the matter should be submitted to a vote of the people,

Which was lost, by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Burgess, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lupton, North, Rue, Woodruff—24.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Clarke, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—29.

Mr. Rich, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Senate Bill No. 247, entitled

An Act entitled "An act relating to the depth and construction of foundation walls of buildings and the responsibility of adjoining property owners to each other in cities in the State of New Jersey,"

Favorably.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 10th, 1884. }
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. 126, entitled

An Act to empower notaries public with the power of commissioner of deeds,

With amendments,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The amendments were read, and ordered to have a second reading.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 10th, 1884. }
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. 264, entitled

An Act to authorize townships to compromise bonded indebtedness by the issue of new bonds,

Senate Bill No. 266, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a system of public instruction" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Joint Resolution No. 11, entitled

Joint Resolution to enable the Senate of New Jersey to take part in the ceremonies attending the unveiling at Freehold, New Jersey, of the monument to commemorate the battle of Monmouth,

Senate Joint Resolution No. 4, entitled

Joint Resolution relating to the abolishment of quarantine dues upon certain vessels engaged in the coasting trade,

Senate Bill No. 260, entitled

An Act concerning the lighting of streets and public places in townships,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The message was taken up, and the Senate bills severally read a first time by their titles, and ordered to have a second reading, and referred to their appropriate committees.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 499, entitled

An Act concerning horse railroads,

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 19,

Asking congress for the maintenance of free and unobstructed navigation of the Kill Von Kull,

Correctly engrossed.

Mr. McLaughlin, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No. 232, entitled

An Act to authorize cities to order and regulate the construction of sidewalks, and to provide for the payment of the expense thereof,

Senate Bill No. 211, entitled

An Act concerning cities,

Favorably.

Mr. Wortendyke, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, reported

Senate Joint Resolution No. 11, entitled

Joint Resolution to enable the Senate of New Jersey to take part in the ceremonies attending the unveiling at Freehold, New Jersey, of the monument to commemorate the battle of Monmouth,

Favorably.

On motion of Mr. Rich, the House adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At 3 o'clock, the House met.

Upon calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Mr. Rich, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No. 540, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act to secure to creditors an equal and just division of the estates of debtors who convey to assignees for the benefit of creditors,"

Assembly Bill No. 535, entitled

A Supplement to an act for the formation of borough governments,

Assembly Bill No. 542, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act to prevent willful trespass on lands," approved February seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven.

The amendments made in the committee were read and adopted.

Mr. Flynn offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the Secretary of State be requested to furnish the copy, and the current printer authorized to print one thousand copies of the annual election returns of New Jersey, from the year 1876 to 1883, inclusive, for the use of the members of the House.

Substitute for resolution adopted April 7th, 1884.

Mr. Prall offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That on Tuesday A. M., next, and thereafter, after the transaction of preliminary business, the roll of the House be called, and that each member, as his name is called, have permission to call up any bill, either Assembly or Senate, and to have the same put upon its third reading; provided, that House bills, to which the Senate has made amendments, may be taken up at any time.

The resolution was ordered to lie over twenty-four hours, being in the nature of an amendment to the rules.

Mr. Armstrong offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That when this House adjourn it be to meet this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

The following message was received from the Senate:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,

SENATE CHAMBER,

April 10th, 1884.

Mr. Speaker:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has concurred in the following resolution, relating to the patent laws of the United States:

WHEREAS, The incentive and rewards given to inventors by the constitution of the United States and the laws of Congress passed thereunder, have done more, perhaps, than any one cause, to advance our whole country to the front rank in wealth, resources and industries among all nations of the world; and whereas, any material change in those laws would seriously retard our material progress as a people; therefore,

1. BE IT RESOLVED *by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey*, That our Senators and Representatives in the Congress of the United States are respectfully requested to oppose the passage of any bill which would have the effect of discouraging inventions, by impairing the value of patented property, or of imposing any conditions on the owners of such property in prosecuting and maintaining their rights to the full value of their said property, which are not equally applicable under the laws of Congress to the rights of all property, and

the remedies provided to protect the same, for all citizens of our entire country.

2. *And be it resolved*, That we heartily approve of such amendments to existing patent laws as shall provide speedy and full punishment for all persons who appropriate the patented property of others without authority of law, and manufacture and sell the same to innocent purchasers and users thereof, to the great annoyance, in some cases, of the user, and to the great injury of the rightful owner of such property in all cases.

3. *And be it resolved*, That a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to our Senators and Representatives in Congress.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Wildrick, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 539, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning corporations" (Revision), approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Favorably,

Senate Bill No. 260, entitled

An Act concerning the lighting of streets and public places in townships,

Senate Bill No. 264, entitled

An Act to authorize townships to compromise bonded indebtedness by the issue of new bonds,

Without recommendation.

Mr. McLaughlin, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 536, entitled

An Act to further amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of commissioners to determine upon plans for storage of any of the waters of this State for the purpose of furnishing to cities and towns a joint water supply," approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

Favorably.

Assembly Bill No. 465, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of the State," approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Flynn, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Mills, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Woodruff—24.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Caminade, Carson, Cole, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Mills, Neighbour, North, Rue, Savage, Scott, Wildrick, Wortendyke—28.

Mr. Harrigan moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was lost.

Mr. Clarke moved to lay the motion on the table,

Which was agreed to, by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Irons, Jernee,

Kelly, Lake, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Mills, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—30.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Bell, Burgess, Cadmus, Caminade, Carson, Cole, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Neighbour, North, Rue, Savage, Weaver—21.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 11, entitled

Joint Resolution to enable the Senate of New Jersey to take part in the ceremonies attending the unveiling at Freehold, New Jersey, of the monument to commemorate the battle of Monmouth,

Was read a second time, and ordered to a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, said bill was taken up and read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker) Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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. Burgess offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted :

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That his Excellency the Governor be and he is hereby requested to return to this House, Assembly Bill No. 133.

The following message was received by the Senate:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
Mr. Speaker— April 10th, 1884. }

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills:

Assembly Bill No. 231, entitled

Supplement to the act to facilitate the collection of certain premiums for the benevolent funds of fire departments of cities, from fire insurance companies not organized under the laws of this State but doing business therein,

Assembly Bill No. 458, entitled

An Act to regulate the salaries of commissioners of assessment and revision of taxes in cities of the first class,

Assembly Bill No. 491, entitled

An Act to authorize the managers of the State Lunatic Asylum to purchase additional land,

Without amendments.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Said bills having passed both Houses, were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills, with the following certificate endorsed on the same:

"I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

HENRY D. WINTON,

Clerk."

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

Mr. Speaker—

	STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
	SENATE CHAMBER,	
	April 10th, 1884.	

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills:

Assembly Bill No. 138, entitled

An Act concerning incorporated towns and certain officers thereof,

Assembly Bill No. 437, entitled

An Act to fix the salaries of the clerks of the Committee on Engrossed Bills and document clerk of the House of Assembly,

With amendments,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The amendments made in the Senate were read and ordered to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 453, entitled

An Act relating to the improvement of streets in cities of this State, and authorizing such cities to issue loan certificates to pay the costs of such improvements,

Was taken up on second reading as the unfinished business of the morning.

Mr. Cole offered the following amendment:

Amend section 2, line 1, after word "council," insert the words "by three-fourths vote."

The amendment was read, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Carson, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Hoffman, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, North, Rue, Stafford, Weaver, Woodruff—19.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Branning, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Chat-
tle, Clarke, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Harrison,
Jernee, Kelly, Larison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Mills,
Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Ross,
Savage, Scott, Steljes, Wildrick, Wortendyke—28.

Mr. Lehlbach offered the following amendment :

Amend section 3, line 5, by inserting the word “not” after the word “may;” and line 6, after the word “of,” the words “one-half of the lineal feet of.”

Mr. Prall offered the following amendment to the above amend-
ment :

In lieu of the word “one-half,” the word “one-third,”

Which was adopted.

The amendment as amended was then lost.

Mr. Cole offered the following amendment :

Strike out the words, “without the request or consent,” and insert in lieu thereof, the words “with the consent of one-half.”

Mr. Keasbey offered the following amendment :

Amend the amendment offered by Mr. Prall by substituting amendment offered by Mr. Cole.

The amendments were lost by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Caminade, Carson, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, North, Rue, Weaver, Woodruff—19.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Branning, Byrnes, Chapman, Clarke, Flynn, Harrigan, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Mills, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—24.

Mr. Armstrong moved to reconsider the vote by which his amendment, offered in the morning, was lost.

Which was not agreed to, by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Carson, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, North, Rue, Woodruff—19.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Byrnes, Chapman, Clarke, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Wildrick, Wortendyke—25.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 437, entitled

An Act to fix the salaries of the clerks of the Committee on Engrossed Bills and document clerk of the House,

With Senate amendments, correctly engrossed.

A message was received from the Governor at the hands of his Private Secretary, Willard Fisk, transmitting to the House the following report :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Mr. Speaker— April 10th, 1884. }

I have this day approved and signed the following bill, which originated in the House of Assembly, and have delivered the same to the Secretary of State, to be filed in his office:

Assembly Bill No. 313, entitled

An Act for the taxation of railroads and canals.

LEON ABBETT,

Governor.

Assembly Bill No. 541, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize any city of the State to enter into contracts with railroads companies whose roads enter their corporate limits,

Was taken up on its second reading.

Mr. Prall offered the following amendment to Assembly Bill No. 541:

Strike out all of section 1, line 23, after the words "that is to say," and insert in lieu thereof the words, "the said city board may authorize any such railroad, in behalf of the city, to do so; *provided, however,* that such company shall pay all the damages, if any, suffered by any person or corporation by reason of such change of grade; the damages to be assessed by a commission of three persons, to be appointed by a judge of the supreme court on the application of any person interested,"

Which was lost, by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Bell, Burgess, Chapman, Cole, Dickinson, Fish, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Mills, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Steljes, Woodruff—21.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Branning, Byrnes, Caminade, Carson, Coombs, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Irons, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, North, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—23.

Mr. Cole moved to adjourn,

Which was lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Boud, Chapman, Flynn, Irons, Jernee, Lake, Wildrick—8.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Caminade, Carson, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Keasbey, Kelly, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Woodruff, Wortendyke—26.

Mr. Burgess moved to postpone the further consideration of

Assembly Bill No. 541, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize any city of the State to enter into contracts with railroad companies whose roads enter their corporate limits,

Until Monday evening,

Which was agreed to, by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Fish, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Woodruff—23.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Boud, Caminade, Carson, Coombs, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Irons, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, Mills, North, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—19.

On motion of Mr. Savage, the House adjourned.

EVENING SESSION.

At 8 o'clock the House met.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Mills, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 10th, 1884. }

Mr. Speaker—

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has concurred in the resolution requesting the Governor to return to the House, for further consideration,

Assembly Bill No. 133, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the better protection of sheriffs," approved March sixth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

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,	
<i>Mr. Speaker :</i>	April 10th, 1884.	

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills :

Assembly Bill No. 398, entitled

An Act to repeal the first section of the act entitled "An act for the protection of fish,"

Assembly Bill No. 353, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act concerning the protection of the public health and the record of vital facts and statistics relating thereto, approved March eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, and the supplements thereto,

Assembly Bill No. 421, entitled

An Act authorizing the publication of all legal advertisements and other notices in certain newspapers in this State which have been published for at least one year,

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Said bills having passed both Houses, were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills, with the following certificate endorsed on the same :

"I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

HENRY D. WINTON,

Clerk."

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 533, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning evidence" (Revision),

Correctly engrossed.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 437, entitled

An Act to fix the salaries of the clerks of the Committee on Engrossed Bills and document clerk of the House of Assembly,

Were read, and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Byrnes, Caminade, Carson, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Mills, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wil-drick, Wortendyke—38.

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,
April 10th, 1884. }

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. 424, entitled

An Act to confirm the incorporation and proceedings of Evangelical Lutheran Churches,

Assembly Bill No. 331, entitled

An Act concerning the appointment of assessors in cities of the first class,

Assembly Bill No. 462, 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. 524, entitled

An Act entitled "An act for the better securing and enjoyment of wages to workingmen and laborers in the State of New Jersey,"

Assembly Bill No. 475, entitled

An Act to authorize the conveyance of certain lands belonging to the State of New Jersey, situated in the township of Ewing, and county of Mercer,

With amendment,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The Senate amendments were read, and ordered to have a third reading.

The vote by which Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 524, entitled

An Act entitled "An act for the better securing and enjoyment of wages to workingmen and laborers in the State of New Jersey,"

Were ordered to have a third reading, was reconsidered, and bill laid over.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows :

	STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
	SENATE CHAMBER,	
<i>Mr. Speaker—</i>	April 10th, 1884.	

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills :

Senate Bill No. 268, entitled

An Act for the better protection of life,

Senate Bill No. 267, entitled

An Act respecting the office of commissioner of railroad taxation,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The message was taken up, and the Senate bills severally read a first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to their appropriate committees.

Mr. Cole offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted :

Resolved, That when this House adjourn it adjourn until Saturday, at 10 A. M., thence to Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

The following message was received from the Senate :

	STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
	SENATE CHAMBER,	
<i>Mr. Speaker—</i>	April 10th, 1884.	

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bill :

Assembly Bill No. 378, entitled

An Act to provide for the imposition of State taxes upon certain corporations, and for the collection thereof,

With amendments,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 378, entitled

An Act to provide for the imposition of State taxes upon certain corporations, and for the collection thereof,

Were read a second time, and, under suspension of the rules, the bill was ordered to a third reading.

The bill was then read a third time, and the question was then put by the Speaker, "Shall the House concur in the Senate amendments?"

Mr. Clarke moved to reconsider the vote by which the amendments were ordered to a third reading,

Which was not agreed to by a *viva voce* vote.

The amendments were not concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Caminade, Coombs, Haines, Hough, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Ludlam, North, Ross, Rue, Wildrick—14.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Irons, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Mills; O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Savage, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wortendyke—28.

The House of Assembly having non-concurred in the amendments made in the Senate, to Assembly Bill No. 378

Mr. Flynn offered the following resolution, which was read :

Resolved, That the House request that a committee of five be appointed on the part of the Senate to meet a like committee to be appointed by the Speaker, on the part of the House, to confer on said bill, with the Senate amendments thereto.

Mr. Armstrong offered the following amendment, which was read and lost :

Strike out "5" and insert "3."

The original resolution was then adopted.

The Speaker appointed the following Conference Committee on Assembly Bill No. 378 :

Messrs. Flynn, O'Connor, Savage, Burgess and Rue.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 41, entitled

An Act to regulate the holding of, and to prevent frauds in, the primary elections of the several political parties in the State of New Jersey,

Were read a third time, and concurred in by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Carson, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Keasbey, Lake, Lehlbach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Rue, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—33.

In the negative—none.

Assembly Bill No. 537, entitled

An Act to authorize cities to fix salary of recorders,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Byrnes, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Hough, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wil-drick, Wortendyke—38.

In the negative—none.

On motion of Mr. Bell, the House adjourned.

SATURDAY, April 12th, 1884.

At 10 o'clock A. M. the House met.

Upon calling the roll, the following gentleman answered to his name :

Mr. Caminade,

Mr. Caminade, Speaker *pro tem.*, in the chair.

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem.* declared the House adjourned until Monday evening, at eight o'clock.

MONDAY EVENING, April 14th, 1884.

At 8 o'clock the House met.

Prayer was offered by Rev. C. C. Steiner.

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names :

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wil-drick, Wortendyke.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 9,

Requesting Congress to pass a bill to promote the efficiency of the revenue marine service,

Was read a second time, and ordered to have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Neigh-

bour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—44.

In the negative—none.

Mr. Stoney, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 543, entitled

An Act concerning railroad companies,

Which was placed on the calendar without reference, under suspension of the rules.

Mr. Fish, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 544, entitled

An Act relative to the State board of assessors,

Which was read a first time by title, ordered to be placed on the calendar without reference, under suspension of the rules.

Mr. Applegate, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 545, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a system of public instruction," approved March seventeenth, 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 Education.

Mr. Cadmus, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 546, entitled

An Act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of impure and imitation dairy products,

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Harrigan, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 547, entitled

An Act creating the office of State inspector of railroads, and prescribing the powers and duties appertaining to such office,

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. Chapman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 548, entitled

An Act to provide for an exhibit of the manufactures, products and resources of the State of New Jersey in the World's Industrial and Cotton Centennial Exposition, to be opened in New Orleans on the first Monday in December,

Which was read a first time by title, and, under suspension of the rules, ordered to be placed on the calendar without reference.

Mr. See, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 549, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to secure creditors an equal and just division of the estates of debtors who convey to assignees for the benefit of creditors" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws.

Mr. North, on leave, introduced

Concurrent Resolution, No. 3,

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, when appointed.

Mr. Armstrong offered the following resolution, which was read :

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That the Legislature adjourn *sine die* April 18th, at 12 o'clock noon.

Mr. Chapman moved to lay the resolution on table.

Mr. Cole called for the ayes and noes.

The call was sustained.

The resolution was laid on the table by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Clarke, Harrigan, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Savage, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortenkyke—25.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Campbell, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lup-ton, North, Rue, Stafford, Weaver—22.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 374, entitled

A Supplement to an act relative to the publication of the laws of this State in the newspapers, approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Correctly engrossed.

Mr. Neighbour offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted :

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That a joint meeting of both Houses be held in the Assembly Chamber, at 12 o'clock

noon, on Wednesday, the sixteenth day of April, instant, for the election of comptroller and all such officers as it is proper for said joint meeting to elect.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 10, entitled

Joint Resolution authorizing the Governor, upon the request of the commissioners of State water supply, to communicate with the authorities of the State of New York in relation to the waters flowing into New Jersey from that State,

Was read a second time, and ordered to a third reading, and,

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Bell, Branning, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Jenkins, Jernee, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Prall, Ross, Rue, See, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—39.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Doremus—1.

Mr. Prall called up his resolution, that the roll be called, and each member should have permission to call up any bill for final passage.

The resolution was then adopted by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, Prall, Rue, Scott, See, Weaver, Woodruff—30.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Branning, Burgess, Chapman, Clarke, Harrigan, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Ludlam, McLaughlin, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—21.

A message was received from the Governor at the hands of his Private Secretary, Willard Fisk, transmitting to the House the following report:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Trenton, April 14th, 1884. }

Hon. A. B. Stoney, Speaker of General Assembly:

SIR—I return herewith, as requested, to the House of Assembly, where it originated,

Assembly Bill No. 133, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled “An act for the better protection of sheriffs,” approved March sixth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine.

Respectfully,

LEON ABBETT,

Governor.

Assembly Bill No. 536, entitled

An Act to further amend an act entitled “An act to provide for the appointment of commissioners to determine upon plans for storage of any of the waters of this State for the purpose of furnishing to cities and towns a joint water supply,” approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

Was read a second time, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 99, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled “An act concerning roads,” approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 246, entitled

An Act for the appointment of a commissioner of taxes and assessments in cities of this State,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Mr. Wortendyke, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, reported

Assembly Bill No. 546, entitled

An Act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of impure and imitation dairy products.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 228, entitled

An Act to regulate fees and expenses of constables in criminal cases,

Were read a third time, and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Prall, Robbins, Ross, Rue, See, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—34.

In the negative—none.

Assembly Bill No. 280, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the collection of demands against ships, steamboats and other vessels," approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven,

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Bell, Byrnes, Caminade, Chattle, Harrison, Holzwarth, Irons, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Prall, Rue, See—13.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Branning, Burgess, Campbell, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Jenkins, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick—27.

The following message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

	STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
	SENATE CHAMBER,	
<i>Mr. Speaker—</i>	April 14th, 1884.	

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed a resolution requesting the House of Assembly to return to the Senate, for further consideration,

Assembly Bill No. 138, entitled

An Act concerning incorporated towns and certain officers thereof,

And

Assembly Bill No. 450, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act concerning corporations.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 264, entitled

An Act to authorize townships to compromise bonded indebtedness by the issue of new bonds,

Was read a second time, and ordered to have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Robbins, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—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.

Senate Bill No. 234, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the more easy partition of lands held by coparceners, joint tenants and tenants in common," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was read a second time and ordered to a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Campbell, Chattle, Coombs, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rue, Savage, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—33.

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,
Mr. Speaker— April 14th, 1884. }

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 legislature adjourn *sine die* on Friday, April 18th, at 12 o'clock noon.

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,
Secretary of the Senate.

The resolution contained in the above message was read,

Mr. Chapman moved to lay the resolution on the table, which was agreed to, by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Branning, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Irons, Kelly, Lake, Larison, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—29.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Campbell, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, North, Rue, See, Stafford—23.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
Mr. Speaker— April 14th, 1884. }

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate requests the return of

Assembly Bill No. 331, entitled

An Act concerning the appointment of assessors in cities of the first class,

For further consideration.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

There being no objections, the request in the above message was complied with.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,

SENATE CHAMBER,

April 14th, 1884. }

Mr. Speaker—

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has concurred in the request of the House of Assembly to appoint a conference committee on

Assembly Bill No. 378, entitled

An Act to provide for the imposition of State taxes upon certain corporations, and for the collection thereof,

And the President has appointed, as such committee, Senators Griggs, Stainsby, Hires, Doughty and Cochran.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The following resolution was read:

WHEREAS, A large delegation of the citizens of Jersey City are now on the floor of this House who desire to be heard in relation to Assembly Bill No. 541; *and whereas*, this bill seems to be one of great importance not only to Jersey City, but to all sections of our State; therefore,

Resolved, That said bill be referred to the appropriate com-

mittee, in order that the gentleman before referred to, and all who desire to be heard, may have an opportunity to-night, immediately after the adjournment of this House.

The resolution was read, and adopted by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Campbell, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Keasbey, Kelly, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Rue, See, Steljes, Wortendyke—32.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Coombs, Flynn, North, Savage, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker)—6.

Assembly Bill No. 541, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize any city of the State to enter into contracts with railroad companies whose roads enter their corporate limits,

Was then referred to the Committee on Railroads and Canals.

Mr. Armstrong offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That 300 copies of the Attorney-General's opinion on Assembly Bill No. 518 be printed for the use of the House.

Senate Bill No. 232, entitled

An Act to authorize cities to order and regulate the construction of sidewalks, and to provide for the payment of the expense thereof,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Mr. Keasbey offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That Senate Bill No. 246 be reported with the amendments adopted by the House of Assembly.

Senate Bill No. 212, entitled

An Act to authorize cities to commute and adjust for a fixed sum the payment by abutting land owners of special sewer taxes,

Was read a second time, and ordered to a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Lake, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—36.

In the negative—none.

The following opinion was received from the Attorney-General:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
OFFICE OF ATTORNEY-GENERAL, }
Trenton, April 13th, 1884.

Hon. Alfred B. Stoney, Speaker of the House.

MR. SPEAKER—The House of Assembly have requested me to inform them whether, in my opinion, Assembly Bill No. 518 is constitutional.

The act is entitled “An act to provide for the assessment and collection of a tax upon property transported by railroad or canal into this State, in order to enable the State to protect such property, and to pay for losses caused thereto by violence or insurrection.”

The first section enacts that on all freight transported from any point beyond the State of New Jersey into the State, upon

any railroad or canal, there shall be assessed and paid a State tax equal to two per centum of freightage charged.

Both by its title and enacting clause this bill has for its object the taxation of freight transported from points outside of our territorial limits to points within the State; *provided*, it be transported upon railroads or canals. In my opinion, the act under consideration is repugnant to that provision in the constitution of the United States which declares that Congress shall have power to regulate commerce with foreign nations, and among the several States and with the Indian tribes.

It has been settled upon the most solemn deliberation that this power is exclusive in the government of the United States. *Gibbons v. Ogden*, 9 Wheat. 198; *Brown v. Maryland*, 12 Wheat. 419; 1 Tucker's Black. Com., App. 180, 309; *North River Steamboat Co. v. Livingston*, 3 Cowen 713.

The power to regulate commerce is general and unlimited in its terms. The full power to regulate a particular subject implies the whole power and leaves no *residuum*.

A grant of the whole is incompatible with the existence of a right in another to any part of it. A grant of a power to regulate necessarily excludes the action of all others who would perform the same operation on the same thing. Regulation is designed to indicate the entire result, applying to those parts which remain as they were as well as to those which are altered. It produces a uniform whole which is as much disturbed and deranged by changing what the regulating power designs to have unbounded as that on which it has operated. Story on the Constitution, § 1067.

Chief Justice Beasley, delivering the opinion of the Court of Errors and Appeals, in the case of the Erie Railroad Company *v. the State*, 2 Vroom 539, commenting upon this clause of the constitution, said: "Interpreting the words of the constitution in the light of the evident purpose of those who employed them, it does not seem to me that the point in question is left in any obscurity. The object was to pass articles of traffic from one point in this country to another through intervening States, free of impost or duty by such States. The goods, the transportation of which is taxed under the present law, are such articles; nor has it been denied that such goods, while being thus transported, constitute a part of the commerce between the States."

In the case referred to, the act provided that all corporations

regularly doing business in this State, and not being corporations of this State, should be assessed and taxed for and in respect of the business by them done and transacted in this State in manner following, that is to say: Every such company so doing business shall pay a transit duty of three cents on every passenger and two cents on every ton of goods, wares and merchandise or other article carried or transported by or for such company on any railroad or canal in this State for any distance exceeding ten miles, except passengers and freight transported exclusively in this State.

The court held that it was an infringement of the clause of the constitution of the United States giving to Congress the regulation of commerce between the several States. The principal argument urged before the court in support of this law was that it *did not impose the duty on the goods* but on the business of the company, and on this account was not within the constitutional prohibition. But the court said the law discriminates and selects the transportation of the commodities passing from State to State as the peculiar object of the duty.

The Chief Justice says: "The result then is that this imposition on the business of transportation which, it is agreed is constitutional, produces the same effect, neither more nor less, upon the private business of the owner of the goods, as would be produced by a direct tax on the goods themselves, *which latter form of taxation would be undeniably unconstitutional.*"

The imbecility of the government established by the articles of confederation, and the necessity of giving to the national government the power to regulate commerce between the States as well as with foreign nations induced the States to surrender this power to the general government. "The interfering and unneighborly regulations of some States, contrary to the true spirit of the Union," says Mr. Hamilton, in the Federalist (number XXII.), "have in different instances given just cause of umbrage and complaint to others, and it is to be feared that examples of this nature, if not restrained by a national control, would be multiplied and extended till they became not less serious causes of animosity and discord than injurious impediments to the intercourse between the different parts of the confederacy." Mr. Story says: "The importance of the power regulating commerce among the States, for the purposes of the Union, is scarcely less than that of regulating it with foreign States. A very material object of this power is the relief of the States which import

and export through other States, from the levy of improper contributions on them by the latter. If each State were at liberty to regulate the trade between State and State, it is easy to foresee that ways would be found out to load articles of import and export, during their passage through the jurisdiction, with duties which should fall on the makers of the latter and the consumers of the former. The experience of the American States during the confederation abundantly establishes that such arrangements could be, and would be made under the stimulating influence of local interests, and the desire of undue gain. Instead of acting as a nation in regard to foreign powers, the States individually commenced a system of restraint upon each other, whereby the interests of foreign powers were promoted at their expense. When one State imposed high duties on the goods or vessels of a foreign power to countervail the regulations of such powers, the next adjoining States imposed lighter duties to invite those articles into their port, that they might be transferred thence into the other States, securing the duties to themselves. This contracted policy in some of the States was soon counteracted by others. Restraints were immediately laid on such commerce by suffering States; and thus a state of affairs disorderly and unnatural grew up, the necessary tendency of which was to destroy the Union itself.

I am very truly yours,

JOHN P. STOCKTON,

Attorney-General.

Mr. Chapman moved to reconsider the vote by which the request of the Senate to return

Assembly Bill No. 331, entitled

An Act concerning the appointment of assessors in cities of the first class,

Was granted,

Which was agreed to.

The question then recurring on the adoption of the request of the Senate, the matter was laid over until to-morrow.

Mr. McLaughlin, on leave introduced

Assembly Bill No. 550, entitled

An Act for the better government of cities,

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Jenkins asked that the Committee on Engrossed Bills be instructed to report.

Pending the consideration of the motion, the House adjourned, on motion of Mr. Harrigan.

TUESDAY, April 15th, 1884.

At 10 o'clock the House met.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Newton.

Upon calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names :

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Rob-

bins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Wildrick, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No. 267, entitled

An Act respecting the office of commissioner of railroad taxation,

Senate Bill No. 256, entitled

An Act relating to township boards of health,

Favorably,

And

Senate Bill No. 1, entitled

An Act to protect all citizens in their civil and legal rights,

Without recommendation.

Mr. Budd, of the Committee on Commerce and Navigation, reported

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 3,

Favorably.

Assembly Bill No. 538, entitled

Supplement to the act incorporating the inhabitants of townships, designating their powers and regulating their meetings,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Mr. O'Connor moved to reconsider the vote by which the resolution to call the roll, in order to give each member an opportunity to call up one bill on final passage,

Which was not agreed to, by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Byrnes, Clarke, Doremus, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Kelly, Lake, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick—21.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Flynn, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, North, Prall, Rue, Scott, Stafford, Woodruff, Wortendyke—28.

Assembly Bill No. 543, entitled

An Act concerning railroad companies,

Assembly Bill No. 546, entitled

An Act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of impure and imitation dairy products,

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 510, entitled

Incidental bill,

Was taken up on second reading,

Item No. 2 was stricken out, on the motion of Mr. Cole, by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Branning, Byrnes, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Harrigan, Hough, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Ross, Savage, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver—21.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armstrong, Bell, Campbell, Carson, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Ludlam, North, Prall, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—27.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows :

	STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
	SENATE CHAMBER,	
<i>Mr. Speaker—</i>		1884.

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bill :

Assembly Bill No. 447, entitled

A Supplement to an act for organization of National Guard of New Jersey,

Without amendment.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Said bill having passed both Houses, was this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills, with the following certificate endorsed on the same :

“I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

HENRY D. WINTON,

Clerk.”

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows :

	STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
	SENATE CHAMBER,	
<i>Mr. Speaker—</i>	April 15th, 1884.	

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills :

Senate Bill No. 70, entitled

An Act to authorize the construction, curbing and paving of sidewalks and crosswalks in townships,

Senate Bill No. 272,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

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 15th, 1884. }

Mr. Speaker—

I am directed by the Sénate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bill:

Assembly Bill No. 416, entitled

An Act validating in certain cases sales and conveyances of lands situate in adjoining counties heretofore made by a sheriff of one of such counties,

With amendment,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The amendment was read, and ordered to have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the amendment was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Campbell, Carson, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—41..

In the negative—none.

Senate Bill No. 69, entitled

An Act concerning township ordinances,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Harrison, Holzwarth, Jernee, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Robbins, Rue, Scott, See, Stoney (Speaker), Woodruff, Wortendyke—35.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Hoffman, Irons, Lake, Rich, Ross, Weaver—6.

Senate Bill No. 1, entitled

An Act to protect all citizens in their civil and legal rights,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rue, Scott, See, Stoney (Speaker), Woodruff, Wortendyke—42.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Lake, Rich, Ross, Steljes, Wildrick—5.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 15th, 1884. }

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 his Excellency the Governor be requested to return to the Senate, for amendment,

Substitute for Senate Bill No. 124, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act limiting the time for commencing actions against assignee of any person or persons making an assignment for the benefit of his or their creditors," approved March twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The resolution was adopted.

Mr. Steljes, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Senate Bill No. 272, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning idiots and lunatics," approved March twenty-seven, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Favorably.

A message was received from the Governor at the hands of his Private Secretary, Willard Fisk, transmitting to the House the following report:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, }
Mr. Speaker— Trenton, April 14th, 1884. }

I have this day approved and signed the following bills, which originated in the House of Assembly, and have delivered the same to the Secretary of State, to be filed in his office:

Assembly Bill No. 211, entitled

An Act regulating lettings in cases where no definite time is fixed,

Assembly Bill No. 244, entitled

An Act empowering fish wardens to enforce game laws,

Assembly Bill No. 252, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to the publication of the laws in the newspapers," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Assembly Bill No. 409, entitled

An Act to provide for a standard time in the State of New Jersey,

Assembly Bill No. 484, entitled

An Act to authorize the sale and conveyance or lease of certain lands of the State of New Jersey, in the borough of Chambersburg, in the county of Mercer.

LEON ABBETT,

Governor.

Assembly Bill No. 154, entitled

An Act providing for the review of convictions and judgments for contempt of court,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Flynn, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Scott, See, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Woodruff—34.

In the negative, were—

³Messrs. Doremus, Fish, Irons, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Ludlam, Mills, Neighbour, Prall, Ross, Savage, Wildrick, Wortendyke—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.

Senate Bill No. 272, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled “An act concerning idiots and lunatics,” approved March twenty-seven, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Irons, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rue, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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 Governor's veto message on
Assembly Bill No. 380 entitled

An Act relative to assessments for sewers in cities of the first class,

Was taken up and read a second time,

The question was then put, "Shall this bill pass notwithstanding the Governor's objections?"

The objections were sustained by the following vote:

In the affirmative—none.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Boud, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Larison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Mills, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Ross, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—33.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 524, entitled

An Act entitled "An act for the better securing and enjoyment of wages to workingmen and laborers in the State of New Jersey,"

Were read a third time, and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Doremus,

Fish, Haines, Hoffman, Hough, Irons, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Robbins, Rue, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—34.

In the negative—none.

Assembly Bill No. 374, entitled

A Supplement to an act relative to the publication of the laws of this State in the newspapers, approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, .

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armstrong, Boud, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lehlbach, Lupton, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Rue, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—40.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 410, entitled

An Act in relation to the collection of interest on mortgages.

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Haines, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Larison, Lupton, McLaughlin, O'Donnell, Rich, Ross, Stafford, Steljes, Wildrick, Woodruff—25.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Cadmus, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Robbins, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wortendyke—32.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the 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. See offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That his Excellency the Governor be requested to return to the House, for amendment,

Assembly Bill No. 164, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the collection of demands against ships, steamboats and other vessels," approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven.

A message was received from the Governor at the hands of his Private Secretary, Willard Fisk, transmitting to the House the following report:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Trenton, April 15th, 1884. }

To the General Assembly:

I herewith return to the House of Assembly, in which it originated, Assembly Bill No. 77, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning taxes,' " approved April 4, 1846, with my objections thereto.

This bill provides that all bonds now or hereafter issued, by any county, city, town, township or other municipal corporation, shall exempt from taxation for State, county or municipal purposes when held or owned by any individual corporation residing or doing business within the county, city, town, township or other municipal corporation issuing said bond.

The returns from fifteen counties of this State, made under chapter MCLXXX., of the laws of 1881, show that there was a county indebtedness reported for the year ending October 31, 1883, of \$5,336,252, and a city and township indebtedness of \$44,964,430.67, making a total of over \$50,000,000.

Under Assembly Bill No. 77, the entire amount of these bonds might be exempt from taxation, provided they were held or owned by individuals or corporations, either residing or doing business within the locality issuing such bonds.

In addition to this, the bill covers all bonds hereafter to be issued, as well as the bonded indebtedness of the six counties next making any return.

The result of this exemption of capital invested in bonds can only be to impose additional burdens on real estate. This bill is so sweeping in its character, that it embraces not merely the municipal tax, but the State and county taxes also.

The only plea for the passage of such a bill as this that I have heard suggested is, that it would enable localities to sell their bonds at a higher price, or issue them at a lower rate of interest. Whatever might be gained in this direction would be more than lost in the additional burdens imposed upon other property. The effect of this bill is to place still heavier burdens upon real estate, and to create in the community a favored class, who would thus be enabled to hold their property exempt from all taxation, either for the support of the State, county or municipality in which they live. Municipalities do not need any such incentive as this to make the creation of debts easier than at present. Legislation directed towards making the creation of municipal debts is, in my judgment, dangerous to every locality.

LEON ABBETT,

Governor.

On motion of Mr. Campbell, the House adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At 3 o'clock the House met.

Upon calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names :

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Mr. Rich, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Senate Bill No. 222, entitled

An Act to provide for agreements between creditors and insolvent companies,

Without recommendation,

Senate Bill No. 224, entitled

An Act to repeal "An amendment to an act entitled 'An act in relation to past due taxes and assessments,' approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two," approved March eighth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Favorably.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 15th, 1884. }

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. 250, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act for rendering the proceedings upon information in the nature of a *quo warranto* more speedy and effectual," passed March seventeen, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five,

Assembly Bill No. 271, entitled

An Act to prevent cattle pasturing or running at large on the streets or highways in the townships,

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 16,

Requesting the repeal of a part of the United States revenue laws relating to alcohol,

Without amendment.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Said bills having passed both Houses, were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills, with the following certificate endorsed on the same:

"I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

HENRY D. WINTON,

Clerk."

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
Mr. Speaker— April 15th, 1884. }

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bill:

Senate Bill No. 269, entitled

An Act to provide for the suppression and extinction of pleuro-pneumonia and other contagious and infectious diseases among domestic animals,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

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,
Mr. Speaker— April 15th, 1884. }

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills:

Assembly Bill No. 503, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Oak Wood Cemetery Association,"

Assembly Bill No. 297, entitled

An Act to defray the expense of a special committee of the Legislature,

With amendments,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The amendments made in the Senate were read, and ordered to have a second reading.

The Conference Committee on Assembly Bill No. 378, entitled

“An act to provide for the imposition of State taxes upon certain corporations, and for the collection thereof,” reported as follows:

To the Senate and General Assembly:

The committee appointed respectively by the Senate and the House of Assembly upon Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 378, would respectfully report that they have agreed and do recommend that the Senate amendments be amended in the following respects:

Section 4, line 1, strike out the words “electric lights;” line 4, after the word “company,” insert the words, “and electric light company;” line 45, strike out the words, “or manufacturing or mining companies or corporations,” and insert in lieu thereof the words, “or manufacturing or mining companies carrying on business in this State.”

And we recommend that, with the aforesaid changes, the Senate amendments be concurred in.

Dated April 15th, 1884.

JOHN W. GRIGGS,
WILLIAM STAINSBY,
LEWIS COCHRAN,
GEORGE HIRES,
E. S. DOUGHTY,

Conferees on part of Senate.

THOMAS FLYNN,
RUSH BURGESS,
C. J. RUE,

Conferees on part of House of Assembly.

The report was concurred in by the following vote, and amendments ordered to be engrossed:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrison, Hough, Irons, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—41.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Neighbour, Weaver—2.

On motion of Mr. Burgess, the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 453, entitled

An Act relating to the improvement of streets in cities of this State, and authorizing such cities to issue loan certificates to pay the costs of such improvements,

Was ordered to a third reading, was reconsidered, amended, ordered re-engrossed, and have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 184, entitled

An Act providing an additional appropriation for the support of the New Jersey Home for Disabled Soldiers,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, North, Prall, Ross, Scott, See, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff—35.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Neighbour, Wortendyke—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.

The following message was received from the Senate :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
Mr. Speaker— April 15th, 1884. }

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on

Assembly Bill No. 378, entitled

An Act to provide for the imposition of State taxes upon certain corporations, and for the collection thereof,

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. O'Connor offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted with amendments.

WHEREAS, It is to the benefit of the people and the officials concerned that frequent and searching investigations of their accounts should be made; *and whereas*, many rumors are extant as to the state of the finances of this State, and to us it seems that all such reports and rumors should, in justice to those concerned, be met by strict and searching investigation; *and whereas*, the most important and powerful office of Comptroller has not subjected to other than a mere perfunctory examination as to the management of the great sums in control of such office; therefore, be it

Resolved, That a special committee of five members of this House be appointed by the Speaker to investigate the accounts of the Comptroller, and the management and business of his office, and to have power to send for persons and papers, and all powers possessed by such committees under the laws of the State. The said committee is also empowered to employ an expert. Said committee shall sit during the recess, and shall report to the next Legislature by bill otherwise, and the Treasurer of this State is hereby authorized and directed to pay, upon the warrant of the Comptroller, such fees and compensation for the above-named purposes as shall be certified to as correct and necessary

by the chairman of the committee under whose authority and by whose order such expenses shall have been incurred; *provided*, such certificate be first approved by the Governor.

Mr. Cole offered the following amendments which were read and adopted.

Add to resolution after the word "Comptroller" the words "and other State officers."

Strike from resolution the words "five members" and insert therein the word "five members of the House and five Senators."

The following amendment was also adopted:

That the Speaker be one of the committee.

A message was received from the Governor at the hands of his Private Secretary, Willard Fisk, transmitting to the House the following report:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Trenton, April 15th, 1884. }

Hon. A. B. Stoney, Speaker of the House of Assembly:

SIR—I herewith return to the House of Assembly, as requested,

Assembly Bill No. 164, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the collection of demands against ships, steamboats and other vessels," approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven.

LEON ABBETT,

Governor.

Senate Bill No. 267, entitled

An Act respecting the office of commissioner of railroad taxation,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wortendyke—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.

The vote by which

Senate Bill No. 109, entitled

An Act to authorize the compromise and discharge of claims against one or more of several joint debtors,

Was ordered to a third reading, was reconsidered.

The bill was then amended, ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 453, entitled

An Act relating to the improvement of streets in cities of this State, and authorizing such cities to issue loan certificates to pay the costs of such improvements,

Correctly engrossed.

Mr. Rich offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted :

Resolved, That when this House adjourn it be to meet at 7:30 o'clock this evening.

Assembly Bill No. 536, entitled

An Act to further amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of commissioners to determine upon plans for storage of any of the waters of this State for the purpose of furnishing to cities and towns a joint water supply," approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Hoffman, Hough, Jernee, Kelly, McLaughlin, Mills, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, Scott, Stoney (Speaker), Woodruff—32.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Coombs, Harrison, Neighbour, Wildrick, Wortendyke—6.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 510,

Incidental bill,

Was taken up on second reading.

Mr. Caminade moved to reconsider the vote by which Item No. 2 was stricken out,

Which was agreed to.

The question being put, "Shall this item be retained in the bill?" the item was retained by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick—32.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Cadmus, Carson, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Holzwarth, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, North, Prall, See, Stafford, Weaver, Woodruff, Wortendyke—24.

Mr. Armstrong moved to amend Item No. 11, by striking out "\$30," and inserting in lieu thereof "\$10,"

Which was not agreed to, and the item retained by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—34.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armstrong, Bell, Carson, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Holzwarth, Keasbey, Lehlbach, North, Rue, See, Stafford, Weaver, Woodruff—17.

Item 23 was retained by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Flynn, Harrigan, Hough, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison,

McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick—32.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Carson, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Holzwarth, Irons, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, North, Rue, See, Stafford, Wortendyke—23.

Item 37 was objected to, and retained by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Woodruff, Wortendyke—33.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Holzwarth, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Rue, Stafford—12.

Item 39 was objected to, but was retained by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Boud, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Clarke, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—31.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Carson, Cole, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Holzwarth, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lupton, Prall, Rue, See, Stafford, Weaver—19.

Item 42 was laid over temporarily.

Item 44 was objected to, and stricken out by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Clarke, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Hough, Jernee, Kelley, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—29.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Campbell, Carson, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Mills, North, Prall, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Weaver, Woodruff—25.

Item 16 was stricken out by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Branning, Byrnes, Caminade, Chapman, Clarke, Coombs, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker)—21.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Carson, Cole, Dickinson, Fish, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, North, Prall, Rue, See, Stafford, Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—24.

The further consideration of

Assembly Bill No. 510,

Incidental bill,

Was laid over.

Mr. Mills offered the following concurrent resolution :

Resolved, That a committee of five, two to be appointed by the President of the Senate and three to be appointed by the Speaker of the House of Assembly, be constituted, who shall investigate and confer with the commissioners of State water supply upon the subject of pipe lines, with reference to their endangering the purity of the water supply of this State, and report to the Legislature, at its next session, what measures, if any, they believe to be necessary or advisable for an efficient State supervision of pipe lines for the conveyance of petroleum or any of its products or of any similar substances through this State, in order that the sources of water supply shall not be injured thereby.

The following amendments were read and adopted :

Amend by adding "they shall serve free of charge."

Amend by adding "the Speaker of this House shall serve with the committee."

Provided, that no expense shall be incurred by the committee in the performance of their duties."

On motion of Mr. Flynn, the House adjourned.

EVENING SESSION.

At 8 o'clock the House met.

Upon calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names :

Messrs. Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke.

The Clerk was directed to correct error in title of

Assembly Bill No. 164, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the collection of demands against ships, steamboats and other vessels," approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven.

Assembly Bill No. 168, entitled

An Act concerning the use of passenger elevators on horse railroads in cities,

With consent of the House, was withdrawn.

Assembly Bill No. 369, entitled

An Act fixing the compensation for publishing the laws in the newspapers,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 66, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and materials in erecting any building" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 522, entitled

An Act to incorporate fire districts heretofore established or which may be established under the provisions of the act entitled "An act to provide means for protection against fires in townships."

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

The following messages were received from the Senate:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
Mr. Speaker— April 15th, 1884. }

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills:

Assembly Bill No. 154, entitled

An Act providing for the review of convictions and judgments for contempt of court,

Assembly Bill No. 419, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to sales of land under a public statute or by virtue of any judicial proceedings," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Without amendments.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Said bills having passed both Houses, were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills, with the following certificate endorsed on the same:

"I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

HENRY D. WINTON,

Clerk."

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 15th, 1884. }

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. 138, entitled

An Act concerning incorporated towns and certain officers thereof.

Assembly Bill No. 450, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act concerning corporations,

With amendments,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 15th, 1884. }

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. 252, entitled

An Act concerning county boards established for the protection of the public health and the registration of vital facts and statistics in counties of this State,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Was placed on the calendar without reference.

Assembly Bill No. 511, entitled

An Act concerning licenses for the sale of liquors,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 489, entitled

An Act to prevent extravagance in the use of school books,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 188, entitled

An Act to re-imburse William S. Weart for damages sustained against the commissioners of the sinking fund of the State of New Jersey,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Harri-
gan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Keasbey, Larison,
Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour,
North, Prall, Ross, Rue, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney
(Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—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.

Assembly Bill No. 475, entitled

An Act to authorize the conveyance of certain lands belonging to the State of New Jersey, situated in the township of Ewing, and county of Mercer,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—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.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 448, entitled

An Act relative to town ordinances, making same valid notwithstanding insufficiency of advertisement,

Were read and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Byrnes, Caminade, Chapman, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Larison, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—31.

In the negative—none.

Mr. Wildrick, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No. 70, entitled

An Act to authorize the construction, curbing and paving of sidewalks and crosswalks in townships,

Without recommendation.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 435, entitled

An Act to authorize municipal corporations to contract for a supply of water for public uses,

Were read, and concurred in by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Bell, Byrnes, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—31.

In the negative—none.

Assembly Bill No. 546, entitled

An Act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of impure and imitation dairy products,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—35.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Rich, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Senate Bill No. 268, entitled

An Act for the better protection of life,

With amendments.

The amendments were read and adopted.

Senate Bill No. 258, entitled

An Act relating to the issue of temporary loan bonds,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

Under suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Chapman, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, Prall, Rich, Rue, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—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.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 417, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize municipal corporations to contract for a supply of water for public uses," which act was approved March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one,

Assembly Bill No. 300, entitled

An Act concerning the construction of sewers in cities of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 277, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Correctly engrossed.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

House amendments to

Senate Bill No. 148, entitled

An Act concerning turnpike roads,

Correctly engrossed.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 445, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to enable towns and townships to obtain a supply of water from existing city water works," approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine,

Assembly Bill No. 528, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to abolish and prohibit the employment, under contract, of convicts, and inmates of prisons, jails, penitentiaries, and all public reformatory institutions in the State of New Jersey," approved February twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four,

Assembly Bill No. 473, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning the granting of licenses to sell strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer within the limit of incorporated cities," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 440, entitled

An Act to amend "An act entitled an act to regulate the practice of courts of law" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 287, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide means for protection against fires in townships," approved March tenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine,

Assembly Bill No. 435, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize municipal corporations to contract for a supply of water for public uses," approved March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one,

Assembly Bill No. 81, entitled

An Act to provide for the election of road overseers in their respective districts,

Assembly Bill No. 462, 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. 424, entitled

An Act to confirm the incorporation and proceedings of Evangelical Lutheran Churches in the State of New Jersey,

House amendments to

Senate Bill No. 130, entitled

A Supplement to "An act to authorize the incorporation of rural cemetery associations and regulate cemeteries" (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

House amendments to

Senate Bill No. 74, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 456, 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), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 546, entitled

An Act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of impure and imitation dairy products,

Assembly Bill No. 536, entitled

An Act to further amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of commissioners to determine upon plans for the storage of any of the waters of this State for the purpose of furnishing to cities and towns a joint water supply," approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

House amendments to

Senate Bill No. 40, 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,

Assembly Bill No. 543, entitled

An Act concerning railroad companies,

Assembly No. 475, entitled

An Act to authorize the conveyance of certain lands belonging to the State of New Jersey, situated in the township of Ewing, and county of Mercer,

Assembly Bill No. 439, entitled

A Supplement to an act respecting the court of chancery, (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Correctly engrossed.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 520, entitled

An Act to facilitate judicial proceedings in counties having a population of over one hundred and fifty thousand in this State,

Correctly engrossed.

Assembly Bill No. 488, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act for the better preservation of the early records of the State of New Jersey, passed March twenty-ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—38.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 211, entitled

An Act concerning cities,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wortendyke—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.

Assembly Bill No. 199, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled “An act incorporating the inhabitants of townships, designating their powers and regulating their meetings,”

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Chapman, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Har-

rigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, Prall, Rich, Rue, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—35.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 364, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the formation of borough governments," approved April fifth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Chapman, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, North, Rich, Rue, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—32.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Keasbey, Mills, Neighbour, Prall, Ross—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.

Senate Bill No. 31, entitled

An Act respecting telegraph, telephone, electric light and other wires and cables for electric purposes,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Chapman, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Neighbour, Prall, Rich, Rue, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—35.

In the negative—none.

Senate Bill No. 41, entitled

An Act to authorize cities of the second class to make permanent improvements in the road-beds of streets at the general expense,

Was laid over temporarily.

Assembly Bill No. 453, entitled

An Act relating to the improvement of streets in cities of this State, and authorizing such cities to issue loan certificates to pay the costs of such improvements,

Was taken up on third reading, and laid over until tomorrow.

Senate Bill No. 121, entitled

A Further Supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Widows' and Orphans' Friendly Society," approved April third, eighteen hundred and seventy-three,

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Burgess, Clarke, Hoffman, Kelly, McLaughlin, Ross, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker)—8.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Bell, Byrnes, Caminade, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, Prall, Rich, Rué, Stafford, Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—25.

Senate Bill No. 40, 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,

Was taken up on its third reading, and laid over temporarily,

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 417, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled “An act to authorize municipal corporations to contract for a supply of water for public uses,”

Were read, and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, Prall, Ross, Rue, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—32.

In the negative—none.

Senate Bill No. 40, 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,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Hoffman, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, Prall, Ross, Rue, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—34.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Caminade—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. Neighbour offered the following resolution, which was read :

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That the Legislature adjourn *sine die* on Friday, April 18th, instant, at 12 o'clock noon.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, Prall, Ross, Rue, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—37.

In the negative—none.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

House amendments to

Senate Bill No. 268, entitled

An Act for the better protection of life,

Correctly engrossed.

Senate Bill No. 268, entitled

An Act for the better protection of life,

With House amendments,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Byrnes, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Jernee, Keasbey Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, Prall, Rue, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—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.

Assembly Bill No. 466, entitled

A Further Supplement to the act entitled “An act to provide additional accommodation for the insane of this State,” approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Ross, Rue, Stafford, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—35.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Irons—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. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 450, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act concerning corporations,

Correctly engrossed.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 424, entitled

An Act to confirm the incorporation and proceedings of Evangelical Lutheran Churches,

Were read, and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lehlbach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, Prall, Rue, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wortendyke—31.

In the negative—none.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 450, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act concerning corporations,

Were read, and concurred in by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—37.

In the negative—none.

Senate Bill No. 114, entitled

An Act concerning cities in this State,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, Neighbour, North, Prall, Ross, Rue, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—32.

In the negative—none.

Assembly Bill No. 457, entitled

An Act to provide for sale of assessment deeds and certificate of sale held by townships,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rue, See, Stafford, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick—35.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Caminade, Jernee, Lake, Neighbour, Ross, Stoney (Speaker), Wortendyke—7.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 528, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to abolish and prohibit the employment, under contract, of convicts," etc.,

Was taken up on its third reading and laid over until tomorrow.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 287, entitled.

A Supplement to the act to provide means for protection against fires in townships,

Were read, and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Bell, Byrnes, Campbell, Chapman, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Rue, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—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. Ross, the House adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, April 16th, 1884.

At 10 o'clock the House met.

Prayer was offered by Rev. ———

Upon calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names :

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Mr. Savage, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads and Canals, reported

Assembly Bill No. 541, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize any city of the State to enter into contracts with railroads companies whose roads enter their corporate limits,

With amendments.

The amendments made in the committee were concurred in.

Mr. Scott, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture and Agricultural College, reported

Senate Bill No. 269, entitled

An Act to provide for the suppression and extinction of pleuro-pneumonia and other contagious and infectious diseases among domestic animals,

Favorably.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

House amendments to

Senate Bill No. 231, entitled

An Act to regulate the constructing and maintaining across the fresh water streams of this State of pipe lines through which petroleum is conveyed, and to place such pipe lines under the control of the State commissioners of water supply,

Correctly engrossed.

The following messages were received from the Senate:

	STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
	SENATE CHAMBER,	
<i>Mr. Speaker—</i>	April 16th, 1884.	

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills:

Assembly Bill No. 324, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to sales of land under a public statute or by virtue of any judicial

proceedings," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 422, entitled

An Act to provide for the payment of the expenses of a special committee of the House of Assembly to investigate the accounts of the comptroller and other State officers,

Assembly Bill No. 513, entitled

An Act to remove the fire and police departments in the cities and towns of this State from political control,

Assembly Bill No. 466, entitled

A Further Supplement to the act entitled "An act to provide additional accommodations for the insane of this State," approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one,

Assembly Bill No. 488, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act for the better preservation of the early records of the State of New Jersey, passed March twenty-ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two,

Without amendments.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Said bills having passed both Houses, were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills, with the following certificate endorsed on the same:

"I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

HENRY D. WINTON,

Clerk."

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,

Mr. Speaker—

April 16th, 1884. }

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills:

Assembly Bill No. 455, entitled

An Act to provide for the employment of the inmates of any prison, penitentiary, jail or public reformatory institution located within this State,

Assembly Bill No. 485, entitled

An Act to provide for the appointment of commissioners of appeals in cases of taxation in cities of the first class,

Assembly Bill No. 331, entitled

An Act concerning the appointment of assessors in cities of the first class,

Assembly Bill No. 402, entitled

An Act providing for the election of two freeholders in wards of cities in this State in certain cases,

Assembly Bill No. 490, entitled

An Act making an appropriation for the extension of the State Prison walls and building workshop for the employment of prisoners,

Assembly Bill No. 502, entitled

An Act authorizing cities in the State to fix the salaries of city physicians of such cities,

Assembly Bill No. 236, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and materials in the erecting any building" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

With amendments,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER;
April 16th, 1884. }

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. 273, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning bridges and turnpikes," approved March twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

Senate Bill No. 276, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of courts of law" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Bill No. 277, entitled

A Supplement to the act concerning roads, approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 81, entitled

An Act to provide for the election of road overseers in their respective districts,

Were read, and concurred in by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were.—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chattle, Cole, Dickinson, Doremus, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Neighbour, O'Donnell, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wortendyke—32.

In the negative—none.

Mr. Côle offered the following resolution, which was read :

WHEREAS, the effect of the Morrison bill, now being debated in the House of Representatives at Washington, is calculated to injure, and eventually destroy American industries ; *and whereas*, it is our duty as members of the legislature of the State of New Jersey to protest against any national legislation that will injure the material interests of the people of the State of New Jersey ;

BE IT RESOLVED *by the Senate and House of Assembly*, That we earnestly petition Congress to defeat the said Morrison bill as quickly as possible ;

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions duly signed shall be forwarded to the Speaker of the House of Representatives at Washington.

Mr. Harrigan moved to lay the resolution on the table.

Mr. Clarke moved a call of the House.

It was so ordered.

Mr. Burgess moved to postpone the consideration of the whole matter until this afternoon.

Mr. Armstrong moved to lay the whole matter on the table,

Which was agreed to, by a *viva voce* vote.

Mr. Neighbour, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Senate Bill No. 208, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate fees," approved June thirteenth, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-nine,

With amendments,

Senate Concurrent Resolution, No. 4,

Proposing amendment to the constitution,

Adversely.

The adverse report was sustained.

Mr. Steljes, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Assembly Bill No. 545, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a system of public instruction," approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Favorably.

Mr. Chapman, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Bill No. 122, entitled

An Act to provide for raising taxes for the use of the State upon certain corporations, joint stock companies and associations,

Without recommendation.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Senate Bill No. 109, entitled

An Act to authorize the compromise and discharge of claims against one or more of several joint debtors,

Assembly Bill No. 138, entitled

An Act concerning incorporated towns and certain officers thereof,

Correctly engrossed.

Assembly Bill No. 544, entitled

An Act relative to the State board of assessors,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 548, entitled

An Act to provide for an exhibit of the manufactures, products and resources of the State of New Jersey in the World's Industrial and Cotton Centennial Exposition, to be opened in New Orleans on the first Monday in December,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 510,

Incidental bill,

Was again taken up on second reading, Item No. 42 under consideration.

Mr. Cole moved to reconsider the vote by which Item No. 56 was stricken out,

Which was agreed to, and the item retained.

Item No. 57 was objected to.

Upon the question being put, the item was retained, by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Boud, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wortendyke—31.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Haines, Harrison, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, North, Prall, Rue, See, Stafford, Weaver, Wildrick—23.

Item 58 was agreed to, by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—49.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armitage, Coombs, Haines, North, Rue—6.

Item 59 was agreed to, by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—36.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Campbell, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Haines, Harrison, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Ludlam, Prall, Rue, Stafford, Weaver—16.

Item 60 was agreed to, by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—33.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Campbell, Carson, Cole, Haines, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Ludlam, North, Prall, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford—21.

Item 62 was agreed to, there being no objection.

Item 63 was agreed to, by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Hough, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—34.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Armstrong, Campbell, Carson, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Haines, Harrison, Holzwarth, Keasbey, Prall, See, Stafford—14.

Item 64 was retained by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Hough, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick—37.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Coombs, Haines, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Ludlam, Prall, Stafford, Weaver—12.

Item 65 was retained by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Flynn, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—36.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Cadmus, Coombs, Doremus, Harrison, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, North, Stafford—10.

Item 66 was retained by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Steljes, Wortendyke—36.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armitage, Armstrong, Campbell, Haines, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Ludlam, North, Stafford—11.

No objections were offered against Items 67, 68, 69, 70, 71.

Mr. Neighbour, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Assembly Bill No. 4, entitled

An Act for the protection of life and property in counties of the first-class in this State from the explosion of steam boilers,

Assembly Bill No. 14, entitled

An Act to protect all citizens in their civil and legal rights,

Assembly Bill No. 65, entitled

An Act for the compromise and settlement of assessments and past due taxes,

Assembly Bill No. 27, entitled

An Act exempting firemen from taxation,

Assembly Bill No. 327, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act constituting district courts in certain cities in this State," approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven,

Assembly Bill No. 408, entitled

An Act relating to the manufacture and transportation of explosive materials with intent to injure persons or property in this State or elsewhere,

Assembly Bill No. 105, entitled

An Act to give to firemen the same advantages in respect to taxes and jury duty as now are or hereafter may be allowed to members of the National Guard of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 82, entitled

An Act prohibiting the desecration of the Sabbath or Sunday.

A message was received from the Governor at the hands of his Private Secretary, Willard Fisk, transmitting to the House the following report:

Mr. Speaker—

	STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
	EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,	
	Trenton, April 16th, 1884.	

I have this day approved and signed the following bills, which originated in the House of Assembly, and have delivered the same to the Secretary of State, to be filed in his office:

Assembly Bill No. 62, entitled

An Act to provide for the publication of the "Manual of the Legislature of New Jersey,"

Assembly Bill No. 350, entitled

An Act to fix the duties of the door-keepers and gallery-keepers of the Senate and General Assembly,

Assembly Bill No. 437, entitled

An Act to fix the salaries of the clerks of the Committee on Engrossed Bills and document clerk of the House.

Respectfully,

LEON ABBETT,

Governor.

Assembly Bill No. 529,

Was taken up on third reading and laid over.

Assembly Bill No. 543, entitled

An Act concerning railroad companies,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Scott, See, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—48.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Burgess—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 217, entitled .

An Act to repeal an act entitled "An act to further regulate the licensing of inns and taverns and places for the sale of malt, vinous, spirituous and other intoxicating liquors," approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Boud, Branning, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Chapman, Clarke, Dickinson, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Mills, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick—33.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armstrong, Budd, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Doremus, Haines, Harrison, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Ludlam, Rue, Savage, Wortendyke—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.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 522, entitled

An Act to incorporate fire districts heretofore established or which may be established under the provisions of the act entitled "An act to provide means for protection against fires in townships,"

Correctly engrossed.

Mr. McLaughlin, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No. 195, entitled

An Act authorizing the incorporated cities, towns and townships of this State to renew matured and maturing bonds,

Favorably.

Mr. Cole moved to strike out the enacting clause of

Assembly Bill No. 541 entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize any city of the State to enter into contracts with railroad companies whose roads enter their corporate limits,

With consent of the House, Mr. Flynn withdrew the bill.

On motion of Mr. Cole, the House adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At 3 o'clock the House met.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
Mr. Speaker— April 15th, 1884. }

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed a resolution requesting the House to return to the Senate,

Senate Bill No. 222, entitled

An Act to provide for agreements between creditors and insolvent debtors,

For further consideration,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The resolution was not concurred in.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
Mr. Speaker— April 15th, 1884. }

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has concurred in the resolution of the House of Assembly, fixing 12 o'clock noon, of Friday, the 18th inst., as the hour for the final adjournment of this Legislature.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 378, entitled

An Act to provide for the imposition of State taxes upon certain corporations, and for the collection thereof,

Correctly engrossed.

Mr. Cole offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted.

Resolved, When this House adjourn it adjourn to 9 o'clock to-morrow.

The following message was received from the Senate :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 16th, 1884. }

Mr. Speaker—

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed a resolution, requesting the House of Assembly to return to the Senate, for further consideration,

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 11,

Authorizing the purchase of a historical painting representing the presentation of Molly Pitcher to Washington,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Which resolution was not concurred in.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 16th, 1884. }

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 his Excellency the Governor be requested to return to the Senate, for further consideration,

Senate Bill No. 203, entitled

An Act to ascertain and define the easterly limits of the seaboard counties of this State and the jurisdiction thereof,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The Governor's objections to

Assembly Bill No. 77, entitled

A Further Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Were taken up, after being laid over one day, and read.

Upon the question being put, "Shall this bill pass, notwithstanding the Governor's objections?" the objections were sustained, by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Campbell, Carson, Cole, Coombs, Fish, Haines, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, North, See—18.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Dickinson, Doremus, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—39.

Mr. McLaughlin, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 305, entitled

An Act to enable incorporated cities of the third class to construct water works for the extinguishment of fires and to supply inhabitants thereof with pure and wholesome water,

Favorably.

Mr. Cole offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the courtesies of the floor be extended to Hon. G. A. Hobart, ex-Speaker of the House of Assembly.

Assembly Bill No. 453, entitled

An Act relating to the improvement of streets in cities of this State, and authorizing such cities to issue loan certificates to pay the costs of such improvements,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Chapman, Clarke, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—31.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlback, Lupton, North, Rue, See, Stafford, Weaver, Woodruff—25.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the 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. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 538, entitled

Supplement to the act incorporating the inhabitants of townships, designating their powers and regulating their meetings,

Assembly Bill No. 548, entitled

An Act to provide for an exhibit of the manufactures, products and resources of the State of New Jersey in the World's Industrial and Cotton Centennial Exposition, to be opened in New Orleans on the first Monday in December,

Correctly engrossed.

Assembly Bill No. 529,

Was taken up on third reading, and laid over until tomorrow morning, and reprinted.

Senate Bill No. 228, entitled

An Act for the support of the Reform School for Boys,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Jenkins, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, See, Stafford, Steljes, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—36.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Harrison, Holzwarth, Irons, Lupton, Prall, Weaver—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.

Senate Bill No. 41, entitled

An Act to authorize cities of the second class to make permanent improvements in the road-beds of streets at the general expense,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—38.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Bell, Burgess, Caminade, Fish, Haines, Holzwarth, Lake, Lehlbach, Savage, Steljes—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.

Mr. Bell, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 552,

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

On motion of Mr. Fish, the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 544, entitled

An Act relative to the State board of assessors,

Was ordered to a third reading, was reconsidered.

Assembly Bill No. 545, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a system of public instruction," approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and 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 16th, 1884. }
Mr. Speaker—

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bill :

Substitute for Senate Bill No. 124, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act limiting the time for commencing actions against assignee of any person or persons making an assignment for the benefit of his or their creditors," approved March twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 124, entitled

An Act to repeal the act entitled "An act limiting the time for commencing actions against assignee of any person or persons making an assignment for the benefit of his or their creditors," approved March twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty,

Was taken up without reference on second reading, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Lupton, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Savage, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—34.

In the negative—none.

Senate Bill No. 231, entitled

An Act to regulate the constructing and maintaining across the fresh water streams of this State of pipe lines through which petroleum is conveyed, and to place such pipe lines under the control of the State commissioners of water supply,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, North, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, Savage, See, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—36.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Keasbey, Kelly, O'Donnell—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.

Senate Bill No. 130, entitled

A Supplement to "An act to authorize the incorporation of rural cemetery associations and regulate cemeteries" (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seventy-five,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Jenkins, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—34.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Bell, Holzwarth, Lehlbach—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.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 138, entitled

An Act concerning incorporated towns and certain officers thereof,

Were read, and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Burgess, Campbell, Chapman, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Rue, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—37.

In the negative—none.

Senate Bill No. 70, entitled

An Act to authorize the construction, curbing and paving of sidewalks and crosswalks in townships,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Branning, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Flynn, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Rue, Savage, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff—37.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Bell, Burgess, Campbell, Doremus, Haines, Holzwarth, Weaver, Wortendyke—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.

Assembly Bill No. 507, entitled

An Act relative to the establishment of gas companies in cities, towns and boroughs,

Was laid over until to-morrow.

Assembly Bill No. 300, entitled

An Act concerning the construction of sewers in cities of this State,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Bell, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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. Cole, the House adjourned.

THURSDAY, April 17th, 1884.

At 10 o'clock the House met.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Newton.

Upon calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Mr. Robbins, Chairman of Special Committee, reported as follows:

To the House of Assembly of the State of New Jersey :

The committee, lately appointed by your honorable body, to investigate under what authority the consulting physician to the State Prison was appointed, and in what manner he is paid, beg leave to report, as follows: That they have fully investigated the said matters and find, first, that the so-called appointment of a consulting physician consisted merely in the designation by the Board of Inspectors of the State Prison of a physician who might be called in consultation with the regular physician when emergency demanded the same. Second. The regular salary is provided for this service, but the same is paid for when rendered, as such vote of compensation as to the Board of Inspectors seems right and proper. Third. From a careful examination of the law, it appears that the Board of Inspectors of the Prison have ample authority to employ such service and authorize compensation therefor.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN ROBBINS,
JOHN CAMINADE,
FRED. S. FISH,

Committee.

On motion of Mr. Cole, the report was adopted and the committee discharged.

Senate Bill No. 247, entitled

An Act entitled "An act relating to the depth and construction of foundation walls of buildings and the responsibility of adjoining property owners to each other in cities in the State of New Jersey,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Branning, Burgess, Byrnes,
Caminade, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Dore-

mus, Flynn, Haines, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, North, Prall, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—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.

Mr. Chapman offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Concurrent Resolution No. —.

WHEREAS, it appears from the report of Commander Taylor, of the United States Navy, Naval-Aid to the Mayor of the city of New York, that the approach to the port of New York at Sandy Hook has become inadequate to meet the commercial necessities of the times, by reason of shoaling and the increased draft of modern ships, which fact affects most seriously the commercial, manufacturing and other interests of New Jersey, which are identical with those of New York, and have, in great part, their communication with the world at large through the same channel; and whereas, the authorities of the city and State of New York have taken, or are about to take action, requesting the general government to improve the said entrance to the port of New York, and it is the interest of New Jersey to aid in every way; therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED *by the House of Assembly of New Jersey* (the Senate concurring), That the Senators and Representatives of this State, in Congress, be urgently requested to use their endeavors towards securing such prompt and efficient action of the general government for the improvement of the entrance to the port of New York, at Sandy Hook, as the case demands, and as is warranted by the demands of a foreign commerce exceeding that of all the remainder of our country;

And further resolved, That copies of these resolutions be forwarded to the Senators and Representatives of this State, to be presented by them to their respective Houses.

Assembly Bill No. 438, entitled

A Supplement to and amendatory of chapter CXLV. of laws of one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 207, entitled

A Further Supplement to the act entitled "An act to secure to creditors an equal and just division of the estates of debtors who convey to assignees for the benefit of creditors" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, North, Prall, Ross, Rue, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—33.

In the negative—none.

Mr. Wildrick, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No. 273, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning bridges and turnpikes," approved March twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

Senate Bill No. 277, entitled

A Supplement to the act concerning roads, approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Favorably.

Mr. Cole offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted :

Resolved, That when this House adjourn it adjourn to 7 o'clock P. M., this day.

Mr. North, by request, offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted :

Concurrent Resolution in relation to the harbor of Atlantic City.

1. BE IT RESOLVED *by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey*, That the delegation representing the State of New Jersey in both Houses of Congress, be and is hereby requested to support the prayer of certain petitioners, citizens of Atlantic county, New Jersey, urging an appropriation for the improvement of the harbor of Atlantic City (Absecon inlet), New Jersey, in order to deepen the channel way over the bar at the entrance to said harbor from its present depth of eight feet to that of sixteen feet, at mean low-water mark ; that it may be made a harbor of refuge to vessels coming on the the coast in the stress of weather which often constitutes the largest percentage of the merchant vessels entering the harbors on the Atlantic seaboard, as well as to promote the commercial prosperity of said harbor of Atlantic City in its intercourse with New York and other large seaport cities.

2. *And be it resolved*, That this and the foregoing resolution be forwarded to the address of each of the honorable gentlemen representing our State in Congress.

Senate Bill No. 262, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act for the formation of borough governments in seaside resorts," approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Branning, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dick-

inson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Ludlam, Lupton, Mills, North, Prall, Rue, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—31.

In the negative—none.

Senate Bill No. 248, entitled

An Act concerning division of wards in cities of this State,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, Mills, O'Connor, Prall, Rue, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—32.

In the negative—none.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 378, entitled

An Act to provide for the imposition of State taxes upon certain corporations, and for the collection thereof,

Having been re-engrossed, were read and concurred in by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Kelly, Larison,

Lehlbach, Ludlam, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—39.

In the negative—none.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 510,

Incidental bill,

Correctly engrossed.

Mr. Applegate offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted :

Resolved, That five thousand copies of Assembly Bills Nos. 313 and 378 be printed and bound together, and that there be sent to each member of this House fifty copies, and remainder be delivered to the proper State officers.

Assembly Bill No. 510,

Incidental bill,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—36.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Haines, Harrison, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, North, Rue, See—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. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 455, entitled

An Act to provide for the employment of the inmates of any prison, penitentiary, jail or public reformatory institution located within this State,

Assembly Bill No. 490, entitled

An Act making an appropriation for the extension of the State Prison walls and building workshop for the employment of prisoners,

Assembly Bill No. 297, entitled

An Act to defray the expense of a special committee of the Legislature,

Assembly Bill No. 402, entitled

An Act providing for the election of two freeholders in wards of cities in this State in certain cases,

Assembly Bill No. 331, entitled

An Act concerning the appointment of assessors in cities of the first class,

Assembly Bill No. 444, entitled

An Act to withdraw from files of Hudson county register's office a certain map,

Assembly Bill No. 445, entitled

A Supplement to an act to enable towns and townships to obtain a supply of water,

Correctly engrossed.

Senate Bill No. 10, 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 March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and laid over until this evening.

Assembly Bill No. 548, entitled

An Act to provide for an exhibit of the manufactures, products and resources of the State of New Jersey in the World's Industrial and Cotton Centennial Exposition, to be opened in New Orleans on the first Monday in December,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Harrison, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Lupton, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wortendyke—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.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 455, entitled

An Act to provide for the employment of the inmates of any prison, penitentiary, jail or public reformatory institution located within this State,

Were read and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Doremus, Flynn, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Ross, Rue, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wortendyke—40.

In the negative—none.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 490, entitled

An Act making an appropriation for the extension of the State Prison walls and building workshop for the employment of prisoners,

Were read and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Lake, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Ross, Rue, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wortendyke—35.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Armstrong—1.

On motion of Mr. Cole, the House adjourned.

EVENING SESSION.

At 7 o'clock the House met.

Upon calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names :

Messrs. Alcott, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Lake, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff.

Assembly Bill No. 59, entitled

An Act to repeal a part of section two, of chapter CCCCXCIX., of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Was laid over until to-morrow.

Assembly Bill No. 538, entitled

Supplement to the act incorporating the inhabitants of townships, designating their powers and regulating their meetings,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Dickinson, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Rich, Rue, Scott, Steljes, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—36.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Doremus—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 222,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—36.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Byrnes, Cadmus, Flynn, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, North, Prall, Rue—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.

Mr. Fish offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the sympathy of this House is hereby extended to the Hon. Clark Mills, of Passaic county, on account of his bereavement in the death of his father.

Mr. Fish offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That the Governor of the State be requested, under the authority conferred upon him by Joint Resolution No. 1, approved March 11th, 1880, to cause such change in the rooms of the State House as to furnish the necessary protection to the valuable military records of the State, and for the accommodation of the official having charge of the same.

Mr. Chapman offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted :

Concurrent Resolution, No. —.

WHEREAS, One Erastus Wiman, a British subject, residing on Staten Island, in the State of New York, acting in the interest of certain English capitalists, has caused to be introduced into Congress a bill enabling the said Wiman and the English capitalists of whom he is agent, to construct railroad bridges over the navigable waters of the strait known as Staten Island Kills and Sound, the jurisdiction of the western portion of which strait is inherent in the State of New Jersey ; *and whereas*, it is clear that the project of the said British subject, Wiman, will obstruct the navigation of the said Staten Island Kills and Sound ; *and whereas*, the said British subject, Wiman, and his English partners intend to convert whatever privileges they may in any way acquire in the State of New Jersey to the sole benefit of the Staten Island Rapid Transit Railroad, a corporation ostensibly organized in the State of New York, but actually resident of Great Britain ; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey hereby instruct its Senators, and request its Representatives in Congress to use all honorable means to prevent the passage of said bill, so introduced by said Erastus Wiman, a British subject, as heretofore stated.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 297, entitled

An Act to defray the expense of a special committee of the Legislature,

Were read, and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Branning, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Cole, Coombs, Doremus, Haines, Harrison, Hough, Irons, Keasbey, Kelly, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—35.

In the negative—none.

Mr. Flynn offered the following resolution, which was read:

WHEREAS, The North River Construction Company, a corporation formed under a law of this State, having a paid-up capital of ten millions of dollars, incorporated for the purpose of building railroads, has been recently placed in the hands of a receiver by reason of its failure to meet its obligations; *and whereas*, it appears that the officers and directors managing this company held similar positions in other companies whose interests were, in a great measure, antagonistic to those of the Construction Company, resulting in the financial ruin of the Construction Company and the destruction of the rights and property of its stockholders; therefore, be it

Resolved, That a special committee of five members of this House be appointed, with power to send for persons and papers; to investigate into the management of the officers and directors of the said Construction Company, and to report to the next Legislature such suggestions and recommendations as the facts shown may warrant, to prohibit by law the election of officers and directors in companies in which the conflict of interest between such companies prevent such officers and directors from discharging their official duties with a proper regard to the rights and interests of the stockholders of the several companies.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Branning, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Flynn, Harrigan, Irons, Lake, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver—24.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Campbell, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Holzwarth, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Ludlam, North, Prall, Rich, Steljes, Wildrick, Wortendyke—22.

Mr. Cole offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted :

Resolved, That the courtesies of this floor be extended to Hon. Benjamin Van Riper, member of the Jersey City Board of Education.

Senate Bill No. 173, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the formation of borough governments in seaside resorts," approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Coombs, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Irons, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rue, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—36.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Dickinson, Doremus—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. Rich offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted :

Be it resolved by the House of Assembly (the Senate concurring), That the Senators and Representatives representing this State in Congress of the United States, are earnestly requested to use all honorable means to prevent the passage of any bill having for its object the building of a bridge between any portion of the State of New Jersey and Staten Island, in the State of New York.

Senate Bill No. 10, 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 March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Caminade, Chapman, Kelly, Larison, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Donnell, Ross, Savage, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—14.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lupton, North, Prall, Rue, See, Weaver—28.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 17th, 1884. }

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 Secretary of the Treasury, in his last annual report, recommends the abolition of the customs districts of Great Egg Harbor and Little Egg Harbor, in the State of New Jersey, by the consolidation of the same with the customs districts of Philadelphia; *and whereas*, this recommendation, if carried out, would result in greater expense to the federal government in the collection of customs from these ports, besides being deeply humiliating to New Jersey as a State; therefore,

1. BE IT RESOLVED *by the Senate* (House of Assembly concurring), That the Representatives in Congress from the State of New Jersey, be requested to resist any proper legislation intended to abolish the said customs districts of Great Egg Harbor and Little Egg Harbor;

2. *Be it resolved*, That the Secretary of the Senate be directed to forward a copy of these resolutions to each Representative of this State in the Congress of the United States,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

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,	
<i>Mr. Speaker—</i>	April 17th, 1884.	

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following concurrent resolution:

WHEREAS, The destruction of valuable food fishes along the coast of New Jersey, is incident to the capture of "menhaden" and other less valuable fishes by persons employed on what is known as a menhaden and other fishing companies; *and whereas*, the indiscriminate destruction practiced by the menhaden and other companies is greatly detrimental to the interests of the people of New Jersey; therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED *by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey*, That our Senators and Representatives in Congress be and they are hereby requested to procure the passage

of a law, which shall confer common jurisdiction upon the lawful authorities of New Jersey over the waters of the high seas for a distance of three miles from any and every portion of the New Jersey coast, in order that further destruction of such valuable food fishes may be prohibited, and so prevented,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 502, entitled

An Act authorizing cities in the State to fix the salaries of city physicians of such cities,

Assembly Bill No. 548, entitled

An Act to provide for an exhibit of the manufactures, products and resources of the State of New Jersey in the World's Industrial and Cotton Centennial Exposition to be opened in New Orleans on the first Monday in December,

Assembly Bill No. 236, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and materials in the erecting any building" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Correctly engrossed.

Assembly Bill No. 494, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a system of public instruction,"

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armstrong, Branning, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Haines, Hoffman, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Woodruff—25.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Clarke, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, See, Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—20.

Senate Bill No. 109, entitled

An Act to authorize the compromise and discharge of claims against one or more of several joint debtors,

With House amendments,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Bell, Branning, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Carson, Chapman, Cole, Doremus, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Neighbour, O'Donnell, Rich, Ross, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—32.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Coombs, Dickinson, Flynn, Haines, Hoffman, Rue—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.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 17th, 1884. }

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. 270, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Said bill having passed both Houses, was this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills, with the following certificate endorsed on the same:

"I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

HENRY D. WINTON,

Clerk."

Assembly Bill No. 270, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Rue, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Woodruff, Wortendyke—39.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Coombs, Weaver—2.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 157, entitled

An Act to provide for the election of chosen freeholders in incorporated boroughs,

Correctly engrossed.

Assembly Bill No. 386, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled “An act concerning disorderly persons,” approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Burgess, Cadmus, Campbell, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Lake, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Rue, See, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—36.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 254, entitled

An Act to provide for granting or disposing of lands under water in this State,

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Branning, Byrnes, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Kelly, Lake, Larison, McLaughlin, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick—23.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Neighbour, North, Rue, See, Stafford, Woodruff, Wortendyke—31.

Senate Bill No. 232, entitled

An Act to authorize cities to order and regulate the construction of sidewalks, and to provide for the payment of the expense thereof,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Ross, Rue, Savage, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—36.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Keasbey, Neighbour, Scott—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.

Mr. Clarke offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the Speaker of this House be added to the committee to investigate the North River Construction Company and West Shore Railroad, under the resolution of Mr. Flynn.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 331, entitled

An Act concerning the appointment of assessors in cities of the first class,

Were read, and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armitage, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—35.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Flynn, Harrison, Hoffman, Weaver—4.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Committee on Passed Bills.

Assembly Bill No. 463, entitled

An Act relating to the control and government of fire departments in townships of this State,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Branning, Burgess, Byrnes, Carson, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—35.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 545, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a system of public instruction," approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff—44.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Doremus, Larison, Wortendyke—3.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 544, entitled

An Act relative to the State board of assessors,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell,

Carson, Chapman, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Neighbour, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—44.

In the negative—none.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 501, entitled

An Act for the regulation of salaries of city treasurers in cities of the second class,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Bell, Boud, Branning, Byrnes, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Harrigan, Hoffman, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—41.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Burgess, Cadmus, Campbell, Coombs, Harrison, Jenkins, Neighbour—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.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,

April 17th, 1884. }

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. 545, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a system of public instruction," approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

With amendments,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

The amendments were read and adopted.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 236, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and materials in the erecting and building" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred seventy-four,

Were read, and concurred in by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, North, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Rue, Savage, Scott, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—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.

Mr. Chapman offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted :

Resolved, That it is due to the dignity and self-respect of this House, and to the reputation and honor of the State, that the statement published in the *Trenton Times* of this State, that the closing hours of the last House were made disgraceful by recesses of disorder and drunkenness, should be denounced as a scurrilous libel on the members of the House, without the least foundation in fact.

Mr. Cole moved to reconsider the vote by which the resolution was adopted.

Mr. Burgess moved to lay the motion on the table,

Which was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 23, entitled

An Act to authorize actions against the State in certain cases,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and lost by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Branning, Byrnes, Cadmus, Carson, Chapman, Cole, Flynn, Harrigan, Jernee, McLaughlin, Savage, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff—14.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Caminade, Campbell, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus,

Haines, Harrison, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Ludlam, North, Ross, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Weaver—25.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 402, entitled

An Act providing for the election of two freeholders in wards of cities in this State in certain cases,

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chapman, Clarke, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Jernee, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick—29.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Campbell, Carson, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Harrison, Hoffman, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Ludlam, Neighbour, North, Scott, Stafford, Weaver, Woodruff, Wortendyke—24.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 369, entitled

An Act fixing the compensation for publishing the laws in the newspapers,

Assembly Bill No. 489, entitled

An Act to prevent extravagance in the use of school books,

House amendments to

Senate Bill No. 208, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate fees," approved June thirteenth, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-nine,

Correctly engrossed.

Mr. McLaughlin offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted :

Resolved, That the resolution, by which the *Trenton Times* was censured, be amended to the effect that an investigating committee be appointed to inquire into the truth of the charges.

Senate Bill No. 158, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "An act relating to the opening of by-roads," approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Kelly, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Ross, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—37.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Ludlam—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. Rich, after having changed his vote on the concurrence of Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 402, entitled

An Act providing for the election of two freeholders in wards of cities in this State in certain cases,

Moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was lost,

Which was agreed to, by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Branning, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick—36.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armstrong, Bell, Campbell, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Harrison, Hoffman, Jenkins, Keasbey, North, Rue, Stafford, Weaver, Woodruff, Wortendyke—17.

The House then concurred in the amendments by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Branning, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Jernee, Kelly, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick—36.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Campbell, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Hoffman, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Ludlam, Rue, Stafford, Woodruff—16.

Senate Bill No. 233, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to the management of the moneys of the school fund," passed March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Was taken up on its second reading, and considered by sections.

Mr. Lehlbach moved to strike out the enacting clause,

Which was lost, by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Campbell, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, North, Prall, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Weaver, Woodruff—27.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—28.

Mr. Cole moved the further consideration of the bill be indefinitely postponed,

Which was lost, by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Cadmus, Carson, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lupton, North, Prall, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford—25.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Caminade, Chapman, Clarke, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Larison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—28.

Mr. Chapman offered the following amendment, which was lost :

Strike out the words "provided, however, that the amount at which the property is appraised, shall not exceed the average amount at which the property has been appraised for taxation for three years previous to making the loan on said property."

Mr. Rich moved the previous question.

The main question was then ordered by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Jernee, Kelly, Larison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—26.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lupton, North, Prall, Scott, See, Stafford—23.

Mr. Chapman's amendment was lost by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Caminade, Chapman, Clarke, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Larison, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—26.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Cadmus, Carson, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, North, Prall, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Woodruff—28.

Mr. Prall moved to amend as follows:

“That no funds shall be loaned on any property not improved by valuable buildings,”

Which was agreed to, by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Burgess, Cadmus, Carson, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Lupton, Prall, Rue, See, Woodruff—25.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Budd, Byrnes, Chapman, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—23.

Mr. Cole moved to postpone the further consideration of the bill until 12 o'clock M., Friday, April 18th, 1884,

Which was not agreed to by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Cadmus, Carson, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, North, Prall, Rue, See, Woodruff—23.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Caminade, Chapman, Clarke, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—28.

The bill was then laid over temporarily.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 485, entitled

An Act to provide for the appointment of commissioners of appeals in cases of taxation in cities of the first class,

Correctly engrossed.

Assembly Bill No. 532, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide for protection of the public health,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 503, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Oak Wood Cemetery Association,"

Correctly engrossed.

Senate Bill No. 208, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate fees," approved June thirteenth, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-nine,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 503, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Oak Wood Cemetery Association,"

Were read, and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Robbins, Rue, Scott, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff—43.

In the negative—none.

Mr. Steljes, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Senate Bill No. 266, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a system of public instruction" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Without recommendation.

Senate Bill No. 266, entitled

An Act to amend act entitled "An act to establish a system of public instruction" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Hough, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff—43.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Bell, Holzwarth, Irons—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.

Senate Bill No. 208, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate fees," approved June thirteenth, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-nine,

With amendments,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Budd, Byrnes, Caminade, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, McLaughlin, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff—36.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Jenkins—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.

Senate Bill No. 195, entitled

An Act authorizing the incorporated cities, towns and townships of this State to renew matured and maturing bonds,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Armstrong, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Clarke, Doremus, Fish, Hoffman, Jenkins, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Scott, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff—31.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Byrnes, Caminade, Coombs, Dickinson, Irons, Keasbey, Lupton, O'Connor, Prall, Wortendyke—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.

Assembly Bill No. 439, entitled

A Supplement to an act respecting the court of chancery,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Carson, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Hough, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasby, Kelly, Lake, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, See, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Woodruff—37.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Coombs, Holzwarth, Irons, Larison, Lehlbach, Neighbour—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.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 17th, 1884. }

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. 364, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the formation of borough governments," approved April fifth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

Without amendments.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Said bill having passed both Houses, was this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills, with the following certificate endorsed on the same:

"I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

HENRY D. WINTON,

Clerk."

Senate Bill No. 229, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the support of the New Jersey State Reform School for Boys," approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Haines, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam,

McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, Prall, Rich, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker)—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.

Assembly Bill No. 489, entitled

An Act to prevent extravagance in the use of school books,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Larison, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Rue, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—33.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armitage, Burgess, Caminade, Haines, Jenkins, Keasbey, Lehlbach, North—9.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 229, entitled

An Act to further extend the times before or within the State assessment or other sum required to be paid into the State treasury by virtue of the provisions of the act entitled "An act to increase the revenues of the State of New Jersey," approved March eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine, or any subsequent act, may be paid, and to remit, release and extinguish any conditions, penalties or forfeitures heretofore provided for, incurred or proclaimed by reason of the non-payment of any assessment or sum aforesaid, required by virtue of the provisions of said act,

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Branning, Byrnes, Caminade, Chapman, Clarke, Coombs, Hough, Jernee, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Donnell, Rich, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Woodruff—15.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Cole, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Irons, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, North, O'Connor, Prall, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford—26.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 17th, 1884. }

Mr. Speaker—

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has concurred in the resolution of the House of Assembly, favoring an appropriation for deepening the entrance to the harbor of Atlantic City.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

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 17th, 1884. }

Mr. Speaker—

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has concurred in the resolution of the House of Assembly, requesting the Representatives in the Congress of the United States to use all honorable means to prevent the passage of any bill having for its object the building of a bridge between New Jersey and Staten Island.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 423, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a system of public instruction," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was read a third time, and lost by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armstrong, Branning, Budd, Chapman, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Haines, Irons, Larison, North, Rich, Rue, Scott, Woodruff—16.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armitage, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Clarke, Doremus, Fish, Harrigan, Harrison, Holzwarth, Jernee, Keasbey, Lehlhach, Ludlam, Neighbour, O'Connor, Prall, Robbins, Ross, Steljes, Wortendyke—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. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 66, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and materials in erecting any building" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Correctly engrossed.

The Speaker appointed the following committee to investigate the Trenton *Times* scandal :

Messrs. McLaughlin, Flynn and Fish.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 502, entitled

An Act authorizing cities in the State to fix the salaries of city physicians of such cities,

Were read, and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Robbins, Rue, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick—34.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Haines—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 had passed the same.

Senate Bill No. 276, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of courts of law" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Under suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Lupton, McLaughlin, Robbins, Scott, Stafford, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—34.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Doremus, Holzwarth, Larison, Lehlbach, Ross—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.

Assembly Bill No. 66, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled “An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and materials in erecting any building” (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Carson, Chapman, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Haines, Hoffman, Hough, North, O'Donnell, Rich, Rue, Scott, See, Stafford, Woodruff—20.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Branning, Byrnes, Caminade, Clarke, Doremus, Fish, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, Prall, Robbins, Steljes, Wildrick, Wortendyke—26.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,

Mr. Speaker—

April 17th, 1884. }

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills :

Assembly Bill No. 457, entitled

An Act to provide for sale of assessment deeds and certificate of sale held by townships,

Assembly Bill No. 399, entitled

An Act entitled "An act in relation to statements of foreign insurance companies,"

Assembly Bill No. 537, entitled

An Act to authorize cities to fix salary of recorders.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 273, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning bridges and turnpikes," approved March twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

Was taken, up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armitage, Bell, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Holzwarth, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbor, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Ross, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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.

Senate Bill No. 244, entitled

An Act relating to executors, administrators, guardians, trustees or commissioners,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Stafford—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.

Assembly Bill No. 547, entitled

An Act creating the office of State inspector of railroads, and prescribing the powers and duties appertaining to such office,

Was read a third time.

Mr. Cole moved to strike out the enacting clause,

Which was lost.

Mr. Burgess moved to lay the bill over until to-morrow at 11 o'clock.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 126, entitled

An Act to empower notaries public with the power of commissioner of deeds,

Assembly Bill No. 545, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a system of public instruction," approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Correctly engrossed.

Senate Bill No. 277, entitled

A Supplement to the act concerning roads, approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Rue, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff—37.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Bell, Harrigan, Ludlam, O'Connor—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. Prall, Chairman of the Committee on Banks and Insurance, reported

Assembly Bill No. 13, entitled

An Act for the better security of depositors and creditors in certain banks in this State,

Assembly Bill No. 49, entitled

An Act in relation to savings institutions and incorporated companies making annual reports,

As not acted upon by the committee.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 545, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a system of public instruction," approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Were read, and concurred in by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Chapman, Clark, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Harrigan, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Prall, Rich, Rue, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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. Neighbour, the House adjourned.

FRIDAY, April 18th, 1884.

At 10 o'clock the House met.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Stanger.

Upon calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke.

Mr. McLaughlin, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No. 82, entitled

An Act in relation to the expenses of the departments or bureaus of surveys in cities of the second class,

Favorably.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 457, entitled

An Act to provide for sale of assessment deeds and certificate of sale held by townships,

Assembly Bill No. 399, entitled

An Act entitled "An act in relation to statements of foreign insurance companies,"

Correctly engrossed.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
Mr. Speaker— April 18th, 1884. }

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills :

Assembly Bill No. 543, entitled

An Act concerning railroad companies,

Assembly Bill No. 538, entitled

Supplement to the act incorporating the inhabitants of townships, designating their powers and regulating their meetings,

Assembly Bill No. 480, entitled

An Act to authorize cities in this State in certain cases to extend streets now partly opened, and to pay for such extension,

Assembly Bill No. 390, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize the board of chosen freeholders of the respective counties of this State,"

Assembly Bill No. 386, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning disorderly persons," approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Assembly Bill No. 199, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act incorporating the inhabitants of townships, designating their powers and regulating their meetings,"

Without amendments.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Said bills having passed both Houses, were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills, with the following certificate endorsed on the same:

"I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

HENRY D. WINTON,

Clerk."

The following message was received from the Senate:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,

SENATE CHAMBER,

April 18th, 1884. }

Mr. Speaker—

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has concurred in the resolution of the House, requesting the Governor to return

Assembly Bill No. 164, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the collection of demands against ships, steamboats and other vessels," approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Rich, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 553, entitled

An Act to incorporate the Union Hill Gymnastic Association,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 6,

Relative to claim of Stockton Rifle Association,

Under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Doremus, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Keasbey, Kelly, Lehlbach, North, O'Donnell, Rue, Savage, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick—32.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Dickinson, Fish, Flynn, Irons, Lake, Robbins, Ross, Scott, Wortendyke—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.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 485, entitled

An Act to provide for the appointment of commissioners of appeals in cases of taxation in cities of the first class,

Were read, and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Cole, Coombs, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Hoffman, Irons, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, Neighbour, O'Donnell, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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.

Senate Bill No. 219, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to public printing," approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 82, entitled

An Act in relation to the expenses of the departments or bureaus of surveys in cities of the second class,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Boud, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Carson, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, Lupton, O'Donnell, Prall, Robbins, Rue, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—37.

In the negative, was—

Mr. Caminade—1.

Assembly Bill No. 465, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of the State," approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up from the table.

The vote by which the bill was lost, was not reconsidered by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Boud, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Campbell, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Woodruff—27.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Caminade, Carson, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Lehlbach, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Wildrick, Wortendyke—29.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Senate Bill No. 219, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to public printing," approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Correctly engrossed.

Mr. Clark moved to reconsider the vote by which

Senate Bill No. 23, entitled

An Act to authorize actions against the State in certain cases,
Was lost,

Which was agreed to, by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Boud, Branning, Budd, Byrnes, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Lake, Lupton, McLaughlin, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Robbins, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—32.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Cole, Fish, Haines, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Keasbey, Kelly, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Neighbour, North, Prall, Rich, See, Stafford, Weaver, Woodruff—24.

The bill was then laid over temporarily.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 18th, 1884. }

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. 510,

Incidental bill,

Assembly Bill No. 363, entitled

An Act to establish schools of art, or technical schools, in cities of the first and second classes in this State,

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 510,

Incidental bill,

Were read, and non-concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Campbell, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, North, Rue, See, Weaver, Woodruff—19.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Hough, Irons, Jernee, Kelly, Lake, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Robbins, Ross, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—37.

Mr. Flynn offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted.

Resolved, That a conference committee of three be appointed to meet a similar committee of the Senate upon the Incidental bill, and report back to this House as soon as practicable the result of such conference.

The Speaker then appointed the following conference committee:

Messrs. Flynn, Kelly, Lehlbach.

The following committee was appointed by the Speaker in pursuance of resolution of Mr. Flynn to investigate the affairs between the North River Construction Company and New York and West Shore Railway Company.

Messrs. Stoney (Speaker), Flynn, Savage, Branning, Rue, Carson.

The following message was received from the Senate:

	STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
	SENATE CHAMBER,	
<i>Mr. Speaker—</i>	April 18th, 1884.	

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 the Governor of the State be requested, under the authority conferred upon him by Joint Resolution No. 4, approved March eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, to cause such a change in the rooms

of the State House as to furnish the necessary protection to the valuable military records of the State, and for the accommodation of the official having charge of the same.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

In pursuance of Senate Joint Resolution No. 11, respecting the unveiling of the Monmouth Battle Monument, the Speaker appointed the following committee:

Messrs. Chattle and Cole.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 126, entitled

An Act to empower notaries public with the power of commissioner of deeds,

Were read, and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armstrong, Bell, Boud, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Cole, Coombs, Haines, Hoffman, Hough, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, North, O'Donnell, Rich, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Weaver, Wildrick—32.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Byrnes, Harrison, Irons, Lake, Neighbour, Prall, Robbins, Stoney (Speaker)—8.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 18th, 1884. }

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. 546, entitled

An Act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of impure and imitation dairy products,

With amendments,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 546, entitled

An Act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of impure and imitation dairy products,

Were read, and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Boud, Branning, Cadmus, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Keasbey, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Robbins, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 18th, 1884. }

Mr. Speaker—

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has concurred in the House resolution for a committee of conference on

Assembly Bill No. 510,

Incidental bill,

And has named as such committee,

Messrs. Youngblood, Applegate and W. B. Miller.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 246, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning roads" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Correctly engrossed.

Senate Bill No. 219, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to public printing," approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Boud, Branning, Byrnes, Cadmus, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Flynn, Hoffman, Holzwarth,

Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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.

Senate Bill No. 215, entitled

An Act to regulate the manufacture, sale and use of oleomargarine, butterine, suine or any form of imitation butter or cheese, and for the better protection of dairymen and consumers of the products of the dairy,

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were:

Messrs. Alcott, Armstrong, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Haines, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jernee, Lake, Larison, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Ross, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—32.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Applegate, Boud, Fish, Keasbey—4.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

	STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
	SENATE CHAMBER,	
<i>Mr. Speaker—</i>	April 18th, 1884.	

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bill:

Assembly Bill No. 374, entitled

A Supplement to an act relative to the publication of the laws of this State in the newspapers, approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Without amendment.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Said bill having passed both Houses, was this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills, with the following certificate endorsed on the same:

"I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

HENRY D. WINTON,

Clerk."

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 363, entitled

An Act to establish schools of art, or technical schools, in cities of the first and second classes in this State,

Correctly engrossed.

Senate Bill No. 252, entitled

An Act concerning county boards established for the protection of the public health and the registration of vital facts and statistics in counties of this State,

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Campbell, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson, Doremus, Flynn, Haines, Harri-

gan, Jernee, Kelly, Lupton, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Rich, Robbins, Rue, Savage, Scott, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff—33.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Caminade, Holzwarth, Irons, Larison, Wortendyke—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.

Mr. Flynn offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That the resolution that the Legislature adjourn *sine die* at noon to-day, be reconsidered, and that the session be extended for one hour, and that the Legislature adjourn at one o'clock P. M., to-day.

Mr. Neighbour offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That a committee of three on the part of this House be appointed by the Speaker to wait upon the Governor, and inform him that this Legislature is about to adjourn *sine die*, and ascertain if he has any further communication to make to this House.

The Speaker appointed the following committee to wait on the Governor:

Messrs. Neighbour, Boud, North.

Senate Bill No. 246, entitled

An Act for the appointment of a commissioner of taxes and assessments in cities of this State,

Under a suspension of the rules, was read a third time, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Irons, Stoney (Speaker)—10.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Chattle, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Irons, Jernee, Lehlbach, Lupton, Neighbour, North, O'Donnell, Prall, Savage, Stafford, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—24.

Assembly Bill No. 522, entitled

An Act to incorporate fire districts heretofore established or which may be established under the provisions of the act entitled "An act to provide means for protection against fires in townships,"

Under a suspension of the rules, was read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Caminade, Campbell, Carson, Chattle, Clarke, Coombs, Dickinson, Fish, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Prall, Rich, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker)—33.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Boud, Branning, Doremus, Lupton, Neighbour, Weaver, Wildrick, Wortendyke—8.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 510,

Incidental bill,

Were read and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Branning, Budd, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Caminade, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Clarke, Cole, Coombs, Dickinson,

Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Harrigan, Harrison, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Lehlbach, Ludlam, Lupton, McLaughlin, Mills, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Ross, Rue, Savage, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke—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.

Mr. Cole offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted :

Resolved, That the Speaker appoint a committee to wait upon the Senate, and inform them that the House of Assembly is prepared to adjourn without day.

The following report was made :

Mr. Speaker—

The committee, that was appointed to wait upon his Excellency the Governor, would respectfully report that they have performed their duty, and that his Excellency thereupon advised your committee that he had no further communications to make to this House at this time, and desired your committee to extend to the Speaker and members of this House his best wishes.

Mr. Harrigan, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 526, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to ascertain the rights of the State and of the riparian owners in the lands lying under the water of the bay of New York and elsewhere in this State," approved April eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four,

Correctly engrossed.

The Speaker appointed the following committee, as per resolution, to wait upon the Senate :

Messrs. Chapman, Jernee and Cole.

Assembly Bill No. 399, entitled

An Act entitled "An act in relation to statements of foreign insurance companies,"

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Alcott, Applegate, Bell, Branning, Byrnes, Carson, Chapman, Clarke, Dickinson, Doremus, Fish, Flynn, Haines, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Ludlam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Robbins, Rue, Savage, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Wildrick, Wortendyke—32.

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Burgess, Campbell, Harrigan, Hoffman, Keasbey, Kelly, Lehlbach, Prall, Ross, Weaver, Woodruff—12.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 363, entitled

An Act to establish schools of art, or technical schools, in cities of the first and second classes in this State,

Was read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Armitage, Armstrong, Bell, Burgess, Byrnes, Cadmus, Carson, Chapman, Chattle, Coombs, Fish, Flynn, Harrigan, Hoffman, Holzwarth, Hough, Irons, Jenkins, Jernee, Keasbey, Kelly, Lake, Larison, Lehlbach, Lud-

lam, McLaughlin, Neighbour, North, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Robbins, Ross, Scott, Stafford, Steljes, Stoney (Speaker), Weaver, Wildrick, Woodruff, Wortendyke
—40.

In the negative, were—

Messrs. Caminade, Haines—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:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
April 18th, 1884. }

Mr. Speaker—

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has refused to concur in the passage of the following bills:

Assembly Bill No. 224, entitled

Supplement to the act constituting courts for the trial of small causes,

Assembly Bill No. 238, entitled

An Act relative to the fees of the assessors and collectors of taxes of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 239, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act respecting the court of chancery" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 249, entitled

An Act concerning overseers of the highways,

Assembly Bill No. 253, entitled

An Act providing for State and municipal taxes on certain corporations, and the collection thereof,

Assembly Bill No. 265, entitled

An Act to provide for the further relief of poor in cities of the first class,

Assembly Bill No. 270, entitled

A Further 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. 273, entitled

An Act concerning certain administrative departments of government of cities of the second class,

Assembly Bill No. 288, entitled

Supplement to an act to fix the salaries of the officers of the Senate and General Assembly of N. J.,

Assembly Bill No. 301, entitled

An Act concerning terms of office of mayors in the cities of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 302, entitled

An Act concerning the purchase of medicines for the poor in cities of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 303, entitled

An Act concerning cities,

Assembly Bill No. 310, entitled

An Act to exempt hospitals from taxes and water rents,

Assembly Bill No. 314, entitled

An Act tendering to any railroad or canal company having contract exemptions and privileges with respect to taxation and subject to the option of the State, reserved in the charter of such company, to take its property at a valuation not exceeding cost, a release of said option on surrender of said exemptions and privileges,

Assembly Bill No. 325, entitled

An Act authorizing constables and police officers in towns and townships to serve warrants and other criminal process,

Assembly Bill No. 332, entitled

An Act to repeal an act to secure the performance of contracts for city improvements within the time required by such contracts," approved February eighth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Assembly Bill No. 338, entitled

An Act concerning inns and taverns,

Assembly Bill No. 342, entitled

An Act to promote purity in legislation,

Assembly Bill No. 351, entitled

An Act entitled "An act to prevent unjust discrimination in telegraph rates in New Jersey,"

Assembly Bill No. 376, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act to regulate elections,

Assembly Bill No. 379, entitled

An Act to provide for the drainage of meadow lands in townships of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 388, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a license and excise department in certain cities,"

Assembly Bill No. 453, entitled

An Act relating to the improvement of streets in cities of this State, and authorizing such cities to issue loan certificates to pay the costs of such improvements,

Assembly Bill No. 489, entitled

An Act to prevent extravagance in the use of school books,

Assembly Bill No. 496, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a system of public instruction," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 498, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 501, entitled

An Act for the regulation of salaries of city treasurers in cities of the second class,

Assembly Bill No. 505, entitled

An Act concerning official newspapers in this State,

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 4, entitled

Joint Resolution relative to State war claims.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

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,
Mr. Speaker— April 18th, 1884. }

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has refused to concur in the passage of the following bills:

Assembly Bill No. 1, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate and regulate telegraph companies" (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Assembly Bill No. 7, entitled

A Supplement to "An act for the relief of persons imprisoned on civil process" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 12, entitled

An Act in relation to the receivers of insolvent corporations,

Assembly Bill No. 18, entitled

Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning landlords and tenants," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 21, entitled

An Act to provide for the removal of suits at common law to the court of chancery,

Assembly Bill No. 22, entitled

An Act to secure to workmen and operatives their wages and the payment thereof,

Assembly Bill No. 23, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act appointing commissioners for a sinking fund and defining their duties," approved March twenty-fifth, eighteen hundred and sixty-four,

Assembly Bill No. 92, entitled

An Act concerning bonds and mortgages given for the same indebtedness,

Assembly Bill No. 94, entitled

An Act to repeal a certain supplement to "An act respecting the orphans' court," etc.,

Assembly Bill No. 96, entitled .

An Act relating to taxes and assessments and to sales of land for unpaid taxes or assessments,

Assembly Bill No. 99, entitled

An Act to abolish preferences of creditors by insolvent debtors,

Assembly Bill No. 100, entitled

A Further Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 106, entitled

A Supplement to "An act respecting conveyances" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 117, entitled

An Act in relation to the retaking of personal property sold on installments,

Assembly Bill No. 132, entitled

An Act entitled "An act to amend section two of a supplement to an act to partially consolidate the several game laws of this State," chapter sixteen, approved February eighth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Assembly Bill No. 146, entitled

A Supplement to an act relative to officers and commissioners and negotiations,

Assembly Bill No. 147, entitled

An Act to establish a bank and insurance department,

Assembly Bill No. 151, entitled

An Act requiring the publication of county receipts and expenditures quarterly,

Assembly Bill No. 153, entitled

An Act to secure to creditors an equal distribution of the assets of insolvent corporations,

Assembly Bill No. 169, entitled

An Act to provide against the spreading of fire and danger to life and limb occasioned by unguarded and insufficiently guarded elevator passageways and hoistways in buildings,

Assembly Bill No. 184, entitled

An Act to authorize the boards of councilmen of incorporated towns in this State to license, regulate and prohibit the sale of malt, spirituous, vinous and other liquors,

Assembly Bill No. 196, entitled

An Act to defray the expenses of a special committee of the House of Assembly to investigate the subject of riparian rights,

Assembly Bill No. 204, entitled

An Act concerning cities,

Assembly Bill No. 205, entitled

An Act extending powers of health or sanitary inspectors,

Assembly Bill No. 210, entitled

An Act for the protection of storage or warehouse-keepers, or owners,

Assembly Bill No. 213, entitled

A Supplement to an act concerning townships and township officers, approved April twenty-first, eighteen hundred and seventy-six,

Assembly Bill No. 216, entitled

An Act respecting cities in this State, and to provide for a more efficient government therein.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

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,
Mr. Speaker— April 18th, 1884. }

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has concurred in the resolution of the House, requesting the Senators and Representatives in Congress to use their best endeavors to improve the approaches to the port of New York at Sandy Hook.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

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,
Mr. Speaker— April 18th, 1884. }

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has concurred in the resolution of the House, requesting the Senators and Representatives of this State, in Congress, to use all honorable means to prevent the passage of

any bill having for its object the building of a bridge between any portion of the State of New Jersey, and Staten Island, of New York.

WILLIAM A. STILES,

Secretary of the Senate.

Speaker Stoney announced that the hour having arrived when, by concurrent resolution, the Legislature was to adjourn, he, therefore, declared the House adjourned *sine die*.

Thereupon, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, being the hour fixed for adjournment, the House of Assembly proceeded to the Senate Chamber. The Senate being in Executive Session, the House was obliged to wait some time. Upon being admitted, it was found that the Senate had been adjourned *sine die* in Executive Session.

HENRY D. WINTON,

Clerk.

Attest: SAMUEL FOWLER,

Journal Clerk.

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The following bills having failed to become laws, and remaining in possession of the Clerk of the House, were delivered by him to the State Librarian for safe keeping :

Assembly Bill No. 1, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate and regulate telegraph companies" (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Assembly Bill No. 2, entitled

An Act relative to actions for injuries,

Assembly Bill No. 4, entitled

An Act for the protection of life and property in counties of the first class in this State from the explosion of steam boilers,

Assembly Bill No. 9, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the organization of the National Guard of the State of New Jersey," approved March ninth, eighteen hundred and sixty-nine,

Assembly Bill No. 15, entitled

An Act to provide for the election of delegates to a convention to prepare a constitution for the government of this State, and for submitting the same to the people thereof for ratification or rejection,

Assembly Bill No. 34, entitled

An Act to provide for the taxation of the real estate of railroad corporations in the State of New Jersey,

Assembly Bill No. 39, entitled

An Act relative to actions by persons injured or killed at railroad crossings in cities of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 45, entitled

An Act authorizing suits to be brought against the State of New Jersey,

Assembly Bill No. 59, entitled

An Act to repeal a part of section two, of chapter CCCCXCIX., of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 75, entitled

An Act to provide for the better protection of life and limb on all railroads carrying passengers in this State,

Assembly Bill No. 101, entitled

An Act to repeal the proviso in section one of an act entitled "An act providing for State taxes on railroads and the more efficient collection thereof,"

Assembly Bill No. 103, entitled

An Act to repeal "An act explanatory of the proviso of first section of an act providing for State taxes on railroads, and the more efficient collection thereof,"

Assembly Bill No. 105, entitled

An Act to give to firemen the same advantages in respect to taxes and jury duty as now are or hereafter may be allowed to members of the National Guard of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 119, entitled

An Act for the relief of William A. Ripley et als.,

Assembly Bill No. 137, entitled

An Act in relation to suits in the court of chancery,

Assembly Bill No. 140, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting conveyances" (Revision), approved March twenty-seven, eighteen hundred and seventy-five,

Assembly Bill No. 153, entitled

An Act to secure to creditors an equal distribution of the assets of insolvent corporations,

Assembly Bill No. 157, entitled

An Act to provide for the election of chosen freeholders in incorporated boroughs,

Assembly Bill No. 175, entitled

An Act to repeal an act entitled "A further supplement to an act concerning corporations,"

Assembly Bill No. 182, entitled

An Act limiting fares to be charged by horse railroad companies within the corporate limits of any city of the State of the first class,

Assembly Bill No. 188, entitled

An Act to provide for State taxes on telegraph, telephone, electric light, horse railroad, express, life insurance and petroleum oil or pipe line companies, and for the efficient collection thereof,

Assembly Bill No. 190, entitled

An Act in relation to railroad corporations leasing their road or any part thereof,

Assembly Bill No. 196, entitled

An Act to defray the expenses of a special committee of the House of Assembly to investigate the subject of riparian rights,

Assembly Bill No. 202, entitled

An Act to repeal section twenty-three of an act entitled "An act concerning mortgages," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Assembly Bill No. 216, entitled

An Act respecting cities in this State and to provide for a more efficient government therein,

Assembly Bill No. 224, entitled

Supplement to the act constituting courts for the trial of small causes,

Assembly Bill No. 238, entitled

An Act relative to the fees of the assessors and collectors of taxes of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 239, entitled

An Act to amend an act entitled "An act respecting the court of chancery" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 246, entitled

Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning roads" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 249, entitled

An Act concerning overseers of the highways,

Assembly Bill No. 253, entitled

An Act providing for State and municipal taxes on certain corporations, and the collection thereof,

Assembly Bill No. 265, entitled

An Act to provide for the further relief of poor in cities of the first class,

Assembly Bill No. 267, entitled

An Act for the support of fire organizations,

Assembly Bill No. 268, entitled

A Supplement to "An act concerning roads,"

Assembly Bill No. 269, entitled

An Act concerning cities of the first class,

Assembly Bill No. 270, entitled

A Further 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. 273, entitled

An Act concerning certain administrative departments of government of cities of the second class,

Assembly Bill No. 288, entitled

Supplement to an act to fix the salaries of the officers of the Senate and General Assembly of N. J.,

Assembly Bill No. 296, entitled

An Act relating to cities,

Assembly Bill No. 299, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning corporations," approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Assembly Bill No. 301, entitled

An Act concerning terms of office of mayors in the cities of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 302, entitled

An Act concerning the purchase of medicines for the poor in cities of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 303, entitled

An Act concerning cities,

Assembly Bill No. 309, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of the State" (Revision), approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 310, entitled

An Act to exempt hospitals from taxes and water rents,

Assembly Bill No. 314, entitled

An Act tendering to any railroad or canal company having contract exemptions and privileges with respect to taxation and subject to the option of the State, reserved in the charter of such company, to take its property at a valuation not exceeding cost, a release of said option on surrender of said exemptions and privileges,

Assembly Bill No. 325, entitled

An Act authorizing constables and police officers in towns and townships to serve warrants and other criminal process,

Assembly Bill No. 326, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act constituting district courts in certain cities in this State," approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven,

Assembly Bill No. 332, entitled

An Act to repeal "An act to secure the performance of contracts for city improvements within the time required by such contracts," approved February eighth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Assembly Bill No. 338, entitled

An Act concerning inns and taverns,

Assembly Bill No. 342, entitled

An Act to promote purity in legislation,

Assembly Bill No. 351, entitled

An Act entitled "An act to prevent unjust discrimination in telegraph rates in New Jersey,"

Assembly Bill No. 369, entitled

An Act fixing the compensation for publishing the laws in the newspapers,

Assembly Bill No. 376, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act to regulate elections,

Assembly Bill No. 379, entitled

An Act to provide for the drainage of meadow lands in townships of this State,

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 10,

In relation to the record of the officers and soldiers of the late war,

Assembly Bill No. 388, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a license and excise department in certain cities,"

Assembly Bill No. 406, entitled

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning marriages, births and deaths,"

Assembly Bill No. 412, entitled

An Act in relation to assessors and collectors in boroughs and townships in this State,

Assembly Bill No. 416, entitled

An Act validating in certain cases sales and conveyances of lands situate in adjoining counties heretofore made by a sheriff of one of such counties,

Assembly Bill No. 429, entitled

An Act to provide for making and giving official bonds by clerks and treasurers of boroughs and villages,

Assembly Bill No. 440, entitled

An Act to amend the practice act, approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 442, entitled

An Act to prevent illegal use of passes on railroad, steamboat and ferry companies,

Assembly Bill No. 452, entitled

An Act to enlarge and confer additional power upon boards of health in cities of this State,

Assembly Bill No. 453, entitled

An Act relating to the improvement of streets in cities of this State, and authorizing such cities to issue loan certificates to pay the costs of such improvements,

Assembly Bill No. 456, entitled

An Act relating to compensation of trustees and guardians,

Assembly Bill No. 457, entitled

An Act to provide for sale of assessment deeds and certificate of sale held by townships,

Assembly Bill No. 459, entitled

An Act providing compensation for the services of commissioners of city boards having the control of the supply and distribution of water,

Assembly Bill No. 473, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning the granting of licenses to sell strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer within the limit of incorporated cities," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 489, entitled

An Act to prevent extravagance in the use of school books,

Assembly Bill No. 496, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a system of public instruction," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 498, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 499, entitled

An Act concerning horse railroads,

Assembly Bill No. 500, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies" (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Assembly Bill No. 501, entitled

An Act for the regulation of salaries of city treasurers in cities of the second class,

Assembly Bill No. 505, entitled

An Act concerning official newspapers in this State,

Assembly Bill No. 507, entitled

An Act relative to the establishment of gas companies in cities, towns and boroughs,

Assembly Bill No. 511, entitled

An Act concerning licenses for the sale of liquors,

Assembly Bill No. 512, entitled

An Act to amend and consolidate an act relative to game and game fish,

Assembly Bill No. 526, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to ascertain the rights of the State and of the riparian owners in the lands lying under the waters of the bay of New York and elsewhere in this State," approved April eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four,

Assembly Bill No. 528, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to abolish and prohibit the employment, under contract, of convicts," &c.,

Assembly Bill No. 533, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning evidence" (Revision),

Assembly Bill No. 548, entitled

An Act to provide for an exhibit of the manufactures, products and resources of the State of New Jersey in the World's Industrial and Cotton Centennial Exposition, to be opened in New Orleans on the first Monday in December,

Joint Resolution No. 4, entitled

Joint Resolution relative to State war claims.

SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 6, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to compel the determination of claims to real estate in certain cases and to quiet the title to the same," approved March second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy,

Senate Bill No. 7, entitled

A Supplement to chapter XI. of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

Senate Bill No. 12, entitled

An Act to extend the time of chartered railroad companies whose time for completing their railroads shall expire in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, when work has been performed on said railroads and money expended thereon,

Senate Bill No. 46, entitled

An Act respecting salaries of prosecutors of the pleas in counties of the second class,

Senate Bill No. 54, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes,"

Senate Bill No. 58, entitled

An Act to quiet litigation,

Senate Bill No. 64, entitled

An Act concerning a division of wards in cities of the third class in this State,

Senate Bill No. 74, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Bill No. 76, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act relating to sales of lands under a public statute, or by virtue of any judicial proceedings" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Bill No. 49, entitled

An Amendment to "An act to prevent rending, using or exploding of guns, pistols, toy pistols or other fire-arms to or by persons under the age of fifteen years in this State,"

Senate Bill No. 80, entitled

An Act in relation to lay judges in the orphans', common pleas, quarter sessions and special sessions courts in this State,

Senate Bill No. 81, entitled

An Act in relation to the codification and revision of the ordinances of cities of the second class,

Senate Bill No. 91, entitled

An Act to promote the more general understanding of the system of government of the United States and of the State of New Jersey,

Senate Bill No. 99, entitled

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning roads," approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six,

Senate Bill No. 105, entitled

An Act amending "An act to provide for the purchase, construction and maintenance of public parks by the cities and other municipalities in this State," approved March fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Senate Bill No. 107, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections," approved April eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Senate Bill No. 108, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections," approved April eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Senate Bill No. 110, entitled

An Act to amend the act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of courts of law,"

Senate Bill No. 111, entitled

An Act to regulate the fees for licenses to keep inns and taverns or victualing houses, and to sell vinous, spirituous or malt liquors at retail in cities of the second class,

Senate Bill No. 115, entitled

An Act for the preservation of sheep, and to encourage the raising of the same in counties of the third or fourth class,

Senate Bill No. 116, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the relief of persons imprisoned on civil process," approved March 27th, 1874,

Senate Bill No. 120, entitled

An Act concerning license fees in cities,

Senate Bill No. 128, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the formation of borough governments," approved April fifth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

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An Act to repeal an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to re-organize the local government of the township of West Hoboken,' passed March the twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four," which supplement was approved April eighth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

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Assembly Bill No. 124, entitled

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Assembly Bill No. 128, entitled

A Further Supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting the office of treasurer," approved March sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

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HENRY D. WINTON,

Clerk.

Attest: SAMUEL FOWLER,

Journal Clerk.

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458. An act to regulate the salaries of commissioners of assessment and revision of taxes in cities of the first class.

461. A supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting conveyances" (Revision), approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

466 A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to provide additional accommodation for the insane of this State," approved March thirty first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one.

467. An act to provide for and secure the raising of revenue for execution of the public duties of maintaining public schools.

474. An act providing further powers in localities governed by commissioners.

475 An act to authorize the conveyance of certain lands belonging to the State of New Jersey, situated in the township of Ewing, and county of Mercer.

480. An act to authorize cities in this State in certain cases to extend streets now partly opened, and to pay for such extension.

484. An act to authorize the sale and conveyance or lease of certain lands of the State of New Jersey, in the borough of Chambersburg, in the county of Mercer.

485 An act to provide for the appointment of commissioners of appeals in cases of taxation in cities of the first class.

488. A further supplement to an act for the better preservation of the early records of the State of New Jersey, passed March twenty-ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two.

490. An act making an appropriation for the extension of the State Prison walls and building workshop for the employment of prisoners.

491. An act to authorize the managers of the State Lunatic Asylum to purchase additional land.

492. A supplement to an act entitled "An act to secure to creditors an equal and just division of the estate of debtors."

502. An act authorizing cities in the State to fix the salaries of city physicians of such cities.

503. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Oak Wood Cemetery Association."

506. A further supplement to an act relative to sales of lands.

510. Incidental bill.

524. An act entitled "An act for the better securing and enjoyment of wages to workingmen and laborers in the State of New Jersey."

537. An act to authorize cities to fix salary of recorders.
538. Supplement to the act incorporating the inhabitants of townships, designating their powers and regulating their meetings.
543. An act concerning railroad companies.
545. A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a system of public instruction," approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.
546. An act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of impure and imitation dairy products.
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SENATE BILLS.

1. An act to protect all citizens in their civil and legal rights.
2. A supplement to an act entitled "An act to limit the age and employment hours of labor of children, minors and women, and to appoint an inspector for the enforcement of the same," approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.
8. An act relating to the payment of money to executors, administrators or trustees, under a trust or power, and discharge on the payment thereof.
11. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of railroad corporations and to regulate the same" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.
15. A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision), approved March twenty seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.
21. An act to authorize the boards of chosen freeholders in the respective counties of this State to renew matured and maturing bonds.
22. An act to prohibit fishing by steamers and other vessels with shirred or purse seines in any of the waters within the jurisdiction of the State of New Jersey.

25. Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the organization of the National Guard of New Jersey," approved March 9, 1869, and the various amendments thereto.

28. A supplement to 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."

30. A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of courts of law," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy four.

31. An act respecting telegraph, telephone, electric light and other wires and cables for electric purposes.

36. An act relative to interest on arrears of taxes and assessments in incorporated cities.

37. An act to facilitate the giving of security on official and other bonds.

38. A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of courts of law" (Revision), approved March twenty seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

40. 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.

41. An act to authorize cities of the second class to make permanent improvements in the road-beds of streets at the general expense

45. An act to change the name of the township of Upper Alloways Creek, in the county of Salem, to the township of Alloway.

48. A supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize and regulate the business of banking," approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

57. An act concerning recognizances in criminal cases.

60. An act to enable incorporated towns to construct water-works for the extinguishment of fires and supplying the inhabitants thereof with pure and wholesome water.

65. An act granting to boroughs and towns the right to license inns, taverns and saloons.

67. A supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of railroad corporations and regulate the same," approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three

69. An act concerning township ordinances.

70. An act to authorize the construction, curbing and paving of sidewalks and crosswalks in townships.

71. A supplement to an act entitled "An act constituting district courts in certain cities in this State," approved March ninth, eighteen hundred and seventy-seven.

72. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning corporations," approved April seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-five.

73. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

75. An act concerning the payment of taxes in cities of this State.

78. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning juries," approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four.

82. An act in relation to the expenses of the departments or bureaus of surveys in cities of the second class.

84. An act relating to cities of the second class.

86. A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a bureau of statistics upon the subject of labor, considered in its relation to the growth and development of the State industries."

90. Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the settlement and relief of the poor."

92. A further supplement to the act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

94. An act to provide for the storage of military stores and equipments in the possession of Companies B, C and D, of the Sixth Regiment Infantry, Second Brigade National Guard of the State of New Jersey.

95. An act to incorporate and establish free public libraries in this State.

97. An act to ratify and confirm an agreement made between the commissioners appointed on the part of the State of New York and the commissioners appointed on the part of the State of New Jersey, respecting the location of the northern boundary line between the States of New York and New Jersey and the replacing and erecting of monuments thereon, bearing date the seventh day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

102. An act to repeal section one of "An act fixing the amount to be expended by boards of education in certain cities of this State for permanent improvements in any one year," approved March fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine.

103. An act to provide for drainage and sewerage in densely populated townships in which there is a public water supply.

106. An act for the relief of Edmund Teel

109. An act to authorize the compromise and discharge of claims against one or more of several joint debtors.

112. An act to fix the term of office of chosen freeholders.

114. An act concerning cities in this State.

122. An act to provide a supplement to Stewart's Digest of the Law and Chancery Reports of the State of New Jersey.

124. An act to repeal the act entitled "An act limiting the time for commencing actions against assignee of any person or persons making an assignment for the benefit of his or their creditors," approved March twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty.

124. (Substitute) A supplement to an act entitled "An act limiting the time for commencing action against assignee of any person or persons making an assignment for the benefit of his or her creditors," approved March twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty.

130. A supplement to "An act to authorize the incorporation of rural cemetery associations and regulate cemeteries" (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

133. An act concerning railroads.

135. A supplement to "An act respecting proceedings in criminal cases" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

136. An act in relation to licenses granted by the several courts of this State, at the April term thereof, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

140. An act regulating billiard and pool rooms in this State.

142. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

143. An act to provide means to increase the fish productions in the waters of this State.

145. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate associations for the establishment of lyceums, libraries and literary and scientific societies" (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

146. An act for the encouragement of free libraries in cities.

150. A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning corporations," approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

152. An act to repeal an act entitled "An act in relation to ferries," approved February seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

158. An act to repeal an act entitled "An act relating to the opening of by-roads," approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

160. An act to provide for the payment of indebtedness incurred in excess of appropriation made to any city board having control of the improvement and reconstruction of streets and sewers.

162. An act to enforce the payment of taxes in cities of this State.

165. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize and regulate the business of banking," approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

166. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate fisheries in the river Delaware, and for other purposes," passed the twenty-sixth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and eight.

168. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act in relation to encumbered cities," approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

172. A further 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 March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

173. A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the formation of borough governments in seaside resorts," approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

183. An act for the relief of Joseph B. Cornish.

184. An act providing an additional appropriation for the support of the New Jersey Home for Disabled Soldiers.

187. An act to secure the observance of the annual arbor day in schools.
188. An act to re-imburse William S Weart for damages sustained against the commissioners of the sinking fund of the State of New Jersey.
191. An act to authorize thief detecting societies to exercise police powers in townships.
192. A supplement to "An act relative to the publication of the laws of this State in the newspapers," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.
193. A supplement to the act concerning taxes, approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty six.
195. An act authorizing the incorporated cities, towns and townships of this State to renew matured and maturing bonds.
203. An act to ascertain and define the easterly limits of the seaboard counties of this State, and the jurisdiction thereof.
205. An act concerning the salaries of officers in cities and townships of this State.
206. An act for the relief of Charles S. Strader, of the borough of Washington, in the county of Warren.
207. A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to secure to creditors an equal and just division of the estates of debtors who convey to assignees for the benefit of creditors" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.
208. A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate fees," approved June thirteenth, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-nine.
211. An act concerning cities.
212. An act to authorize cities to commute and adjust for a fixed sum the payment by abutting land owners of special sewer taxes.
213. An act relating to straightened or improved lines of railroad.
215. An act to regulate the manufacture, sale and use of oleomargarine, butterine, suine or any form of imitation butter or cheese, and for the better protection of dairymen and consumers of the products of the dairy.
217. An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to further regulate the licensing of inns and taverns and places for the sale of malt, vinous, spirituous and other intoxicating liquors," approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

219. A supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to public printing," approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

222. An act to provide for agreements between creditors and insolvent companies.

228. An act for the support of the Reform School for Boys.

229. A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the support of the New Jersey State Reform School for Boys," approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty two.

231. An act to regulate the constructing and maintaining across the fresh water streams of this State of pipe lines through which petroleum is conveyed, and to place such pipe lines under the control of the State commissioners of water supply.

232. An act to authorize cities to order and regulate the construction of sidewalks, and to provide for the payment of the expense thereof.

234. A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the more easy partition of lands held by coparceners, joint tenants and tenants in common," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

235. An act authorizing repairs to the State Arsenal.

241. A supplement to an act entitled "A bill providing for the founding of a State institution for the instruction and maintenance of indigent deaf mutes, to be known as the State Institution for the Deaf and Dumb," approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

244. An act relating to executors, administrators, guardians, trustees or commissioners.

246. An act for the appointment of a commissioner of taxes and assessments in cities of this State.

247. An act entitled "An act relating to the depth and construction of foundation walls of buildings and the responsibility of adjoining property owners to each other in cities in the State of New Jersey."

248. An act concerning division of wards in cities of this State.

252. An act concerning county boards established for the protection of the public health and the registration of vital facts and statistics in counties of this State.

253. An act to defray the expenses of the commission appointed by the act entitled "An act for the appointment of a commission in relation to the question of oyster planting in the waters of the State."

258. An act relating to the issue of temporary loan bonds
259. A supplement to the act entitled "An act to authorize townships to employ police," approved February twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three
262. An act to amend an act entitled "An act for the formation of borough governments in seaside resorts," approved March, twenty-ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy eight.
264. An act to authorize townships to compromise bonded indebtedness by the issue of new bonds
266. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a system of public instruction" (Revision), approved March twenty seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.
267. An act respecting the office of commissioner of railroad taxation.
268. An act for the better protection of life.
272. A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning idiots and lunatics," approved March twenty-seven, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.
273. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning bridges and turnpikes," approved March twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.
276. A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of courts of law" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.
277. A supplement to the act concerning roads, approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTIONS.

8. Joint Resolution authorizing quartermaster-general to deliver to Frank A. Souders a certain Confederate flag, captured by him.
12. Joint Resolution relative to the claims of New Jersey soldiers.
16. Joint Resolution requesting the repeal of a part of the United States revenue laws relating to alcohol.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTIONS.

1. Joint Resolution relative to the planting of forest trees.
6. Joint Resolution relative to claim of Stockton Rifle Association.
8. Joint Resolution relative to the salary of the commissioner of railroad taxation.
9. Joint Resolution requesting Congress to pass a bill to promote the efficiency of the revenue marine service.
10. Joint Resolution authorizing the Governor, upon the request of the commissioners of State water supply, to communicate with the authorities of the State of New York in relation to the waters flowing into New Jersey from that State.
11. Joint Resolution to enable the Senate of New Jersey to take part in the ceremonies attending the unveiling at Freehold, New Jersey, of the monument to commemorate the battle of Monmouth.

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to ascertain how the consulting physician of the State Prison was appointed—1044.

to confer with Senate committee on Assembly Bill No. 378—1103.

Committees (Special) to investigate the "Trenton Times" scandal—1220.

to confer with Senate committee on Incidental Bill—
1234, 1237.

to investigate the affair between the North River Construction Company and New York and West Shore Railroad Company—1234.

to wait upon the Senate—1243.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS.

ASSEMBLY.

Resolution—(concurrent), That a committee of eight, three on the part of the Senate and five on the part of the House, be designated by the President of the Senate and the Speaker of this House, respectively, to make the necessary arrangements for the inauguration of Hon Leon Abbett as Governor of the State of New Jersey—23.

(concurrent), That when the House adjourn it be to meet at Taylor Opera House, in the city of Trenton, at 11:30 o'clock A. M., to participate in the inaugural ceremonies of Governor-elect Leon Abbett—81.

(concurrent), That a joint meeting of the two Houses of the Legislature be held in the Assembly Chamber, at twelve o'clock noon, on Wednesday, the 30th day of January, 1884, for the election of such officers as is proper for said joint meeting to elect, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested,—114.

(concurrent), That the Senators and members of the House of Representatives from this State be and they are hereby requested to favor and vote for such a change or modification of existing laws as will continue the present tax on distilled spirits, commonly called the whisky tax, and pay the amount received therefrom annually to the several States, in proportion to the population of each State—116.

(concurrent), That his Excellency the Governor be requested to return to the House of Assembly, in which it originated, Assembly Bill No 33, entitled "A further supplement to an act relative to sales of land under a public statute or by virtue of any legal proceedings" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four—356, 361.

(concurrent), That a joint meeting of the two Houses of the Legislature be held in the Assembly Chamber, at 12 o'clock, on Wednesday, the twentieth day of February, inst., for filling in the office of Commissioner for taking the proof and acknowledgment of deeds, etc., in the several wards and townships of the State—378.

Resolution—(concurrent), That his Excellency be requested to return to this House of Assembly, in which it originated, Assembly Bill No. 62, entitled "An act to provide for the publication of the Manual of the Legislature of New Jersey"—448.

(concurrent), That a joint meeting of the two Houses of the Legislature be held in the Assembly Chamber at 12 o'clock noon, on Wednesday, the 27th day of February, inst., for the election of such officers as it is proper for said joint meeting to elect—448.

(concurrent), That a joint meeting of the two Houses of the Legislature be held in the Assembly Chamber, at 12 o'clock noon, on Wednesday, the 27th day of February, inst., for the election of all such officers as it is proper for said joint meeting to elect—504.

(concurrent), That his Excellency the Governor be requested to return to the House of Assembly, for further consideration, Assembly Bill No. 139, entitled "An act amending an act to authorize the construction of school-houses in cities of the first class of this State," approved February thirteen, eighteen hundred and eighty-three—505, 513.

(concurrent), That a joint meeting of the two Houses of the Legislature be held in the Assembly Chamber at 12 o'clock noon, on Wednesday, the 5th day of March, inst., for the election of such officers as it is proper for said joint meeting to elect—590.

(concurrent), That his Excellency the Governor be requested to return to the House of Assembly where they originated, for further consideration, Assembly Bill No. 248, entitled "Supplement to the 'Supplement to an act to establish an Agricultural Experiment Station,'" and Assembly Bill No. 242, entitled an act entitled "An act to organize and establish a State Board of Agriculture"—637.

(concurrent), That a joint meeting of the Legislature be held in the Assembly Chamber, at 12 o'clock noon, on Wednesday, March 12th, for the election of all such officers as it is proper for said joint meeting to elect—680.

(concurrent), That the Governor be requested to return to the House, from where they originated, Assembly Bill No. 6, and Joint Resolution No. 5—683.

(concurrent), That a joint meeting of the Legislature be held in the Assembly Chamber, at 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, March 19th inst., for the election of all such officers as it is proper for said joint meeting to elect—806.

(concurrent), That a joint meeting of the Legislature be held in the Assembly Chamber, at 12 o'clock noon, on Wednesday, March 26th, inst., for the election of all such officers as it is proper for said joint meeting to elect—903.

Resolution—(concurrent), That the Joint Committee on the Reform School for Boys be directed to investigate the management of that institution, particularly with regard to the question of employment, and inquire into the feasibility of teaching the inmates mechanical trades, and probable cost to the State, and report by bill or otherwise at the next session of the Legislature; *resolved*, that the committee shall have power to send for persons and papers, no expense to be incurred on the part of the State without the approval of the Governor—961.

(concurrent), That the Governor be requested to return to the House of Assembly, for further consideration, Assembly Bill No. 105, entitled "An act to give to firemen the same advantages in respect to taxes and jury duty as now are or hereafter may be allowed to members of the National Guard of this State"—980.

(concurrent), That a joint meeting of the Legislature be held in the Assembly Chamber, at 12 o'clock noon, on Wednesday, the ninth day of April, inst, for the election of Rodman M Price, to the office of Comptroller, and for the election of all such other officers as it is proper for said joint meeting to elect—983.

(concurrent), That his Excellency the Governor be requested to return to the House of Assembly, in which it originated, Assembly Bill No. 348, entitled "An act to validate and render more effective ordinances of boards of health and vital statistics of the several counties of this State"—1035.

(concurrent), WHEREAS, The incentive and rewards given to inventors by the constitution of the United States and the laws of Congress passed thereunder, have done more, perhaps, than any one cause, to advance our whole country to the front rank in wealth, resources and industries among all nations of the world; *and whereas*, any material change in those laws would seriously retard our material progress as a people, therefore, *resolved*, that our Senators and Representatives in the Congress of the United States are respectfully requested to oppose the passage of any bill which would have the effect of discouraging inventions, by impairing the value of patented property, or of imposing any conditions on the owners of such property in prosecuting and maintaining their rights to the full value of their said property, which are not equally applicable under the laws of Congress to the rights of all property, and the remedies provided to protect the same, for all citizens of our entire country; *resolved*, that we heartily approve of such amendments to existing patent laws as shall provide speedy and full punishment for all persons who appropriate the patented property of others without authority of law, and manufacture and sell the same to innocent purchasers and users thereof, to the great annoyance, in some cases, of the user, and to the great injury of the rightful owner of such property in all cases, *resolved*, that a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to our Senators and Representatives in Congress—1075.

Resolution—(concurrent), That his Excellency the Governor be and he is hereby requested to return to this House, Assembly Bill No. 133—1079.

(concurrent), That a joint meeting of both Houses be held in the Assembly Chamber, at 12 o'clock noon, on Wednesday, the sixteenth day of April, instant, for the election of comptroller and all such officers as it is proper for said joint meeting to elect—1096.

(concurrent), That his Excellency the Governor be requested to return to the House, for amendment, Assembly Bill No. 164, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the collection of demands against ships, steamboats and other vessels,' approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven"—1120.

(concurrent), That a committee of five, two to be appointed by the President of the Senate and three to be appointed by the Speaker of the House of Assembly, the Speaker to serve with the committee, be constituted the committee to serve, free of charge, who shall investigate and confer with the commissioners of State water supply upon the subject of pipe lines, with reference to their endangering the purity of the water supply of this State, and report to the Legislature, at its next session, what measures, if any, they believe to be necessary or advisable for an efficient State supervision of pipe lines for the conveyance of petroleum or any of its products or of any similar substances through this State, in order that the sources of water supply shall not be injured thereby; *provided*, that no expense shall be incurred by the committee in the performance of their duties.

(concurrent), That the Legislature adjourn *sine die* on Friday, April 18th, instant, at 12 o'clock noon—1150, 1170.

(concurrent), WHEREAS, It appears from the report of Commander Taylor, of the United States Navy, Naval-Aid to the Mayor of the city of New York, that the approach to the port of New York at Sandy Hook has become inadequate to meet the commercial necessities of the times, by reason of shoaling and the increased draft of modern ships, which fact affects most seriously the commercial, manufacturing and other interests of New Jersey, which are identical with those of New York, and have, in great part, their communication with the world at large through the same channel; *and whereas*, the authorities of the city and State of New York have taken, or are about to take action, requesting the general government to improve the said entrance to the port of New York, and it is the interest of New Jersey to aid in every way; therefore, *resolved*, that the Senators and Representatives of this State, in Congress, be urgently requested to use their endeavors towards securing such prompt and efficient action of the general government for the improvement of the entrance to the port of New York, at Sandy Hook, as the case demands, and as is warranted by the demands of a foreign commerce exceeding that of

all the remainder of our country, *resolved*, that copies of these resolutions be forwarded to the Senators and Representatives of this State, to be presented by them to their respective Houses—1182, 1251.

Resolution—(concurrent), That the delegation representing the State of New Jersey in both Houses of Congress, be and is hereby requested to support the prayer of certain petitioners, citizens of Atlantic county, New Jersey, urging an appropriation for the improvement of the harbor of Atlantic City (Absecon inlet), New Jersey, in order to deepen the channel way over the bar at the entrance to said harbor from its present depth of eight feet to that of sixteen feet, at mean low-water mark; that it may be made a harbor of refuge to vessels coming on the coast in the stress of weather which often constitutes the largest percentage of the merchant vessels entering the harbors on the Atlantic seaboard, as well as to promote the commercial prosperity of said harbor of Atlantic City in its intercourse with New York and other large seaport cities; *resolved*, that this and the foregoing resolution be forwarded to the address of each of the honorable gentlemen representing our State in Congress—1184, 1219.

(concurrent), That the Governor of the State be requested, under the authority conferred upon him by Joint Resolution No. 1, approved March 11th, 1880, to cause such change in the rooms of the State House as to furnish the necessary protection to the valuable military records of the State, and for the accommodation of the official having charge of the same—1192.

(concurrent), WHEREAS, One Erastus Wiman, a British subject, residing on Staten Island, in the State of New York, acting in the interest of certain English capitalists, has caused to be introduced into Congress a bill enabling the said Wiman and the English capitalists of whom he is agent, to construct railroad bridges over the navigable waters of the strait known as Staten Island Kills and Sound, the jurisdiction of the western portion of which strait is inherent in the State of New Jersey; *and whereas*, it is clear that the project of the said British subject, Wiman, will obstruct the navigation of the said Staten Island Kills and Sound; *and whereas*, the said British subject, Wiman, and his English partners intend to convert whatever privileges they may in any way acquire in the State of New Jersey to the sole benefit of the Staten Island Rapid Transit Railroad, a corporation ostensibly organized in the State of New York, but actually resident of Great Britain; therefore, be it *resolved*, that the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey hereby instruct its Senators, and request its Representatives in Congress to use all honorable means to prevent the passage of said bill, so introduced by said Erastus Wiman, a British subject, as heretofore stated—1192, 1251.

(concurrent), That the Senators and Representatives representing this State in Congress of the United States, are earnestly requested to use all honorable means to prevent the passage of any bill hav-

ing for its object the building of a bridge between any portion of the State of New Jersey and Staten Island, in the State of New York—1195, 1251.

Resolution—(concurrent), That the resolution that the Legislature adjourn *sine die* at noon to day, be reconsidered, and that the session be extended for one hour, and that the Legislature adjourn at one o'clock P. M., to-day—1240.

SENATE.

(concurrent), That when the Senate adjourns, it be to meet at Taylor Opera House, in city of Trenton, at 11:30 A. M., to participate in the ceremonies of Governor-elect Leon Abbett—81.

(concurrent), That a special committee, to consist of three members of each House, be appointed to take into consideration the subject of equalization of taxation upon the property of railroads, canals, telegraph, telephone and other corporations, and to prepare and report a bill or bills to provide for such equalization—82.

(concurrent), That the State Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to provide, for the use of the members and committees of the Legislature, ten (10) copies of the Revision of the Statutes of New Jersey, which copies shall be stamped with the stamp of the State Library, and kept for the use of the State—150.

(concurrent), That his Excellency the Governor be requested to return to the Senate Senate Bill No. 14, entitled "A supplement to an act relative to the publication of the laws of this State in the newspapers," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six—411.

(concurrent), That his Excellency the Governor be requested to return to the Senate, for further consideration, Senate Bill No. 103, entitled "An act to provide for drainage and sewerage in densely populated townships, in which there is a public water supply," and Senate Bill No. 59, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the more effectual prevention and detection of crime in the township of Hackensack,' approved February twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and sixty-nine"—509.

(concurrent), That his Excellency the Governor be requested to return to the Senate, for further consideration, Senate Bill No. 65, entitled "An act granting to boroughs and towns the right to license inns, taverns and saloons"—552.

Resolution—(concurrent), That his Excellency the Governor be requested to return to the Senate, for further consideration, Senate Joint Resolution No. 4, entitled "Joint resolution relating to the abolishment of quarantine dues upon certain vessels engaged in the coasting trade"—788.

(concurrent), That his Excellency the Governor be requested to return to the Senate, for further consideration, Senate Bill No. 7, entitled "A supplement to chapter XI. of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two"—827.

(concurrent), That the Governor be requested to return to the Senate, for further consideration, Senate Bill No. 79, entitled "A further supplement to 'An act concerning inns and taverns,' approved April seventeenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six;" also Senate Bill No. 37, entitled "An act to facilitate the giving of security on official and other bonds"—864.

(concurrent), That the Governor be requested to return to the Senate, for further consideration, Senate Bill No. 87, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to sales of land under a public statute or by virtue of any judicial proceedings' (Revision), approved March twenty seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four"—884.

(concurrent), That the Governor be requested to return, for further consideration, Senate Bill No. 165, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize and regulate the business of banking,' approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five"—809.

(concurrent), That the Legislature adjourn *sine die* on Friday, April 18th, at 12 o'clock noon—1102.

(concurrent), That his Excellency the Governor be requested to return to the Senate, for amendment, Substitute for Senate Bill No. 124, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act limiting the time for commencing actions against assignee of any person or persons making an assignment for the benefit of his or their creditors,' approved March twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty"—1115.

(concurrent), That his Excellency the Governor be requested to return to the Senate, for further consideration, Senate Bill No. 203, entitled "An act to ascertain and define the easterly limits of the seaboard counties of this State and the jurisdiction thereof"—1172.

(concurrent), WHEREAS, The Secretary of the Treasury, in his last annual report, recommends the abolition of the customs districts of Great Egg Harbor and Little Egg Harbor, in the State of New Jersey; by the consolidation of the same with the customs districts.

of Philadelphia; *and whereas*, this recommendation, if carried out, would result in greater expense to the federal government in the collection of customs from these ports, besides being deeply humiliating to New Jersey as a State; therefore, *resolved*, that the Representatives in Congress from the State of New Jersey, be requested to resist any proper legislation intended to abolish the said customs districts of Great Egg Harbor and Little Egg Harbor, *resolved*, that the Secretary of the Senate be directed to forward a copy of these resolutions to each Representative of this State in the Congress of the United States—1196.

Resolution—(concurrent), WHEREAS, The destruction of valuable food fishes along the coast of New Jersey, is incident to the capture of "menhaden" and other less valuable fishes by persons employed on what is known as a menhaden and other fishing companies; *and whereas*, the indiscriminate destruction practiced by the menhaden and other companies is greatly detrimental to the interests of the people of New Jersey, therefore, *resolved*, that our Senators and Representatives in Congress be and they are hereby requested to procure the passage of a law, which shall confer common jurisdiction upon the lawful authorities of New Jersey over the waters of the high seas for a distance of three miles from any and every portion of the New Jersey coast, in order that further destruction of such valuable food fishes may be prohibited, and so prevented—1196.

(concurrent), That the House of Assembly be requested to return to the Senate, for further consideration, Senate Bill No. 155, entitled "An act authorizing the president or law judge of the courts of common pleas, courts of general quarter sessions of the peace and special sessions in counties of the first class in this State to employ a stenographer"—510.

(concurrent), That the House of Assembly be requested to return to the Senate, for further consideration, Senate Bill No. 166, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate fisheries in the river Delaware, and for other purposes,' passed the twenty-sixth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and eight"—632.

(concurrent), That the House of Assembly be requested to return to the Senate, for further consideration, Senate Bill No. 182, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend and consolidate the several acts relating to game and game fish,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four"—694.

(concurrent), That the House of Assembly be requested to return to the Senate, for further consideration, Senate Bill No. 83, entitled "An act to prevent crime"—741.

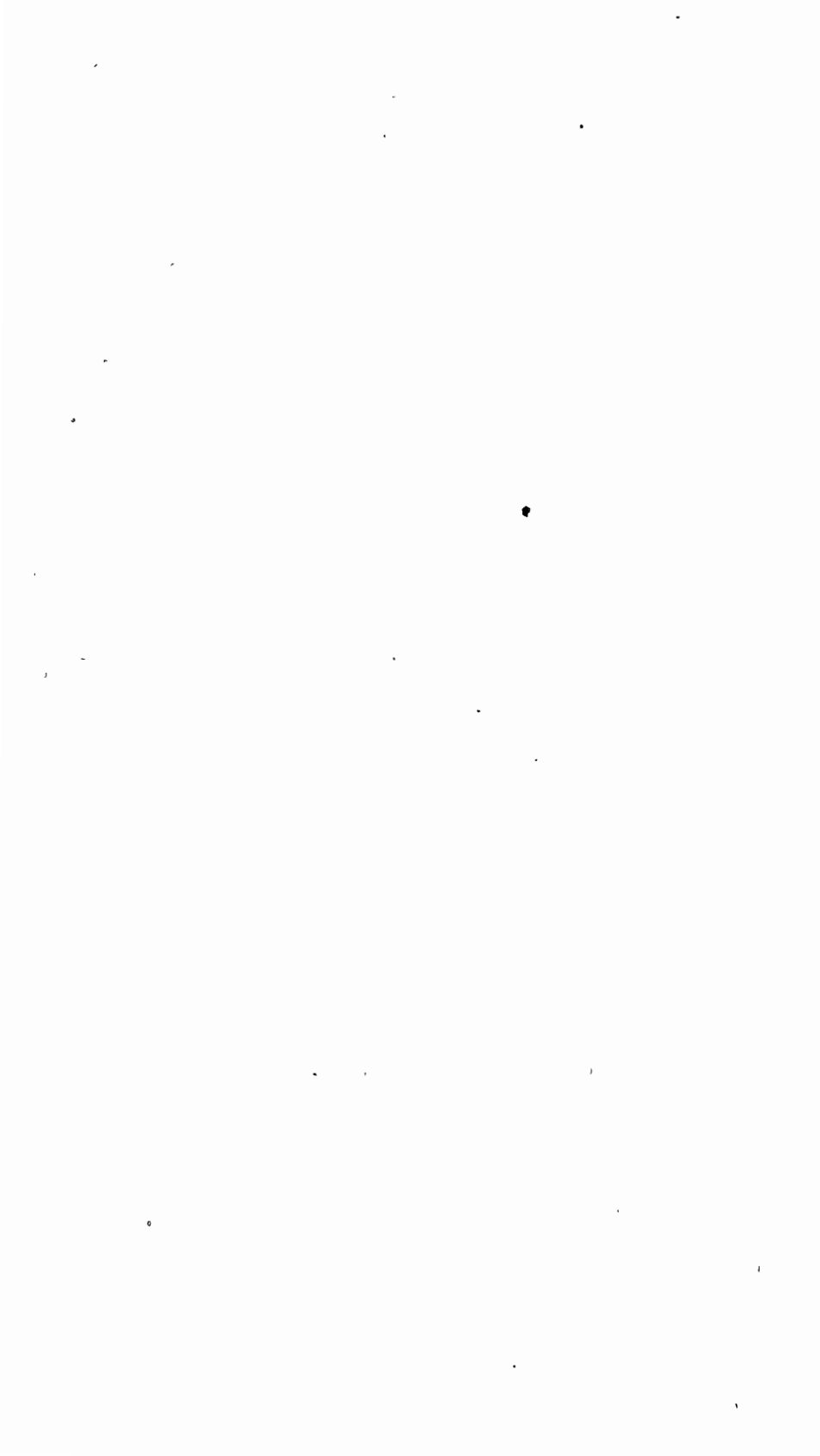
Resolution—(concurrent), That the House of Assembly be requested to return to the Senate, for further consideration, Senate Bill No. 113, entitled "An act authorizing the collection of tolls on certain bridges"—1034.

(concurrent), That the House of Assembly be requested to return to the Senate, for further consideration, Assembly Bill No. 331, entitled "An act concerning the appointment of assessors in cities of the first class"—1040

(concurrent), That the House of Assembly be requested to return to the Senate, for further consideration, Assembly Bill No. 138, entitled "An act concerning incorporated towns and certain officers thereof," and Assembly Bill No. 450, entitled "A further supplement to an act concerning corporations"—1100.

(concurrent), That the House of Assembly be requested to return to the Senate, for further consideration, Senate Bill No. 222, entitled "An act to provide for agreements between creditors and insolvent debtors"—1170.

(concurrent), That the House of Assembly be requested to return to the Senate, for further consideration, Assembly Joint Resolution No. 11, "Authorizing the purchase of a historical painting representing the presentation of Molly Pitcher to Washington"—1171.



RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED BY THE HOUSE.

Resolution—That the Hon. Frederick S. Fish, of Essex county, administer the oath of office to the Hon. Edward S. Savage, of Middlesex, by whom the members elect shall be sworn—18.

That the reading of certificates of election be dispensed with unless some objection be made—18.

That the Hon. Augustus A. Rich, of the county of Hudson, being a master in chancery of New Jersey and also a member of this House, administer the oath of office to the Speaker and other officers when elected—19.

That the House do now proceed to the election of Speaker and other officers—19.

That a committee of three be appointed to wait on the Governor and inform him that the House has organized by the election of Hon. Alfred B. Stoney as Speaker and Henry D. Winton as Clerk, and is now ready to proceed to business, and also to receive any communication he may be pleased to make—21.

That the Clerk of this House is hereby directed to inform the Senate the House of Assembly has organized by the election of Hon. Alfred B. Stoney, as Speaker, and Henry D. Winton, Clerk, and has proceeded to business—22.

That until otherwise ordered, the rules of last House be adopted as rules of this House—22.

That when this House adjourn, it do adjourn until Wednesday morning at ten o'clock—22.

That a committee of three be appointed to prepare and report to this House suitable rules for its government—23.

That a special committee of three be appointed by the chair to report at next session of this House a more accurate method of keeping the minutes of its proceedings—23.

Resolution—That until the appointment of the committees of this House, all bills introduced be printed before reference, and that three hundred copies of each bill be printed, together with date of introduction and name of introducer—23.

That the following named persons be and they are hereby elected to the several positions hereafter named :

Sergeant-at-Arms—Cornelius J. Donovan, of Hudson.

Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms—James Johnson, of Passaic.

Keeper of Ladies' Gallery—Jonathan H. Peterson.

Keeper of Gentlemen's Gallery—Benjamin Manning, of Hudson.

Document Clerk—James Byrnes, of Essex.

Door-keepers—John Bunnell and John Feeney.

That the recommendations contained in the Governor's message be referred to the appropriate committees when appointed, and that the usual number of copies be printed for the use of the House—54.

That the usual number of copies of the Governor's message be printed in the German language, and that the printing of the same be done by Joseph Knorr, of Newark—55, 80.

That the Sergeant-at-Arms be empowered to procure and furnish bill files for the use of the members of this House—55.

That a committee of three be appointed by the Speaker to invite the clergy of Trenton to open the sessions of the House with prayer—55.

That the regular hours of meeting of this House be at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and 3 o'clock in the afternoon—55.

That the Clerk of this House be directed to have five hundred copies of diagrams of the House of Assembly prepared, with the names of the members printed thereon, and that the same be ready early next week—57.

That when this House adjourn it adjourn to meet on Friday morning at 8 o'clock, and when it then adjourn it adjourn to meet on Monday evening at 8 o'clock—57.

That three hundred extra copies be printed of Assembly Joint Resolution No. 3, "Proposed Constitutional Amendments"—80.

That when this House adjourn it adjourn to meet on Friday morning at 10 o'clock, and when it then adjourn it adjourn to meet on Monday evening at 8 o'clock—91.

Resolution—That no committee of this House shall report a bill adversely without notifying the introducer of the bill, nor shall such adverse report be received unless the introducer of the bill is in his seat—92.

That the chairman of the Committee on Judiciary and the chairman of the Committee on Revision, be authorized to appoint one clerk to act for both committees, at a salary not to exceed \$300—106.

That the Committee on Municipal Corporations be empowered to employ a clerk, at a salary not to exceed three hundred dollars, and said clerk shall serve the Committee on Corporations—106.

That the Secretary of State be and he is hereby requested to furnish to the House of Assembly, as soon as he conveniently can, a list of officers who are to be elected by the Joint Assembly of the Senate and House of Assembly at the present session of the Legislature—114.

That the Committee on Stationery be empowered and authorized to furnish, within one week, a proper and necessary amount of stationery for the use of this House—131.

That one thousand copies, for the use of the House, and five hundred for the use of the Governor, of the inaugural address, delivered in the presence of the House, by his Excellency Governor Abbott, January 15th, 1884, be ordered printed—135.

That the Committee on Engrossed Bills be authorized to employ a clerk at a salary not to exceed \$500 for the session—135.

That when this House adjourn it be to meet on Friday morning at 9:30 o'clock, and that when it then adjourn it be to meet on Monday evening at 8 o'clock—138.

That the use of the Assembly Chamber be granted to the State Board of Agriculture in the evening of Tuesday, February 5th, for public exercises—146.

WHEREAS, The diagram of the House of Assembly, by reason of change in the position of desks, is no longer correct, *and whereas*, the electrotype plate from which the diagram has been printed for some years past has become worn and imperfect; therefore, *resolved*, that the current printer of this House be authorized and directed to procure a new electrotype plate as soon as possible, and have the diagrams printed therefrom, in accordance with the existing arrangements of desks and seats of members, officers and reporters of the House—151.

That one thousand additional copies of the report of the Special Committee of the Assembly on Riparian Rights be ordered printed for the use of the House—156.

Resolution—That the Stationery Committee be directed to furnish to legislative correspondents bill files, and extend to them such other courtesies of the House as will enable them to facilitate their business—173.

That when this House adjourns, it adjourn to meet on Friday next, at 10 o'clock, and that when the House then adjourn, it be to meet on Monday evening next, at 8 o'clock P. M.—211.

That 300 copies of the rules of the House be printed, with constitutions of the United States and the State of New Jersey, for the use of the members—212.

Recognizing the fact that there are individual cases where a compromise of taxes would be wise in cities and towns of this State; it is *resolved*, that a special committee of five be appointed by the Speaker to take into consideration the subject of compromise of taxes, and report by bill or otherwise to this House—209, 212.

WHEREAS, The act entitled "An act to incorporate the New Jersey Railroad and Transportation Company" provided that at any time after the expiration of thirty years from the completion of the said railroad the State should have a right to take the same at its first cost, (Appendix to Laws, 1849, page 59, section 17); *and whereas*, it is more than thirty years since the road of the New Jersey Railroad and Transportation Company was completed and the right of the State to take said road at its first cost has accrued to the State, provided, only, the legislature cause an appraisement of the first cost of building said road to be made, and the amount to be paid to the stockholders thereof; *and whereas*, the legislature in 1864 passed an act called a further supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the New Jersey Railroad and Transportation Company," (Laws, 1864, page 293,) the first section of which enacted "that the time at the expiration of which it may be lawful for the legislature to cause an appraisement to be made of the New Jersey Railroad and Transportation Company, as provided for in the seventeenth section of the act to which this is a supplement, shall be extended to the first day of January, in the year eighteen hundred and eighty-nine;" *resolved*, that the attorney-general be requested to furnish an opinion as to the power of the legislature of 1864 to extend the State's right of taking said railroad, and as to what effect said act has upon the rights of the State; and if the attorney-general shall be of the opinion that the legislature of 1864 had a right under the constitution of the State to extend the State's right of taking said railroad, he is also requested to furnish an opinion as to whether the legislature of 1884 has a right, under the constitution of the State, to repeal the act of 1864 extending the time—213.

That hereafter four hundred copies of each Assembly bill be printed, instead of three hundred—215.

That three thousand copies of the report of the Special Committee on Contract Convict Prison Labor be printed for the use of the members of this House—219

Resolution—That the usual number of members' complimentary slips be ordered printed—227.

That the sergeant-at-arms procure and supply to each member and officer of the House of Assembly four copies of the Manual for 1884, at a cost not to exceed one dollar per copy—227.

That the quartermaster-general of the State of New Jersey be requested to fire the usual salute on the capitol grounds the 22d day of February, instant—227.

That after the calling of the roll has been commenced upon any question, no member shall be permitted to explain his vote—206, 239.

That a special committee of three be appointed by the Speaker to investigate the charges made by the *Philadelphia Press*, touching the character and reputation of the members of this House; that the committee shall have authority to send for papers and persons, and to administer oaths or affirmations to witnesses, and, if necessary, to employ a stenographer—246.

That a special committee of three be appointed to take into consideration the question of Women Suffrage, and to report thereon by bill or otherwise, and to whom shall be referred the accompanying petition—265.

That the Committee on Incidental Expenses have power to employ a clerk at an expense not to exceed sixty dollars for the session—270.

That the Clerk of this House be empowered to appoint an Assistant Journal Clerk, at a salary of \$300—271.

That the document clerk be directed to pack such documents as each member is entitled to receive, and have same shipped to such points as the members may direct—275

That the Comptroller of the State of New Jersey furnish to the House of Assembly as soon as possible a statement of all the railroad corporations of the State of New Jersey, or doing business in this State owned, leased or contracted by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, and also a memorandum of the statutes under and by which they are taxed; and that the said Comptroller do also furnish a statement of the railroad corporations in this State owned, leased or controlled by the United Companies, to wit The Delaware and Raritan Canal Company, the Camden and Amboy Railroad and Transportation Company, and the New Jersey Railroad and Transportation Company, in the year eighteen hundred and sixty nine—280

Resolution—WHEREAS, The constitution of this State declares in unequivocal language that all property shall be valued at its true value, and assessed under general laws and by uniform rules; *and whereas*, this constitutional duty is the most important the Legislature can prepare; *resolved*, the Committee on Judiciary be directed to prepare and report to the House a bill which will carry into effect the provisions of the constitution—288.

That rule 55 be hereafter strictly enforced, and that the Speaker be requested to issue no passes to this floor unless the recipient shall pledge himself not to seek to influence members on bills pending here—299.

That when this House adjourn it be to meet on Saturday morning at 10 o'clock, and that when it then adjourn it be to meet on Monday evening at 8 o'clock—303.

That the House congratulate the Hon. Mr. O'Donnell on his convalescence, and welcome him on his return to the House—330.

That the House, immediately after roll call this afternoon, shall meet in committee of the whole House, to consider House Bill No 37, that the opponents and advocates of the bill be given an opportunity to present arguments for and against the passage of said bill—362.

That a committee of five be appointed by the Speaker, to consist of three members from Essex and two members from Hudson, to investigate the condition of the Newark Plank Road Company, and to inquire into the facts as to whether they are living up to the letter of their charter with the State, and to report to this House, on Tuesday morning, the 19th instant—381.

That when this House adjourn it be to meet on Saturday morning at 10 o'clock, and that when it then adjourn it be to meet on Monday evening at 8 o'clock—400.

That the reporter of the Evening Journal, of Jersey City, be allowed a seat at the desk on the right of the Assembly Chamber—402

That Assembly Bill No. 98 be made a special order for Wednesday afternoon, at 3 o'clock, and that the House resolve itself into the Committee of the Whole, to hear arguments for and against the bill—409.

That House Bill No. 216 be made the special order for Tuesday afternoon—409.

That 5,000 copies of the report of Joint Committee on Taxation, together with the bills reported by said committee, be printed in pamphlet form for the use of this House—419.

Resolution—That Assembly Joint Resolution No. 3, with the proposed amendments to the constitution, be reprinted with the amendments reported by the Judiciary Committee—446.

That the House go into Committee of the Whole on Tuesday, February 26th, P. M., to consider House Bill No. 253, and the bills presented by the joint committee relative to taxes on corporations—449.

That the Sergeant at-Arms be directed to procure 600 copies of the Manual of the New Jersey Legislature of the One Hundred and Eighth Session, for the use of the House of Assembly, as provided for in Assembly Bill No. 62, which awaits the approval of the Governor—474.

That when this House adjourn, it be to meet again at eight o'clock this evening—485.

That when this House adjourn, it be to meet on Friday morning at 10 o'clock, and when it then adjourn it be to meet on Monday evening at 8 o'clock—491.

That 600 copies of the Manuals be distributed as follows: to each member 9 copies; to the Clerk, Reading Clerk, Journal Clerk, Sergeant at-Arms, and Speaker's Secretary, each 5; to the Assistant Engrossing Clerk and Assistant Sergeant at-Arms, each 4 copies; to each Door-keeper, Bill and Document Clerk and Gallery-keeper, 2 copies each, and to each Page one copy—496.

That 3,000 copies of the oyster commission report be printed for the use of the House of Assembly—540.

That the Committee of the Whole be discharged from further consideration of the joint committee bills on the subject of taxation on corporations, known as Assembly Bills Nos. 313, 314 and 315, and that the bills be placed on the calendar without further reference—542.

That when this House adjourn, it be to meet at 8 o'clock this evening—551.

That five hundred copies of the report of the commissioners of water supply, January, 1884, be printed for the use of this House—562.

That when this House adjourn, it be to meet at 2 o'clock this afternoon—568.

That when this House adjourns, it adjourns until Saturday morning at 10 o'clock, thence to Monday evening at 8 o'clock—569.

Resolution—That the usual number of Governor Abbett's inaugural address be printed in the German language, and that one thousand copies of the report of the special committee on contract convict prison labor, appointed in 1883, also be printed in the German language, and that the printing be done by Joseph Knorr, of Newark, N. J.—579.

WHEREAS, It is given but to few men to attain the age of four score years; and *whereas*, the fact of any man serving sixty years of active political life is itself remarkable; be it *resolved*, that the House of Assembly extends to the distinguished and venerable gentlemen from Warren, Hon. J. W. Wildrick, its hearty congratulations upon his having happily passed his eighty-first birthday, and they wish that he may long survive—a valuable acquisition to the public affairs of this commonwealth—595.

That the Sergeant-at-Arms be and is hereby requested to summon every member and officer of this House to appear in the dining-room of the American House this evening, at 10 o'clock sharp—599

That when this House adjourn it adjourn to meet on Friday morning, at 10 o'clock, and when it then adjourn it adjourn to meet on Monday evening at 8 o'clock—680.

WHEREAS, It is a well-established fact that for some time past foreign laborers have been imported into this country under peculiar contracts, the conditions of which contracts are manifestly detrimental to the labor interests of this country as well as to the foreign laborers so contracting, because of the fraudulent representations made to them regarding the amount of wages paid and the cost of living in this country; therefore, *resolved*, by the House of Assembly of the State of New Jersey, that the Representatives of the State of New Jersey, in the Congress of the United States, be and they are hereby requested to take such official action as will prohibit the importation to the United States foreign laborers under contract, and thereby protect the laboring interests of this country; *resolved*, that an engrossed copy of these resolutions be signed by the Speaker of this Assembly, and by him forwarded for presentation to the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States—687.

That the Speaker appoint a committee of three on the part of the House, to confer with a like committee of the Senate already appointed, on the subject of devising a place to utilize convict labor—725

That before any bill that has once been reported to this House be recommitted to any committee, the introducer be notified by the person proposing to move to recommit—727.

That when this House adjourn it adjourn to meet on Friday morning, at 8 o'clock, and when it then adjourn it adjourn to meet on Monday evening, at 8 o'clock—760.

Resolution—WHEREAS, The Hon. Cornelius A. Cadmus, of Passaic county, is in deep sorrow at the loss of his much respected and beloved father; therefore, *resolved*, that the members of this House extend to the Hon. Cornelius A. Cadmus, their sincere and heartfelt sympathy in this the hour of his deep affliction—780.

That it shall require thirty-one votes to pass a resolution for a final adjournment of this House, and that it shall require thirty-one votes to reconsider this resolution—805.

That the Clerk, Reading Clerk, Journal Clerk, Speaker's Secretary, Engrossing Clerk, Sergeant-at-Arms, Assistant Engrossing Clerk and Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms be furnished with a certificate of their election, the same to be prepared by the Clerk, signed by the Speaker, and attested by the Clerk—832.

That when this House adjourns it adjourns to Saturday morning, at 9 o'clock, thence to Monday evening, at 8 o'clock—846.

WHEREAS, We learn with deep regret that our friend and associate Hon. William Prall has lost his young wife; *resolved*, that we extend to the Hon. William Prall our hearty sympathy in this the hour of his affliction; *resolved*, that the Clerk of this House be directed to forward a copy of these resolutions to Hon. William Prall—850.

That the privilege of the floor of this House be extended to the Hon. Adison C. Gibbs, ex-Governor of the State of Oregon—863.

That the privilege of the floor of the House be extended to the Hon. Senator W. J. McKnight, of Pennsylvania—872.

That when this House adjourn it adjourn to meet on Saturday, the 29th, A. M., and when it then adjourn, to meet on Monday, the 31st, at 8 o'clock P. M.—920.

That five hundred copies of the House Bill No 313, with Senate amendments, be printed—934.

That when this 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—986

WHEREAS, The Hon. Michael J. O'Donnell has met a great misfortune in the loss of his youngest child; be it *resolved*, that the cordial sympathy of this House be extended to our colleague, Hon. Michael J. O'Donnell, in this the time of his bereavement—988.

WHEREAS, The Legislature of the State of New Jersey shares in the common gratitude of the loyal people of the United States towards the patriotic men who defended the government in the

dark days of the rebellion; *and whereas*, this body recognizes the justice and equity of certain claims of the defenders of national union and liberty still unadjusted by the general government of the United States, be it therefore *resolved*, that the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey do hereby request the Senators and Representatives of this State to give their vote and support in favor of H. R. Bill No 2404, introduced by the Hon. Wm. McAdoo, in order that the said bill may become a law—988.

Resolution—That the House of Assembly dissents from the amendments made to House Bill No 313, and that they ask from the Senate a conference, and request that a committee of three, on the part of the Senate, shall meet a like committee on the part of the House—1003.

That this House request a conference and appoint a committee of three, to confer with a committee of three to be appointed by the Senate, upon Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 313, dissented to by this House—1007.

That when this House adjourn it be to meet to morrow morning at ten o'clock, and that when it then adjourn it be to meet on Monday evening at eight o'clock—1011.

That this House views with regret the action of the Senate in limiting the operation of Assembly Bill 313, as passed by the Assembly, and that it accepts and votes for the Senate amendments thereto made, because the State of New Jersey is in actual need of the revenue therein provided to prevent the imposition of a direct State tax; *resolved*, that this House protests most strenuously against the principle of any bill for the raising of revenue which fails to recognize equal taxation and meet the just demands of the people—1011.

That the opinion of the Attorney-General be requested for the information of this House as to the constitutionality of Assembly Bill No. 518—1041.

That a committee of three be appointed by the Chair to ascertain by what authority the consulting physician at the State Prison was appointed, and in what manner he is recompensed, and this committee report to this House in one week—1044.

That the privileges of the floor of the House of Assembly be extended to the Hon C. Morehead, Commissioner-General of the World Industrial and Cotton Centennial Exposition, to be opened in New Orleans next December—1062

That the Secretary of State be requested to furnish the copy, and the current printer authorized to print one thousand copies of the annual election returns of New Jersey, from the year 1876 to 1883, inclusive, for the use of the members of the House—1074.

Resolution—That when this House adjourn, it be to meet this evening at 7 30 o'clock—1075;

That when this House adjourn, it adjourn until Saturday, at 10 A. M., thence to Monday evening at 8 o'clock—1089.

That the House request that a committee of five be appointed on the part of the Senate to meet a like committee to be appointed by the Speaker, on the part of the House, to confer on said bill, with the Senate amendments thereto—1091.

That on Tuesday A. M., next, and thereafter, after the transaction of preliminary business, the roll of the House be called, and that each member, as his name is called, have permission to call up any bill, either Assembly or Senate, and to have the same put upon its third reading; provided, that House bills, to which the Senate has made amendments, may be taken up at any time—1075, 1097.

WHEREAS, A large delegation of the citizens of Jersey City are now on the floor of this House who desire to be heard in relation to Assembly Bill No 541; *and whereas*, this bill seems to be one of great importance not only to Jersey City, but to all sections of our State, therefore, *resolved*, that said bill be referred to the appropriate committee, in order that the gentleman before referred to, and all who desire to be heard, may have an opportunity to-night, immediately after the adjournment of this House—1103.

That 300 copies of the Attorney-General's opinion on Assembly Bill No 518 be printed for the use of the House—1104

That Senate Bill No. 246 be reported with the amendments adopted by the House of Assembly—1105

WHEREAS, It is to the benefit of the people and the officials concerned that frequent and searching investigations of their accounts should be made; *and whereas* many rumors are extant as to the state of the finances of this State, and to us it seems that all such reports and rumors should, in justice to those concerned, be met by strict and searching investigation; *and whereas*, the most important and powerful office of Comptroller has not been subjected to other than a mere perfunctory examination as to the management of the great sums in control of such office, therefore, be it *resolved*, that a special committee of five members of the House (one of whom shall be the Speaker) and five Senators be appointed by the Speaker to investigate the accounts of the Comptroller and other State officers, and the management and business of their offices, and to have power to send for persons and papers, and all powers possessed by such committees under the laws of the State. The said committee is also empowered to employ an expert. Said committee shall sit during the recess, and shall report to the next Legislature by bill or otherwise, and the Treasurer of this State is

hereby authorized and directed to pay, upon the warrant of the Comptroller, such fees and compensation for the above-named purposes as shall be certified to as correct and necessary by the chairman of the committee under whose authority and by whose order such expenses shall have been incurred; provided, such certificate be first approved by the Governor—1127.

Resolution—That when this House adjourn it be to meet at 7.30 o'clock this evening—1130.

When this House adjourn it adjourn to 9 o'clock to-morrow—1171.

That the courtesies of the floor be extended to Hon. G. A. Hobart, ex-Speaker of the House of Assembly—1173.

That when this House adjourn it adjourn to 7 o'clock P. M., this day—1184.

That five thousand copies of Assembly Bills Nos. 313 and 378 be printed and bound together, and that there be sent to each member of this House fifty copies, and remainder be delivered to the proper State officers—1186.

That the sympathy of this House is hereby extended to the Hon. Clark Mills, of Passaic county, on account of his bereavement in the death of his father—1191.

WHEREAS, The North River Construction Company, a corporation formed under a law of this State, having a paid-up capital of ten millions of dollars, incorporated for the purpose of building railroads, has been recently placed in the hands of a receiver by reason of its failure to meet its obligations; and *whereas*, it appears that the officers and directors managing this company held similar positions in other companies whose interests were, in a great measure, antagonistic to those of the Construction Company, resulting in the financial ruin of the Construction Company and the destruction of the rights and property of its stockholders, therefore, be it *resolved*, that a special committee of five members of this House be appointed, with power to send for persons and papers, to investigate into the management of the officers and directors of the said Construction Company, and to report to the next Legislature such suggestions and recommendations as the facts shown may warrant, to prohibit by law the election of officers and directors in companies in which the conflict of interest between such companies prevent such officers and directors from discharging their official duties with a proper regard to the rights and interests of the stockholders of the several companies—1193.

That the courtesies of this floor be extended to Hon. Benjamin Van Riper, member of the Jersey City Board of Education.—1194.

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That the resolution, by which the Trenton Times was censured, be amended to the effect that an investigating committee be appointed to inquire into the truth of the charges—1208.

That a conference committee of three be appointed to meet a similar committee of the Senate upon the Incidental bill, and report back to this House as soon as practicable the result of such conference—1234.

That a committee of three on the part of this House be appointed by the Speaker to wait upon the Governor, and inform him that this Legislature is about to adjourn *sine die*, and ascertain if he has any further communication to make to this House—1240.

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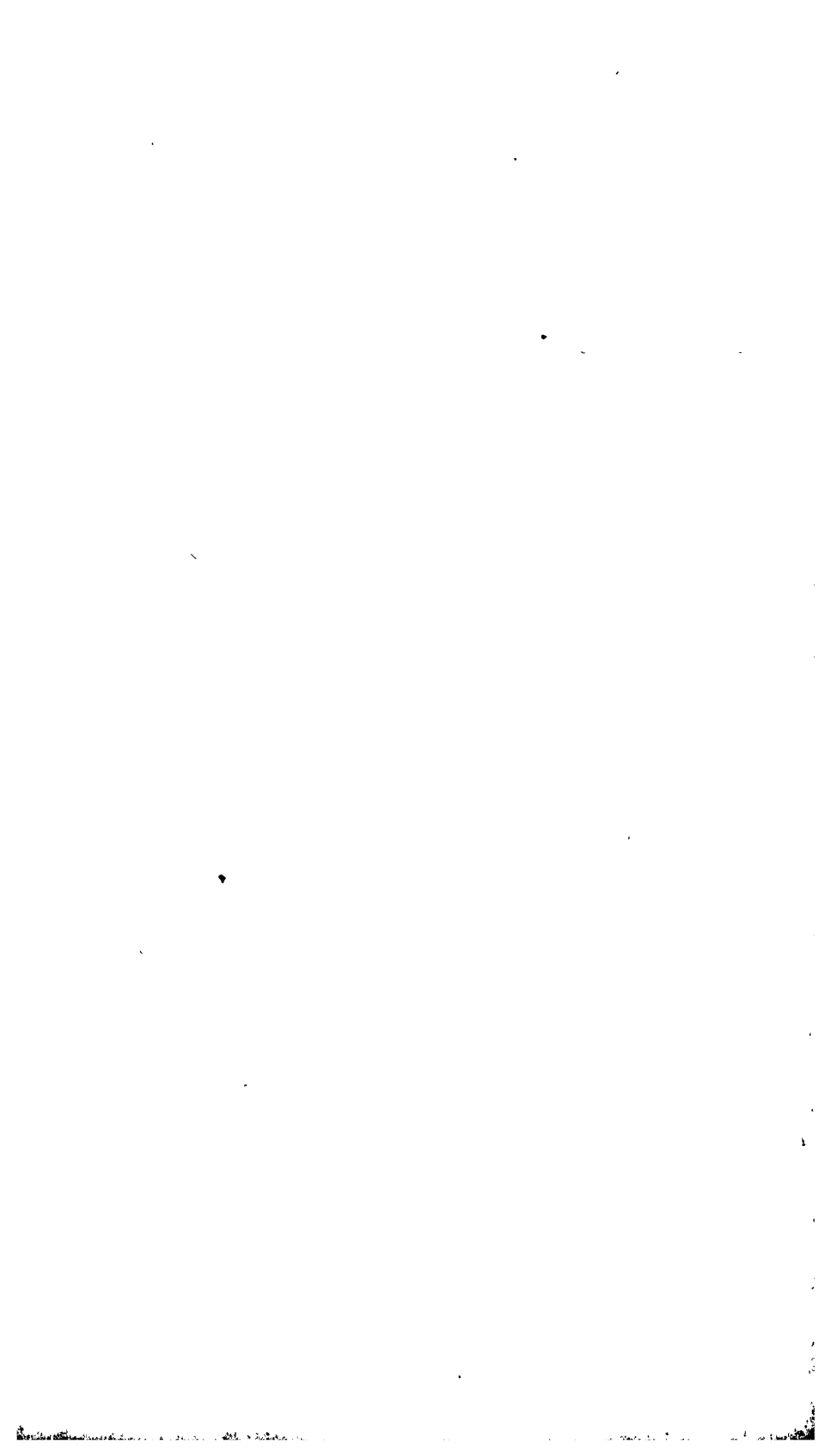
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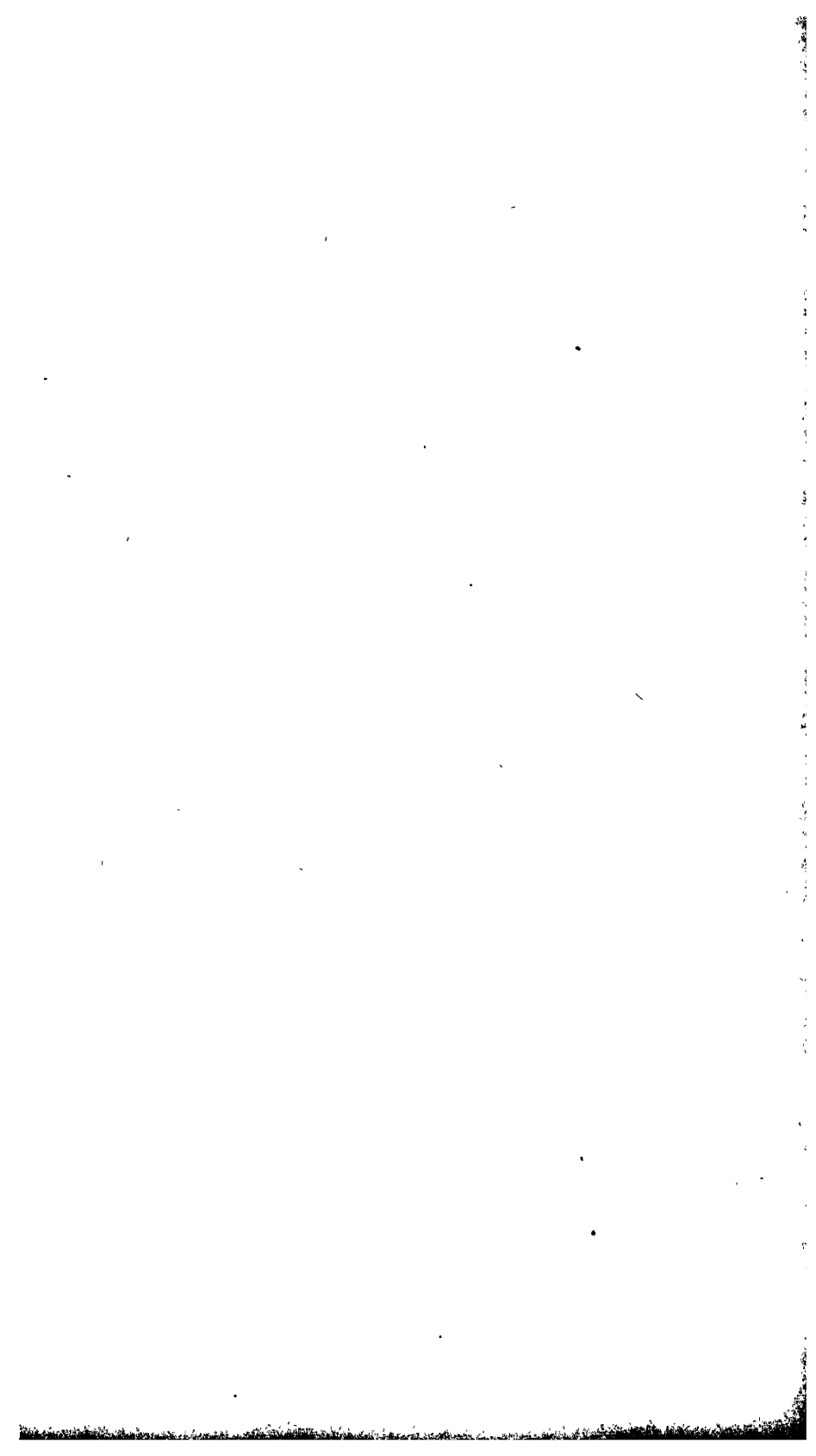
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2. An act relative to actions for injuries.

introduced, 58.
read first time, 58.
referred, 58.
reported with amendments, 198.
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reported engrossed, 222.

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delivered to State Librarian, 1255.

3. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of dentistry, and to protect the people against empiricism in relation thereto, in the State of New Jersey," approved March fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three.

introduced, 58.

read first time, 58.

referred, 58.

withdrawn, 124.

reported favorably, 328.

4. An act for the protection of life and property in counties of the first class in this State from the explosion of steam boilers.

introduced, 59.

read first time, 59.

referred, 59.

reported without recommendation, 198.

read second time, 205.

amended, 205.

reconsidered, 230.

read second time, 230.

amended, 230.

reported engrossed, 260.

laid over, 295.

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delivered to State Librarian, 1255.

5. An act in relation to cities of this State of the first class, enabling them to form a company to reclaim a stream or streams for the purpose of building a ship canal.

introduced, 59.

read first time, 59.

referred, 59.

reported adversely, 200.

reported with amendments, 609.

amended, 609.

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introduced, 59.

read first time, 59.

referred, 59.

reported with amendments, 142.

reported engrossed, 222.

read third time, 241.

passed, 241.

ordered sent to Senate, 242.

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7. A Supplement to "An act for the relief of persons imprisoned on civil process" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four.

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read first time, 59.
referred, 59.
reported favorably, 291.
read second time, 294.
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read third time, 320.
passed, 320.
ordered sent to Senate, 320.
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introduced, 60.
read first time, 60.
referred, 60.
reported adversely, 188.

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introduced, 60.
read first time, 60.
referred, 60.
reported without recommendation, 385.
read second time, 576.
laid over, 707.
delivered to State Librarian, 1255.

10. An act to amend an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crime," approved March twenty-seventh, A. D. eighteen hundred and seventy-four.

introduced, 60.

read first time, 60.

referred, 60.

reported with amendments, 277.

laid over, 286.

read second time, 335.

reported engrossed, 383.

read third time, 413.

lost, 413.

delivered to State Librarian, 1273.

11. An act to fix rates of ferriage for foot passengers on ferries over the waters dividing the State of New Jersey from all adjoining States.

introduced, 60.

read first time, 60.

referred, 60.

reported adversely, 212.

adverse report not concurred in, 212.

laid over, 228.

read second time, 357.

reported engrossed, 405.

12. An act in relation to the receivers of insolvent corporations.

introduced, 60.

read first time, 60.

referred, 60.

reported favorably, 118.

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read second time, 125.
amended, 125.
reported engrossed, 153.
reconsidered, 206.
read second time, 206.
amended, 206. °
read third time, 276.
passed, 276.
ordered sent to Senate, 277.
rejected by Senate, 1248.

13. An act for the better security of depositors and creditors in certain banks in this State.

introduced, 61.
read first time, 61.
referred, 61.
reported as not acted upon by committee, 1225.

14 An act to protect all citizens in their civil and legal rights.

introduced, 61.
read first time, 61.
referred, 61.
reported with amendments, 329.
recommitted, 666.
reported favorably, 678.
read second time, 724.
reported engrossed, 802.
laid over, 806.

read third time, 815.

passed, 816.

ordered sent to Senate, 816.

15. An act to provide for the election of delegates to a convention to prepare a constitution for the government of this State, and for submitting the same to the people thereof for ratification or rejection.

introduced, 61.

read first time, 61.

referred, 61.

reported favorably, 199.

laid over, 204.

read second time, 229.

amended, 229.

reported engrossed, 309.

recommitted, 316.

laid over, 924.

delivered to State Librarian, 1255.

16. Supplement to an act entitled "An act to encourage the formation of libraries in the free public schools of New Jersey," passed April sixth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one.

introduced, 61.

read first time, 61.

referred, 61.

reported favorably, 189.

read second time, 191.

reported engrossed, 209.

laid over on third reading, 218.

read third time, 232.

passed, 232.

ordered sent to Senate, 233.

amendments accepted, 763.

17. An act concerning railroad passage tickets.

introduced, 62.

read first time, 62.

referred, 62.

read second time, 332.

amended, 332.

reported engrossed, 372.

taken from committee and placed on calendar, 391.

amended, 668.

laid over on third reading, 835.

delivered to State Librarian, 1273.

18. Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning landlords and tenants," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

introduced, 62.

read first time, 62.

referred, 62.

reported without recommendation, 178.

laid over, 215.

recommitted, 217.

reported favorably, 328.

read second time, 418.

reported engrossed, 452.

laid over on third reading, 494.

read third time, 515.

passed, 515.

ordered sent to Senate, 516.

rejected by Senate, 1248.

19. A Supplement to "An act respecting bridges" (Revision), approved April tenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

introduced, 62.

read first time, 62.

referred, 62.

reported favorably, 118.

read second time, 124.

reported engrossed, 153.

read third time, 194.

passed, 194.

ordered sent to Senate, 195.

passed Senate, 584.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 585.

approved, 667.

20. An act relative to the stoppage of railway trains at cities of the first class in this State.

introduced, 62.

read first time, 62.

referred, 62.

reported without recommendation, 220.

read second time, 529.

amended, 529.

reported engrossed, 564.

withdrawn, 662.

delivered to State Librarian, 1273.

21. An act to provide for the removal of suits at common law to the court of chancery.

introduced, 63.
read first time, 63.
referred, 63.
reported with amendments, 188.
read second time, 191.
amended, 191.
reported engrossed, 221.
read third time, 242.
passed, 242.
ordered sent to Senate, 243.
rejected by Senate, 1248.

22. An act to secure to workmen and operatives their wages and the payment thereof.

introduced, 63.
read first time, 63.
referred, 63.
reported with amendments, 179.
amended, 181.
read second time, 181.
reported engrossed, 221
read third time, 243.
passed, 243.
ordered sent to Senate, 243.
rejected by Senate, 1248.

23. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act appointing commissioners for a sinking fund, and defining their duties," approved March twenty-fifth, eighteen hundred and sixty-four.

introduced, 63.
read first time, 63.
referred, 63, 169.
reported favorably, with amendments, 213.
laid over, 249.
read second time, 353.
amended, 353.
reconsidered, 460.
amended, 460.
reported engrossed, 513.
read third time, 539.
passed, 539.
ordered sent to Senate, 540.
rejected by Senate, 1248.

24. A supplement to "An act concerning disorderly persons" (Revision), approved April ninth, eighteen hundred and seventy-five.

introduced, 63.
read first time, 63.
referred, 63.
reported favorably, 103.
read second time, 105.
amended, 105.
reported engrossed, 121.
read third time, 135.
passed, 135.
ordered sent to Senate, 136.
passed Senate, 182.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 184.

approved, 204.

25. A supplement to "An act concerning juries" (Revision), approved March twenty-seven, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

introduced, 64.

read first time, 64.

referred, 64.

reported without recommendation, 102.

read second time, 105.

amended, 105.

recommitted, 111.

reported adversely, 155.

adverse report concurred in, 155.

26. An act to prohibit imprisonment for default in payment of taxes.

introduced, 64.

read first time, 64.

referred, 64.

reported without recommendation, 178.

read second time, 181.

reported engrossed, 222.

read third time, 234.

lost, 234.

delivered to State Librarian, 1273.

27. An act exempting firemen from taxation.

introduced, 64.

read first time, 64.

referred, 64.

reported, 1166.

28. A supplement to an act entitled "An act relating to turnpike companies," approved February twenty-fourth, one hundred and eighty-two.

introduced, 64.

read first time, 64.

referred, 64.

reported favorably, 133.

laid over, 134.

read second time, 148.

reported engrossed, 153.

read third time, 174.

passed, 174.

ordered sent to Senate, 174.

passed Senate, 301.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 302.

approved, 366.

delivered to State Librarian, 1273.

29. An act concerning the lighting of streets and public places in townships.

introduced, 64.

read first time, 64.

referred, 64.

reported with amendments, 142.

read second time, 160.

amended, 160.

reported engrossed, 221.

laid over, 228.

withdrawn, 242.

delivered to State Librarian, 1273.

30. An act to repeal the second section of an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the Newark Plank Road and Ferry Company,' approved February twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine," which amendatory act was approved February twenty-third, eighteen hundred and seventy.

introduced, 65.

read first time, 65.

referred, 65.

read second time, 323.

amended, 323.

laid over, 394.

reported engrossed, 406.

delivered to State Librarian, 1273.

31. An act to annex to Essex county a part of Hudson county.

introduced, 65.

read first time, 65.

referred, 65.

reported without recommendation, 386.

withdrawn, 477.

reported engrossed, 541.

read second time, 563.

indefinitely postponed, 563.

32. An act to limit and regulate ferriage for trucks, wagons, coaches and other vehicles.

introduced, 65.

read first time, 65.

referred, 65.

laid over, 359.

taken from committee and placed on calendar, 391.

33. A further supplement to "An act relative to sales of lands under a public statute or by virtue of any legal proceeding" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

introduced, 65.

read first time, 65.

referred, 65.

reported favorably, 103.

read second time, 105.

amended, 105.

reported engrossed, 121.

read third time, 136.

passed, 136.

ordered sent to Senate, 136.

passed Senate, 193.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 194.

recalled from Governor, 356.

reconsidered, 392

amended, 392.

read third time, 488.

passed, 488.

passed Senate, 606.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 608.

approved, 626.

34. An act to provide for the taxation of the real estate of railroad corporations in the State of New Jersey.

introduced, 66.

read first time, 66.
referred, 66.
taken from committee and placed on calendar, 202.
read second time, 215.
reported engrossed, 243.
recommitted, 250.
delivered to State Librarian, 1255.

35. An act to further regulate lincenses and the sale of liquors.

introduced, 66.
read first time, 66
referred, 66.
reported with amendments, 212.
laid over, 216.
reported engrossed, 318.
recommitted, 320.
withdrawn, 409.

36. An act to regulate the rate of fare on railroads of this State.

introduced, 66.
read first time, 66.
referred, 66.
read second time, 324.
reported engrossed, 372.
taken from committee and placed on calendar, 391.
withdrawn, 515.
delivered to State Librarian, 1274.

37. An act limiting the powers of corporations.

introduced, 66.
read first time, 66.
referred, 66.
reported, 299.
read second time, 332.
amended, 332.
reported engrossed, 362.
reported favorably, 370.
read third time, 394.
passed, 394.
ordered sent to Senate, 395.

38. An act respecting the police and fire departments of cities of the first class, and regulating the terms and tenure of office of officers and men employed in these said departments.

introduced, 67.
read first time, 67.
referred, 67.
reported adversely, 260.
adverse report concurred in, 261.

39. An act relative to actions by persons injured or killed at railroad crossings in cities of this State.

introduced, 67.
read first time, 67.
referred, 67.
reported adversely, 200.
adverse report not concurred in, 201.
read second time, 784.
amended, 784.

reported engrossed, 854.

delivered to State Librarian, 1256.

40 An act prohibiting the making of any bonds or other evidences of indebtedness, by any county, city, borough, town, township, or other municipal corporation in this State, or by any board, body or committee of any such county, city, borough, town, township, or other municipal corporation.

introduced, 67.

read first time, 67.

referred, 67.

reported adversely, 308.

adverse report concurred in, 308.

41. An act to regulate the holding of, and to prevent frauds in, the primary elections of the several political parties in the State of New Jersey.

introduced, 67.

read first time, 67.

referred, 67.

reported favorably, 257.

read second time, 268.

amended, 268.

reported engrossed, 309.

read third time, 315.

passed, 315.

ordered sent to Senate, 315.

amended by Senate, 808.

amendments accepted, 1091.

42. An act fixing the fiscal year in cities of the second class.

introduced, 68.

read first time, 68.

referred, 68.

43. A supplement to "An act respecting the orphans' court, and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the orphans' court and surrogates" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

introduced, 68.

read first time, 68.

referred, 68.

reported adversely, 290.

adverse report not concurred in, 292.

read second time, 575.

reported engrossed, 587.

read third time, 695.

lost, 695.

delivered to State Librarian, 1274.

44. An act authorizing turnpike companies to take and condemn land for making or repairing their roadway.

introduced, 68.

read first time, 68.

referred, 68.

reported favorably, 211.

laid over, 216.

45. An act authorizing suits to be brought against the State of New Jersey.

introduced, 68.

read first time, 68.

referred, 68.

reported favorably, 179.

read second time, 181.

reported engrossed, 221.

laid over on third reading, 242.

read third time, 248.

passed, 248.

ordered sent to Senate, 248.

amended by Senate, 869.

delivered to State Librarian, 1256.

46. An act to repeal an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to re-organize the local government of the township of West Hoboken,' passed March the twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four," which supplement was approved April eighth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

introduced, 71.

read first time, 71.

referred, 71.

reported favorably, 141.

read second time, 221.

reported engrossed, 221.

read third time, 402.

passed, 402.

ordered sent to Senate, 402.

amended by Senate, 673.

vetoed, 708.

veto sustained, 776.

delivered to State Librarian, 1274.

47. An act concerning fire departments in townships of this State.

introduced, 71.

read first time, 71.

referred, 71.

48. A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April first, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

introduced, 71.
read first time, 71.
referred, 71.
reported favorably, 155.
laid over, 165.
read second time, 181.
reported engrossed, 221.
read third time, 295.
passed, 295.
ordered sent to Senate, 295.

49. An act in relation to savings institutions and incorporated companies making annual reports.

introduced, 71.
read first time, 71.
referred, 71.
reported as not acted upon by committee, 1226.

50. An act in relation to past due taxes and assessments.

introduced, 71.
read first time, 71.
referred, 71.
reported adversely, 200.
adverse report concurred in, 200.

51. A supplement to "An act to incorporate charitable and benevolent associations," approved March second, eighteen hundred and eighty-three.

introduced, 72.
read first time, 72.
referred, 72.

reported favorably, 118.
read second time, 123.
reported engrossed, 154.
laid over on third reading, 206, 216, 234.
reconsidered, 262.
read second time, 262.
amended, 262.
recommitted, 315.

52. An act concerning taxes.

introduced, 72.
read first time, 72.
referred, 72.
withdrawn, 454.
reported with amendments, 539.
amended, 539.

53. An act in relation to the admission and sale of food for cattle in stock yards of this State, in cities of the first class.

introduced, 72.
read first time, 72
referred, 72, 197.

54. An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of pursuing and detective companies," approved March twenty-ninth, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight.

introduced, 72.
read first time, 72.
referred, 72.
reported favorably, 188.
read second time, 202.

reported engrossed, 221.
laid over, 234, 514.
delivered to State Librarian, 1274.

55. An act for the government of persons who are members of companies incorporated under the act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of pursuing and detective companies."

introduced, 73.
read first time, 73.
referred, 73.
reported adversely, 118.
recommitted, 118.
reconsidered, 118.
adverse report not concurred in, 118.
read second time, 123.
reported engrossed, 154.
read third time, 166.
passed, 166
ordered sent to Senate, 167.
amended by Senate, 584.
amendments accepted, 728.
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read third time, 964.
passed, 964.
ordered sent to Senate, 965.
passed Senate, 992.
delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 993.

56. A supplement to the act entitled "An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and materials in erecting any building," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, giving to district courts jurisdiction in certain cases arising under said act.

introduced, 73.

read first time, 73.

referred, 73.

reported without recommendation, 433.

57. An act in relation to past due taxes.

introduced, 73.

read first time, 73.

referred, 73.

reported with amendments, 119.

recommitted, 125.

withdrawn, 147.

58. An act to define the term of any letting when no specific term is fixed.

introduced, 73.

read first time, 73.

referred, 73.

reported adversely, 108.

adverse report not concurred in, 109.

read second time, 111.

reported engrossed, 124.

read third time, 137.

lost, 137.

delivered to State Librarian, 1274.

59. An act to repeal a part of section two, of chapter CCCCXCIX., of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy four.

introduced, 74.
read first time, 74.
referred, 74.
reported without recommendation, 178.
read second time, 181.
reconsidered, 182.
laid over, 182.
reconsidered, 863.
amended, 863.
reported engrossed, 915.
laid over, 1190.
delivered to State Librarian, 1256.

60. An act in relation to the holding of courts in certain cases.

introduced, 74.
read first time, 74.
referred, 74.
reported adversely, 179.
adverse report concurred in, 179.

61. An act to abolish and prohibit the employment under contract of convicts and inmates of prisons, jails, penitentiaries, and all public reformatory institutions in the State of New Jersey.

introduced, 74.
read first time, 74.
referred, 74.
reported favorably, 199.
read second time, 202.
reported engrossed, 240.
read third time, 256.

passed, 256.

ordered sent to Senate, 256.

passed Senate, 438.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 439.

approved, 487.

62. An act to provide for the publication of the "Manual of the Legislature of New Jersey."

introduced, 74.

read first time, 74.

referred, 74.

reported favorably, 139.

laid over, 150.

read second time, 158.

reported engrossed, 189.

read third time, 216.

passed, 216.

ordered sent to Senate, 217.

amended by Senate, 377.

amendments accepted, 395.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 396.

recalled from Governor, 448.

approved, 1166.

63. An act to repeal "An act constituting district courts."

introduced, 74.

read first time, 74.

referred, 74.

reported adversely, 473.

adverse report concurred in, 473.

64. A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the classification of cities,"
etc.

introduced, 75.
read first time, 75.
referred, 75.
reported favorably, 141.
read second time, 181.
reported engrossed, 240.
read third time, 255.
passed, 255.
ordered sent to Senate, 255.
amended by Senate, 450.
amendments accepted, 569.

65. An act for the compromise and settlement of assessments and past due
taxes.

introduced, 75.
read first time, 75.
referred, 75.
reported favorably, with amendments, 108.
laid over, 111.
read second time, 111.
recommitted, 111.
reported with amendment, 120.
reported engrossed, 187.
read third time, 208.
lost, 208.
reported, 1166.
delivered to State Librarian, 1274.

66. A supplement to the act entitled "An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and materials in erecting any building" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

introduced, 75.

read first time, 75.

referred, 75.

reported adversely, 957.

adverse report not concurred in, 957.

read second time, 1135.

reported engrossed, 1220.

read third time, 1222.

passed, 1222.

delivered to State Librarian, 1274.

67. A supplement to an act entitled "An act authorizing the establishment of hospitals in the cities of the State," approved February twenty-third, eighteen hundred and eighty-three.

introduced, 75.

read first time, 75.

referred, 75.

reported favorably, 142.

read second time, 159.

reported engrossed, 189.

read third time, 217.

passed, 217.

ordered sent to Senate, 218.

passed Senate, 301.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 302.

approved, 366.

68. Supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

introduced, 76.
read first time, 76.
referred, 76.
reported with amendments, 108.
read second time, 111.
reconsidered, 115.
amended, 115.
reported engrossed, 166.
read third time, 207.
passed, 207.
ordered sent to Senate, 207.
passed Senate, 805.
delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 806.
vetoed, 904.
veto sustained, 918.
delivered to State Librarian, 1275.

69. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

introduced, 76.
read first time, 76.
referred, 76.
withdrawn, 226.

70. An act to authorize the burial of the bodies of any honorably discharged soldier, sailor or marine, who shall hereafter die without leaving means sufficient to defray funeral expenses.

introduced, 76.

read first time, 76.
referred, 76.
reported favorably, 103.
read second time, 105.
amended, 105.
reported engrossed, 121.
read third time, 134.
passed, 134.
ordered sent to Senate, 135.
amended by Senate, 300.
amendments adopted, 317.
approved, 366.

71. An act concerning cities in this State.

introduced, 76.
read first time, 76.
referred, 76.
reported with amendments, 103.
amendments not agreed to, 106.
read second time, 106.
recommitted, 107.
reported with amendments, 115.
amended, 115.
proposed amendments lost, 116.
reported engrossed, 130.
read third time, 150.
passed, 150.
ordered sent to Senate, 151.

amended by Senate, 377.

amendments accepted, 378, 437.

approved 486.

72. An act to regulate the vacation of streets in cities.

introduced, 77.

read first time, 77.

referred, 77.

reported favorably, 141.

read second time, 159.

recommitted, 217.

reported engrossed, 221.

reported with amendments, 260.

recommitted, 321.

73. An act to define the term "Homœopathic," when applied to physicians.

introduced, 77.

read first time, 77.

referred, 77.

° reported favorably, 199.

read second time, 204.

amended, 204.

reported engrossed, 240.

read third time, 246.

passed, 246.

ordered sent to Senate, 247.

amended by Senate, 376.

approved, 486.

74. An act constituting assembly district courts in certain assembly districts in this State.

introduced, 77.

read first time, 77.

referred, 77.

75. An act to provide for the better protection of life and limb on all railroads carrying passengers in this State.

introduced, 77.

read first time, 77.

referred, 77.

reported unfavorably, 473.

read second time, 578.

amended, 578.

reported engrossed, 586.

delivered to State Librarian, 1256.

76. A supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to the election of constables," approved March twelfth, eighteen hundred and eighty.

introduced, 84.

read first time, 84.

referred, 84.

reported favorably, 118.

read second time, 124.

reported engrossed, 154.

read third time, 168.

passed, 168.

ordered sent to Senate, 168.

passed Senate, 380.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 381.

approved, 521.

77. A further supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

introduced, 84.
read first time, 84.
referred, 84.
reported with amendments, 329.
read second time, 617.
amended, 617.
reported engrossed, 684.
laid over, 796.
reconsidered, 818.
read second time, 818.
amended, 818.
read third time, 845.
passed, 845.
passed Senate, 1048.
delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 1048.
vetoed, 1120.
veto sustained, 1172.
delivered to State Librarian, 1275.

78. A further supplement to "An act for the construction, maintenance and operation of water-works for the purpose of supplying cities, towns and villages of this State with water," approved April twenty-first, eighteen hundred and seventy-six.

introduced, 84.
read first time, 84.
referred, 84.
reported without recommendation, 260.
read second time, 410.

amended, 410.

reported engrossed, 451.

read third time, 511.

passed, 511.

ordered sent to Senate, 512.

passed Senate, 547.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 548.

approved, 656.

79. An act to set off a portion of the township of West Orange, in the county of Essex, and annex the same to the city of Orange.

introduced, 85.

read first time, 85.

referred, 85.

80. An act to provide for the removal of snow and ice from sidewalks and gutters in incorporated towns and boroughs.

introduced, 85.

read first time, 85.

referred, 85.

reported with amendments, 142.

laid over, 160.

read second time, 164.

amended, 164.

reported engrossed, 222.

read third time, 245.

passed, 245.

ordered sent to Senate, 245.

amended by Senate, 342.

approved, 366.

81. An act to provide for the election of road overseers in their respective districts.

introduced, 85.
read first time, 85.
referred, 85.
reported favorably, 118.
laid over, 123.
read second time, 147.
amended, 147.
reported engrossed, 186.
laid over on third reading, 208.
recommitted, 217.
laid over, 282.
read second time, 348.
amended, 348.
reconsidered, 492.
read third time, 596.
passed, 596.
ordered sent to Senate, 597.
amendments accepted, 1159.

82. An act prohibiting the desecration of the Sabbath or Sunday.

introduced, 86.
read first time, 86.
referred, 86.
reported adversely, 120.
adverse report not concurred in, 120.
read second time, 129.
reconsidered, 129.

proposed amendments lost, 129.

read second time, 130.

amended, 130.

reported engrossed, 159.

recommitted, 195.

reported, 1166.

83. Supplement to an act entitled "An act to secure to creditors an equal and just division of the estates of debtors who convey to assignees for the benefit of creditors," approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four.

introduced, 86.

read first time, 86.

referred, 86.

reported favorably, 118.

read second time, 125.

reported engrossed, 154.

read third time, 173.

passed, 173.

ordered sent to Senate, 173.

passed Senate, 984.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 985.

amended by Senate, 1043.

84. An act concerning cities.

introduced, 86.

read first time, 86.

referred, 86.

reported favorably, 141.

read second time, 159.

amended, 159.

reported engrossed, 186.
read third time, 193.
passed, 193.
ordered sent to Senate, 193.
passed Senate, 301.
delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 302.
recalled from Governor, 332.
reconsidered, 335.
read second time, 336.
amended, 336.
read third time, 514.
passed, 514.
ordered sent to Senate, 514.
passed Senate, 607.
delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 608.
filed in office of Secretary of State without Governor's signature, 719.

85. An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning certain townships in this State," approved March twenty-third, eighteen hundred and eighty-three.

introduced, 88.
read first time, 88.
referred, 88.
reported favorably, 141.
read second time, 160.
amended, 160.
reported engrossed, 189.
laid over, 414.
read third time, 494.

passed, 494.

ordered sent to Senate, 494.

passed Senate, 721.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 721.

filed in office of Secretary of State without Governor's signature, 872.

86. An act to authorize the payment of five hundred dollars to the paymaster of the Second Battalion, First Brigade, National Guard of New Jersey.

introduced, 88.

read first time, 88.

referred, 88.

reported favorably, 170.

reconsidered, 215.

read second time, 324.

reconsidered, 334.

amended, 334.

read second time, 334.

read third time, 360.

passed, 360.

ordered sent to Senate, 360.

passed Senate, 552.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 553.

filed in office of Secretary of State without Governor's signature, 719.

87. An act for the protection of dairymen and to prevent deception in sales of butter.

introduced, 89.

read first time, 89.

referred, 89.

reported with amendments, 128.
amended, 128.
read second time, 129.
reconsidered, 129.
laid over, 129.
recommitted, 151.
reported favorably, 170.
read second time, 215.
amended, 215.
reported engrossed, 249.
read third time, 258.
passed, 258.
ordered sent to Senate, 258.
passed Senate, 380.
delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 381.
approved, 486.
reconsidered, 735.
laid over, 735.
read second time, 737.
amended, 737.

88. An act to amend "An act in relation to the several game laws of this State."

introduced, 89.
read first time, 89.
referred, 89.
delivered to State Librarian, 1275.

89. An act regulating the fares collected by railroad companies.

introduced, 89.

read first time, 89.

referred, 89.

read second time, 300.

reported engrossed, 319.

read third time, 319.

lost, 319.

delivered to State Librarian, 1275.

90. An act to increase the jurisdiction of justices of the peace.

introduced, 89.

read first time, 89.

referred, 89.

reported adversely, 119.

91. An act to amend an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning taxes,' approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six," supplement approved April eleventh, eighteen hundred and sixty-six.

introduced, 90.

read first time, 90.

referred, 90

withdrawn, 158.

92. An act concerning bonds and mortgages given for the same indebtedness.

introduced, 90.

read first time, 90.

referred, 90.

reported adversely, 155.

adverse report concurred in, 155.

reconsidered, 165.

adverse report not concurred in, 165.

read second time, 165.
reported engrossed, 208.
read third time, 244.
passed, 244.
ordered sent to Senate, 245.
reported favorably, 1249.
rejected by Senate, 1249.

93. An act concerning the action of trover.

introduced, 90.
read first time, 90. -
referred, 90.
withdrawn, 282.
reported favorably, 387.
read second time, 729.
rules suspended, 729.
read third time, 729.
passed, 729.
ordered sent to Senate, 729.

94. An act to repeal a certain supplement to "An act respecting the orphans' court," etc.

introduced, 90.
read first time, 90.
referred, 90.
reported favorably, 118.
read second time, 125.
reported engrossed, 154.
laid over on third reading, 204.
read third time, 272.

passed, 272.

ordered sent to Senate, 272.

rejected by Senate, 1249.

95. An act in relation to plank roads, turnpikes or toll roads.

introduced, 90.

read first time, 90.

referred, 90.

reported, 299.

read second time, 358.

reported engrossed, 451.

96. An act relating to taxes and assessments and to sales of land for unpaid taxes or assessments.

introduced, 93.

read first time, 93.

referred, 93.

reported with amendments, 119.

laid over, 166.

read second time, 271.

amended, 271.

reported engrossed, 297.

read third time, 298.

passed, 298.

ordered sent to Senate, 298.

rejected by Senate, 1249.

97. An act violating declarations of sale for unpaid taxes or assessments heretofore made by any city; town or township in this State.

introduced, 93.

read first time, 93.

referred, 93.

reported favorably, 308.

98. An act to prevent the laying of pipes for carrying oil, called pipe lines, across the fresh water streams of the State, and to cause the removal of those already laid.

introduced, 93.

read first time, 93.

referred, 93.

reported, 299.

read second time, 357.

reported engrossed, 464.

amended, 578.

laid over on third reading, 970.

withdrawn, 1038.

delivered to State Librarian, 1275.

99. An act to abolish preferences of creditors by insolvent debtors.

introduced, 94.

read first time, 94.

referred, 94.

reported with amendments, 119.

read second time, 148.

reported engrossed, 187.

recommitted, 208.

reported with amendments, 329.

read third time, 597.

passed, 597.

ordered sent to Senate, 597.

rejected by Senate, 1249.

100. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

introduced, 94.
read first time, 94.
referred, 94.
reported favorably, 119.
read second time, 158.
reported engrossed, 222.
read third time, 233.
passed, 233.
ordered sent to Senate, 233.
rejected by Senate, 1249.

101. An act to repeal the proviso in section one of an act entitled "An act providing for State taxes on railroads and the more efficient collection thereof."

introduced, 94.
read first time, 94.
referred, 94.
taken from committee and placed on calendar, 364.
read second time, 427.
reported engrossed, 540.
laid over on third reading, 600, 662.
delivered to State Librarian, 1256.

102. An act to abolish a just rule for the assessment and taxation of real property hereafter acquired by railroad corporations, for county and municipal purposes.

introduced, 94.
read first time, 94.
referred, 94.
taken from committee and placed on calendar, 364.

103. An act to repeal "An act explanatory of the proviso of first section of an act providing for State taxes on railroads and the more efficient collection thereof."

introduced, 95.

read first time, 95.

referred, 95.

taken from committee and placed on calendar, 365.

read second time, 428.

reported engrossed, 451.

laid over, 599.

delivered to State Librarian, 1256.

104. An act to authorize the establishment of free public libraries.

introduced, 95.

read first time, 95.

referred, 95.

withdrawn, 156.

105. An act to give to firemen the same advantages in respect to taxes and jury duty as now are or hereafter may be allowed to members of the National Guard of this State.

introduced, 95.

read first time, 95.

referred, 95.

reported without recommendation, 119.

read second time, 148.

reported engrossed, 186.

recommitted, 192.

reported with amendments, 198.

read third time, 206.

passed, 206

ordered sent to Senate, 207.
amended by Senate, 869.
amendments accepted, 925.
recalled from Governor, 980.
reported, 1166.
delivered to State Librarian, 1256, 1275.

106. A supplement to "An act respecting conveyances" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

introduced, 95.
read first time, 95.
referred, 95.
reported with amendments, 120.
read second time, 148.
reported engrossed, 187.
read third time, 205.
passed, 205.
ordered sent to Senate, 205.
rejected by Senate, 1249.

107. An act to authorize thief detecting societies to exercise police powers.

introduced, 96.
read first time, 96.
referred, 96.
reported favorably, 133.
read second time, 149.
amended, 149.
reconsidered, 149.
laid over, 149.

read second time, 166.
amended, 166.
reported engrossed, 222.
laid over on third reading, 360.
reconsidered, 360.
amended, 360.
read third time, 440.
lost, 440.
delivered to State Librarian, 1275.

108. An act to repeal a supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections."

introduced, 96.
read first time, 96.
referred, 96.
reported, 293.
read second time, 358.
reported engrossed, 405.
recommitted, 838.
reported with amendments, 880.
read second time, 891.

109. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act for the incorporation of fire companies," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

introduced, 96.
read first time, 96.
referred, 96
reported favorably, 118.
read second time, 148.
reported engrossed, 187.

read third time, 247.
passed, 247.
ordered sent to Senate, 248.
amended by Senate, 673.
amendments accepted, 774.
approved, 899.

110. A further supplement to an act entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act to revise and amend the charter of the city of Elizabeth,' approved March three, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three," which supplement was approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy.

introduced, 96.
read first time, 96.
referred, 96.
reported favorably, 183.
read second time, 227.
reported engrossed, 269.
read third time, 453.
lost, 453.
delivered to State Librarian, 1275.

111. An act to regulate fares on horse-cars in cities of the second class.

introduced, 97.
read first time, 97.
referred, 97.
reported favorably, 220.
read second time, 359.
amended, 359.
reported engrossed, 404.
read third time, 573.

lost, 573.
reconsidered, 651.
passed, 652.
ordered sent to Senate, 652.

112. An act authorizing notaries public to take acknowledgment of deeds, &c.

introduced, 97.
read first time, 97.
referred, 97.
reported adversely, 120.

113. An act to extend the time for the completion of railroads whose charters shall expire by limitation during the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, where work has been performed on said railroad or money expended thereon.

introduced, 97.
read first time, 97.
referred, 97.
reported favorably, 134.
laid over, 191.
read second time, 282.
amended, 282.
reconsidered, 294.
reported engrossed, 432.
read third time, 441.
passed, 441.
ordered sent to Senate, 442.
amended by Senate, 607.
amendments accepted, 641.
approved, 690.

114. An act to regulate the practice of the law.

introduced, 97.
read first time, 97.
referred, 97.
reported adversely, 200.
adverse report concurred in, 200.

115. An act in relation to the court of chancery.

introduced, 98.
read first time, 98.
referred, 98.
reported adversely, 155.
adverse report concurred in, 155.

116. Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of the courts of law."

introduced, 98.
read first time, 98.
referred, 98.
reported adversely, 267.

117. An act in relation to the retaking of personal property sold on installments.

introduced, 98.
read first time, 98.
referred, 98.
reported favorably, 202.
read second time, 270.
amended, 270, 529.
reported engrossed, 585.
laid over on third reading, 691.

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- read third time, 726.
 - passed, 726.
 - ordered sent to Senate, 727.
 - rejected by Senate, 1249.
118. Supplement to an act to further regulate the licensing of inns, &c.
- introduced, 98.
 - read first time, 98.
 - referred, 98.
 - reported with amendments, 220.
 - laid over, 283, 285, 315.
 - withdrawn, 394.
119. An act for the relief of William A. Ripley et als.
- introduced, 99.
 - read first time, 99.
 - referred, 99.
 - reported without recommendation, 463.
 - read second time, 576.
 - reported engrossed, 684.
 - delivered to State Librarian, 1256.
120. A further supplement respecting railroads and canals.
- introduced, 99,
 - read first time, 99.
 - referred, 99.
 - reported without recommendation, 220.
 - read second time, 285.
 - amended, 285.

reported engrossed, 297.
read third time, 458.
passed, 458.
ordered sent to Senate, 458.

121. An act respecting cities of the first class and to provide for a more efficient government therein.

introduced, 99.
read first time, 99.
referred, 99.
withdrawn, 230.

122. An act to provide for raising taxes for the use of the State upon certain corporations, joint stock companies and associations.

introduced, 99.
read first time, 99.
referred, 99.
reported without recommendation, 1161.

123. An act regulating the appointment, promotion or transfer of public school teachers in cities of this State.

introduced, 99.
read first time, 100.
referred, 100.
reported without recommendation, 120.
laid over, 149, 166.
read second time, 167.
amended, 167.
reported engrossed, 240.
read third time, 262.

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lost, 262.

delivered to State Librarian, 1276.

124. An act to provide for a board of assessors of taxes and for a board of commissioners of appeal in case of taxation in cities of the first class.

introduced, 100.

read first time, 100.

referred, 100.

reported with amendments, 278.

amended, 281, 337.

delivered to State Librarian, 1276.

125. An act concerning certain administrative departments of government of cities of the second class.

introduced, 100.

read first time, 100.

referred, 100.

taken from committee and placed on calendar, 303.

read second time, 340.

recommitted, 481.

126. An act to empower notaries public with the power of commissioner of deeds.

introduced, 100.

referred, 100.

reported without recommendation, 133.

recommitted, 149.

reported favorably, without amendment, 154.

proposed amendments lost, 161, 162, 163.

read second time, 164.

amended, 164.

reported engrossed, 222.
read third time, 645.
passed, 645.
ordered sent to Senate, 645.
amended by Senate, 1071.
amendments accepted, 1235.

127. A supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize cities in this State to issue and dispose of water bonds or water scrip to renew certain water bonds or water scrip," approved January thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

introduced, 101.
read first time, 101.
referred, 101.
reported favorably, 183.
laid over, 249, 442.
read second time, 442.
amended, 442.
reported engrossed, 541.
reconsidered, 598.
amendments stricken out, 599.
read third time, 616.
passed, 616.
ordered sent to Senate, 616.
passed Senate, 859.
delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 860.
approved, 899.

128. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting the office of treasurer," approved March sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

introduced, 101.
read first time, 101.
referred, 101.
reported favorably, 180.
read second time, 249.
reported engrossed, 270.
read third time, 304.
lost, 304.
delivered to State Librarian, 1276.

129. Supplement to an act entitled "An act to increase the powers of township committees," approved March eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty.

introduced, 101.
read first time, 101.
referred, 101.
reported favorably, 183.
read second time, 271.
amended, 271.
reported engrossed, 309.
read third time, 317.
lost, 317.
recommitted; 942.
delivered to State Librarian, 1276.

130. A supplement to "An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of this State."

introduced, 109.
read first time, 110.
referred, 110.
withdrawn, 257.

reported favorably, 308.

laid over, 926.

131. An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to further regulate the licensing of inns and taverns and places for the sale of malt, vinous, spirituous and other intoxicating liquors and drinks," approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

introduced, 112.

read first time, 112.

referred, 112.

reported without recommendation, 119.

laid over, 165.

read second time, 167.

amended, 167.

reported engrossed, 186.

read third time, 195.

lost, 195.

delivered to State Librarian, 1276.

132. An act entitled "An act to amend section two of a supplement to an act to partially consolidate the several game laws of this State, chapter sixteen," approved February eighth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

introduced, 112.

read first time, 113.

referred, 113.

reported adversely, 202.

adverse report not concurred in, 202.

laid over, 232.

amended, 396.

recommitted, 396.

reported with amendments, 465.

amended, 465.
read second time, 575.
read third time, 619.
passed, 619.
ordered sent to Senate, 619.
rejected by Senate, 1249.

133. A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the better protection of sheriffs," approved March sixth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine.

introduced, 113.
read first time, 113.
referred, 113.
reported favorably, 155.
read second time, 497.
amended, 578.
reported engrossed, 586.
reconsidered, 603.
amended, 603.
read third time, 650.
passed, 650.
ordered sent to Senate, 651.
passed Senate, 984.
delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 985.
recalled from Governor, 1079.

134. A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the more easy sale of mortgaged premises," passed February sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one, and to lessen the expense of the same.

introduced, 113.
read first time, 113.

referred, 113.

reported adversely, 200.

adverse report not concurred in, 201.

laid over, 230.

135. An act to tax personal property where it is situate.

introduced, 113.

read first time, 113.

referred, 113.

withdrawn, 226.

136. A supplement to an act concerning conveyances, providing that the acknowledgment of married women to deeds and other instruments for the transfer and conveyance of property need not be taken separate and apart from their husband.

introduced, 113.

read first time, 114.

referred, 114.

137. An act in relation to suits in the court of chancery.

introduced, 114.

read first time, 114.

referred, 114.

reported favorably, 155.

read second time, 744.

reported engrossed, 772.

read third time, 836.

passed, 836

ordered sent to Senate, 837.

amended by Senate, 1020.

delivered to State Librarian, 1256.

138. An act concerning incorporated towns and certain officers thereof.

introduced, 114.
read first time, 114.
referred, 114.
reported favorably, 307.
read second time, 637.
amended, 637.
reconsidered, 646.
amended, 646.
reported engrossed, 686.
laid over on third reading, 754.
read third time, 791.
passed, 791.
ordered sent to Senate, 792.
amended by Senate, 1080, 1137.
amendments accepted, 1178.
delivered to State Librarian, 1276.

139. An act amending an act to authorize the construction of school-houses in cities of the first class of this State, approved February thirteen, eighteen hundred and eighty-three.

introduced, 114.
read first time, 114.
referred, 114.
reported favorably, 189.
read second time, 229.
amended, 229.
reported engrossed, 274.
read third time, 296.

passed, 296.

ordered sent to Senate, 297.

amended by Senate, 376.

recalled from Governor, 505.

reconsidered, 524.

read third time, 669.

passed, 669.

ordered sent to Senate, 669.

passed Senate, 1042.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 1042.

141. A supplement to an act for the preservation of fish.

introduced, 126.

read first time, 126.

referred, 126.

reported favorably, 253.

read second time, 358.

reported engrossed, 387.

read third time, 399.

passed, 399.

passed Senate, 654.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 655.

approved, 704.

140. Supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting conveyances" (Revision), approved March twenty-seven, eighteen hundred and seventy-five.

introduced, 115.

read first time, 115.

referred, 115.

reported favorably, 170.

delivered to State Librarian, 1257.

142. An act to amend "An act to fix the salaries of the officers of the Senate and General Assembly."

introduced, 126.

read first time, 126.

referred, 126.

143. A supplement to an act to regulate fisheries.

introduced, 126.

read first time, 126.

referred, 126.

reported favorably, 253.

read second time, 358.

reported engrossed, 406.

read third time, 491.

passed, 491.

ordered sent to Senate, 492.

amended by Senate, 808.

amendments accepted, 838.

approved, 937.

144. Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of dentistry and to protect the people against empiricism in relation thereto in the State of New Jersey."

introduced, 126.

read first time, 126.

referred, 126.

reported with amendments, 198.

read second time, 336.

amended, 336.
reported engrossed, 372.
read third time, 399.
passed, 400.
ordered sent to Senate, 400.
amended by Senate, 720.
amendments accepted, 769.
approved, 937.

145. An act to authorize any of the cities of this State to sell water works.

introduced, 126.
read first time, 127.
referred, 127.

146. A supplement to an act relative to officers and commissioners and negotiations.

introduced, 127.
read first time, 127.
referred, 127.
reported favorably, without amendment, 422.
read second time, 498.
reported engrossed, 541.
amended, 561.
read third time, 740.
passed, 740.
ordered sent to Senate, 741.
rejected by Senate, 1249.
delivered to State Librarian, 1276.

147. An act to establish a bank and insurance department.

introduced, 127.
read first time, 127.
referred, 127.
reported favorably, 134.
laid over, 147.
read second time, 148.
amended, 148.
reported engrossed, 160.
reconsidered, 187.
read third time, 191.
passed, 191.
ordered sent to Senate, 192.
rejected by Senate, 1250.

148. A further supplement to an act to regulate the practice of courts of law.

introduced, 127.
read first time, 127.
referred, 127.
reported adversely, 290.
reported without recommendation, 956.

149. An act concerning official newspapers in cities of this State.

introduced, 127.
read first time, 127.
referred, 127.
reported favorably, 160.
read second time, 201.
recommitted, 202.
reported favorably, 202.

reported engrossed, 222.

read third time, 234.

passed, 234.

amended by Senate, 633, 647.

amendments accepted, 647.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 647.

read third time, 659.

passed, 660.

ordered sent to Senate, 660.

filed in office of Secretary of State without Governor's signature, 764.

150. An act providing for payment of fees for the record and report of jail statistics.

introduced, 128.

read first time, 128.

referred, 128.

reported favorably, 179.

read second time, 249.

amended, 249.

reported engrossed, 270.

read third time, 278.

passed, 278.

ordered sent to Senate, 278.

passed Senate, 721.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 721.

151. An act requiring the publication of county receipts and expenditures quarterly.

introduced, 128.

read first time, 128.

referred, 128.
reported without recommendation, 197.
read second time, 227.
reported engrossed, 246.
read third time, 257
passed, 258.
ordered sent to Senate, 258.
rejected by Senate, 1250.

152. An act for the better protection of the health, comfort and safety of persons employed in shops and factories.

introduced, 128.
read first time, 128.
referred, 128.
reported without recommendation, 198.
read second time, 229.
amended, 229.
reported engrossed, 271.
delivered to State Librarian, 1276.

153. An act to secure to creditors an equal distribution of the assets of insolvent corporations.

introduced, 142.
read first time, 142.
referred, 142.
reported favorably, 211.
read second time, 231.
amended, 231.
reported engrossed, 269.
read third time, 273.

passed, 273.
ordered sent to Senate, 273.
reconsidered, 273.
recommitted, 274.
reported with amendments, 329.
read third time, 414.
passed, 414.
ordered sent to Senate, 414.
rejected by Senate, 1250.
delivered to State Librarian, 1257.

154. An act providing for the review of convictions and judgments for contempt of court.

introduced, 142.
read first time, 142.
referred, 142.
taken from committee and placed on calendar, 699.
read second time, 875.
amended, 875.
reported engrossed, 940.
read third time, 1117.
passed, 1117.
ordered sent to Senate, 1117.
passed Senate, 1136.
delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 1136.

155. An act to amend an act entitled "An act respecting the salaries and compensations of clerks of counties in this State," approved March eleventh, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty.

introduced, 143.

read first time, 143.
referred, 143.
reported favorably, 266.
read second time, 348.
amended, 348.
reported engrossed, 405.
read third time, 448.
passed, 448.
ordered sent to Senate, 449.
amended by Senate, 615.
amendments accepted, 615.
delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 615.
approved, 690.

156. An act authorizing persons having liens for work, labor or materials employed in the repair or construction of any estate to enforce such lien.

introduced, 143.
read first time, 143.
referred, 143.
reported favorably, 179.
read second time, 228.
reported engrossed, 297.
read third time, 298.
passed, 298.
ordered sent to Senate, 299.
amended by Senate, 1034.

157. An act to provide for the election of chosen freeholders in incorporated boroughs.

introduced, 143.

read first time, 143.
referred, 143.
reported adversely, 179.
laid over, 180.
adverse report not concurred in, 256.
read second time, 336.
reported engrossed, 372.
reconsidered, 410.
read second time, 410.
amended, 410.
delivered to State Librarian, 1257.

158. A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of law."

introduced, 143.
read first time, 143.
referred, 143.
reported adversely, 386.
adverse report concurred in, 386.

159. A supplement to an act respecting the orphans' court, and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary, orphans' court and surrogates.

introduced, 144.
read first time, 144.
referred, 144.
reported adversely, 320.

160. Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning wards" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

introduced, 144.
read first time, 144.

referred, 144.
reported favorably, 291.
read second time, 336.
reported engrossed, 372.
read third time, 412.
lost, 412.
delivered to State Librarian, 1277.

161. An act concerning cities of this State.

introduced, 144.
read first time, 144.
referred, 144.
reported without recommendation, 211.
withdrawn, 226, 229.

162. An act relating to the depth and construction of foundation walls of buildings, and the responsibilities of adjoining property owners to each other in cities and towns.

introduced, 144.
read first time, 144.
referred, 144.
reported favorably, 183.
laid over; 229.
read second time, 304.
amended, 304.
reported engrossed, 309.
laid over on third reading, 319.
reconsidered, 334.
read second time, 334.
amended, 334.

read third time, 364.
passed, 364.
ordered sent to Senate, 364.

163. Supplement to an act to establish a system of public instruction.

introduced, 144.
read first time, 145.
referred, 145.
reported favorably, 277.
read second time, 350.
amended, 350.
reported engrossed, 407.
read third time, 414.
passed, 414.
ordered sent to Senate, 415.

164. A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the collection of demands against ships, steamboats and other vessels," approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven.

introduced, 145.
read first time, 145.
referred, 145.
reported favorably, 340.
read second time, 477.
reported engrossed, 541.
read third time, 598.
passed, 598.
ordered sent to Senate, 598.
passed Senate, 1014.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 1014.

recalled from Governor, 1120.

165. An act requiring the sheriffs' sales to be advertised in newspapers of different political faith.

introduced, 145.

read first time, 145.

referred, 145.

withdrawn, 314.

166. Amendment to "An act for the protection of fish."

introduced, 145.

read first time, 145.

referred, 145.

reported favorably, 253.

laid over, 358.

167. An act concerning the safe custody of moneys belonging to the relief fund of any paid fire department of any city of the first class.

introduced, 145.

read first time, 145.

referred, 145.

reported favorably, 183.

laid over, 228.

withdrawn, 270.

delivered to State Librarian, 1277.

168. An act concerning the use of passenger elevators on horse railroads in cities.

introduced, 146.

read first time, 146.

referred, 146.

reported without recommendation, 628.

withdrawn, 1135.

169. An act to provide against the spreading of fire and danger to life and limb occasioned by unguarded and insufficiently guarded elevator passages and hoistways in buildings.

introduced, 146.

read first time, 146.

referred, 146.

reported favorably, 183.

read second time, 426.

amended, 426.

reported engrossed, 451.

laid over, 495.

read third time, 515.

passed, 515.

ordered sent to Senate, 515.

rejected by Senate, 1250.

170. An act in relation to pilots.

introduced, 146.

read first time, 146.

referred, 146.

171. A Supplement to "An act in relation to the powers of commissioners appointed to purchase toll roads in this State," passed April nineteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

introduced, 156.

read first time, 156.

referred, 156.

taken from committee and placed on calendar, 323.

read second time, 427.
amended, 427.
reported engrossed, 454.
laid over on third reading, 458.
reconsidered, 458.
amended, 458.
read third time, 751.
passed, 752.
ordered sent to Senate, 752.
passed Senate, 896.
delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 897.
filed in office of Secretary of State without Governor's signature, 954.

172. An act to authorize the establishment of free public libraries in the cities of this State.

introduced, 156.
read first time, 156.
referred, 156.
reported favorably, 213.
read second time, 231.
amended, 231.
reported engrossed, 309.
recommitted, 322.
reported with amendments, 373.
read second time, 476.
read third time, 524.
passed, 524.
ordered sent to Senate, 524.

amended by Senate, 633, 647. \

amendments accepted, 647.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 647.

filed in office of Secretary of State without Governor's signature, 953.

173. An act to fix the salaries of the assistant engrossing clerks of the Senate and House of Assembly.

introduced, 156.

read first time, 156.

referred, 157.

reported with amendments, 198.

read second time, 228.

reported engrossed, 246.

reconsidered, 278.

read second time, 278.

amended, 278.

recommitted, 321.

reported with amendments, 387.

read third time, 605.

lost, 605.

delivered to State Librarian, 1277.

174. An act relating to the assessment of taxes.

introduced, 157.

read first time, 157.

referred, 157.

reported favorably, 199.

read second time, 228.

reported engrossed, 243.

read third time, 247.
passed, 247.
ordered sent to Senate, 247.
passed Senate, 301.
delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 302.
approved, 367.

175. An act to repeal an act entitled "A further supplement to an act concerning corporations.

introduced, 157.
read first time, 157.
referred, 157. .
reported with amendments, 277.
read second time, 339.
reported engrossed, 452.
laid over, 1039, 1050.
delivered to State Librarian, 1257.

176. An act to amend section one of an act entitled "An act relative to the publication of the laws of the State in the newspapers," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

introduced, 157.
read first time, 157.
referred, 157.
read second time, 421.
amended, 421.
reported adversely, 482.
adverse report concurred in, 482.

177. An act to authorize the lighting of public roads and streets in townships.

introduced, 157.

read first time, 157.
referred, 157.
reported without recommendation, 211.
laid over, 228.
read second time, 270.
amended, 270.
reported engrossed, 331.
read third time, 349.
passed, 349.
ordered sent to Senate, 350.

178. A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate Brainard Institute.

introduced, 158.
read first time, 158.
referred, 158.
withdrawn, 282.

179. A further supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six.

introduced, 158.
read first time, 158.
referred, 158.
reported adversely, 254.
adverse report not concurred in, 255.
read second time, 334.
reported engrossed, 371.
read third time, 750.
lost, 750.
delivered to State Librarian, 1277.

180. An act to authorize the payment of the sum of five hundred dollars to the paymaster of the First Regiment Infantry, First Brigade National Guards State of New Jersey, for Company A, of said regiment, its appropriation for the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

introduced, 164.

read first time, 164.

referred, 164.

reported favorably, 254.

read second time, 358.

reported engrossed, 405.

read third time. 417.

passed, 417.

ordered sent to Senate, 418.

passed Senate, 607.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 608.

filed in office of Secretary of State without Governor's signature, 719.

181. Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning corporations" (Revision), approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

introduced, 165.

read first time, 165.

referred, 165.

reported favorably, 211.

read second time, 248.

reported engrossed, 269.

read third time, 284.

passed, 284.

ordered sent to Senate, 284.

passed Senate, 438.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 439.

approved, 486.

182. An act limiting fares to be charged by horse railroad companies within the corporate limits of any city of the State of the first class.

introduced, 171.

read first time, 171.

referred, 171.

reported without recommendation, 220.

read second time, 347.

amended, 347.

reported engrossed, 371.

laid over on third reading, 398.

recommitted, 409.

delivered to State Librarian, 1257.

183. An act to provide for the formation and regulation of co-operative societies of workingmen.

introduced, 171.

read first time, 171.

referred, 171.

reported without recommendation, 236.

read second time, 333.

amended, 428.

reported engrossed, 452.

read third time, 458

passed, 458.

ordered sent to Senate, 459.

passed Senate, 634.

approved, 690.

184. An act to authorize the boards of councilmen of incorporated towns in this State to license, regulate and prohibit the sale of malt, spirituous, vinous and other liquors.

introduced, 172.
read first time, 172.
referred, 172.
reported favorably, 307.
read second time, 496.
laid over, 496.
amended, 551.
reported engrossed, 586.
read third time, 661.
passed, 661.
ordered sent to Senate, 661.
rejected by Senate, 1250.

185. Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning evidence" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, relating to the proof of insanity in criminal cases.

introduced, 172.
read first time, 172.
referred, 172.
reported without recommendation, 267.
read second time, 336.
amended, 336.
reported engrossed, 371.
read third time, 401.
lost, 401.
delivered to State Librarian, 1277.

186. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to secure to creditors an equal and just division of the estates of debtors who convey to assignees for the benefit of creditors" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

introduced, 172.

read first time, 172.

referred, 172.

reported with amendments, 220.

read second time, 285.

amended, 285.

reported engrossed, 309.

read third time, 316.

passed, 316.

ordered sent to Senate, 316.

amended by Senate, 377.

amendments accepted, 457.

approved, 487.

187. An act for the taxation of corporate property.

introduced, 172.

read first time, 172.

referred, 172.

188. An act to provide for State taxes on telegraph, telephone, electric light, horse railroad, express, life insurance and petroleum oil or pipe line companies, and for the efficient collection thereof.

introduced, 180.

read first time, 180.

referred, 180.

reported with amendments, 388.

recommitted, 388.

reported with amendments, 462.
read second time, 476.
reported engrossed, 541.
delivered to State Librarian, 1257.

189. An act to amend the fourteenth section of an act entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the organization of the National Guard of the State of New Jersey,' approved March nine, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine," and the various amendments thereto.

~~introduced, 180.~~
read first time, 180.
referred, 180.
reported favorably, 254.
read second time, 333.
reported engrossed, 451.
read third time, 495.
passed, 495.
ordered sent to Senate, 495.
passed Senate, 548.
delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 548.
approved, 656.

190. An act in relation to railroad corporations leasing their road, or any part thereof.

introduced, 189.
read first time, 190.
referred, 190.
reported favorably, 374.
read second time, 398.
reported engrossed, 406.
delivered to State Librarian, 1257, 1277.

191. An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the examination in certain cases of applicants for admission as attorneys to the supreme court of the State."

introduced, 190.

read first time, 190.

referred, 190.

reported with amendments, 212.

amended, 231.

reconsidered, 259.

read second time, 273.

reported engrossed, 297.

laid over on third reading, 315.

read third time, 338.

passed, 338.

delivered to State Librarian, 1277.

192. A supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six.

introduced, 190.

read first time, 190.

referred, 190.

reported with amendments, 329.

read second time, 681.

amended, 681.

reported engrossed, 685.

laid over, 901.

193. An act in relation to common carriers.

introduced, 190.

read first time, 190.

referred, 190.

taken from committee and placed on calendar, 321.

reported, 669.

read second time, 670.

amended, 670.

194. An act concerning fire departments in the townships of this State.

introduced, 192.

read first time, 192.

referred, 192.

reported favorably, 307.

withdrawn, 356.

read second time, 786.

195. An act to secure the right of burial.

introduced, 192.

read first time, 192.

referred, 192.

reported favorably, 327.

taken from committee and placed on calendar, 529.

196. An act to defray the expenses of a special committee of the House of Assembly to investigate the subject of riparian rights.

introduced, 201.

read first time, 201.

referred, 201.

reported favorably, 259.

read second time, 332.

reported engrossed, 362.

read third time, 383.

passed, 383.

ordered sent to Senate, 384.

rejected by Senate, 1250.

delivered to State Librarian, 1257.

197. An act exempting from taxation persons who served in the military or naval forces of the United States during the late war.

introduced, 213.

read first time, 213.

referred, 213.

reported adversely, 290.

adverse report not concurred in, 292.

read second time, 299.

reported engrossed, 318.

read third time, 322.

passed, 322.

ordered sent to Senate, 322.

amended by Senate, 468.

amendments accepted, 469.

approved, 487.

198. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize the incorporation of rural cemetery associations and regulate cemeteries" (Revision), approved April nine, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

introduced, 214.

read first time, 214.

referred, 214.

recommitted, 863.

199. A supplement to an act entitled "An act incorporating the inhabitants of townships, designating their powers and regulating their meetings."

introduced, 223.

read first time, 223.
referred, 223.
reported favorably, 307.
read second time, 875.
amended, 875.
reported engrossed, 931.
read third time, 1146.
passed, 1146.
ordered sent to Senate, 1147.
passed Senate, 1228.
delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 1229.

200. An act concerning cities.

introduced, 223.
read first time, 223.
referred, 223.
reported favorably, 259.
amended, 324.
laid over, 324, 357.

201. An act concerning cities.

introduced, 223.
read first time, 223.
referred, 223.
reported favorably, 260.

202. An act to repeal section twenty-three of an act entitled "An act concerning mortgages," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

introduced, 223.

read first time, 223.
referred, 223.
reported without recommendation, 254.
read second time, 357.
reported engrossed, 404.
read third time, 751.
lost, 751.
reconsidered, 754.
recommitted, 755.
delivered to State Librarian, 1257.

203. A bill to define insurance brokers and their liabilities.

introduced, 223.
read first time, 224.
referred, 224.
reported favorably, 268.
read second time, 344.
amended, 344, 359.
reported engrossed, 406.
read third time, 753.
lost, 753.
delivered to State Librarian, 1278.

204. An act concerning cities.

introduced, 224.
read first time, 224.
referred, 224.
reported favorably, 260, 291.

read second time, 359.

amended, 359.

reported engrossed, 404.

read third time, 41

passed, 416.

ordered sent to Senate,

rejected by Senate, 1250.

205. An act extending powers of health or sanitary inspectors.

introduced, 224.

read first time, 224.

referred, 224.

reported with amendments, 465.

amended, 465.

read second time, 576.

reported engrossed, 586.

read third time, 617.

passed, 617.

ordered sent to Senate, 617.

rejected by Senate, 1250.

206. An act to defray the expenses of the special committee on contract convict prison labor.

introduced, 224.

read first time, 224.

referred, 224.

reported favorably, 253.

read second time, 335.

reported engrossed, 362.

read third time, 411.

passed, 411.

ordered sent to Senate, 412

passed Senate, 552.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 553.

207. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate elections," approved April eighteen, eighteen hundred and seventy-six.

introduced, 224.

read first time, 224.

referred, 224.

reported without recommendation, 257.

read second time, 357.

reported engrossed, 407.

amended, 410.

reconsidered, 413.

read second time, 413.

amended, 413.

read third time, 459.

passed, 459.

ordered sent to Senate, 459.

passed Senate, 654.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 655.

vetoed, 709.

veto sustained, 780.

delivered to State Librarian, 1278.

208. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections," approved April eighteen, eighteen hundred and seventy-six.

introduced, 225.
read first time, 225.
referred, 225.
reported without recommendation, 257.
read second time, 334.
reported engrossed, 372.
read third time, 396.
passed, 396.
ordered sent to Senate, 396.

209. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to morgues and morgue-keepers," approved March fourth, eighteen hundred and seventy-nine.

introduced, 225.
read first time, 225.
referred, 225.
reported, favorably, 260.
read second time, 340.
reported engrossed, 404.
withdrawn, 598.
delivered to State Librarian, 1278.

210. An act for the protection of storage or warehouse-keepers or owners.

introduced, 225.
read first time, 225.
referred, 225.
reported favorably, 327.
read second time, 496.
reported engrossed, 503.
read third time, 542.

passed, 542.

ordered sent to Senate, 543.

rejected by Senate, 1250.

211. An act regulating lettings in cases where no definite time is fixed.

introduced, 225.

read first time, 225.

referred, 225.

reported with amendments, 386.

read second time, 428.

reported engrossed, 501.

read third time, 516.

passed, 516.

ordered sent to Senate, 517.

passed Senate, 1042.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 1042.

approved, 1116.

212. An act respecting persons sentenced to be confined in any county jail or penitentiary in this State.

introduced, 225.

read first time, 226.

referred, 226.

reported with amendments, 386.

read second time, 428.

reported engrossed, 501.

delivered to State Librarian, 1278.

213. A supplement to an act concerning townships and township officers, approved April twenty-one, eighteen hundred and seventy-six.

introduced, 226.
read first time, 226.
referred, 226.
reported without recommendation, 341.
read second time, 561.
reported engrossed, 585.
read third time, 623.
passed, 623.
ordered sent to Senate, 624.
passed Senate, 960.
rejected by Senate, 1251.

214. An act for the better government of cemeteries of less than five hundred lots.

introduced, 226.
read first time, 226.
referred, 226.
reported favorably, 327.
recommitted, 331.
withdrawn, 409.

215. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning disorderly persons," approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

introduced, 227.
read first time, 227.
referred, 227.
reported favorably, 291.

216. An act respecting cities in this State, and to provide for a more efficient government therein.

introduced, 230.

read first time, 230.
referred, 230.
reported favorably, 260.
proposed amendments lost, 382.
read second time, 383.
amended, 383.
reported engrossed, 432.
read third time, 436.
passed, 436.
ordered sent to Senate, 437.
rejected by Senate, 1251.
delivered to State Librarian, 1258.

217. An act in relation to the volunteer fire department in any city of this State.

introduced, 236.
read first time, 236.
referred, 236.
reported favorably, 308.
read second time, 335.
reported engrossed, 362.
read third time, 398.
passed, 398.
ordered sent to Senate, 399.
passed Senate, 584.
delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 585.
filed in office of Secretary of State without Governor's signature, 719.

218. A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning bridges and turn-pikes," approved March twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

introduced, 236.
read first time 236.
referred, 236.
reported favorably, 340.
read second time, 418.
reported engrossed, 451.
reconsidered, 494.
laid over, 494.
read third time, 881.
passed, 881.
passed Senate, 984.
delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 985.

219. An act to fix the assessment for licenses for inns and taverns, and for the sale of vinous, spirituous and other liquors by the popular vote.

introduced, 236.
read first time, 237.
referred, 237.
reported without recommendation, 445.
read second time, 577.
reported engrossed, 586.
read third time, 694.
lost, 694.
delivered to State Librarian, 1278.

220. A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish just rules for the taxation of railroad corporations, and to induce their acceptance and uniform adoption," approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three.

introduced, 237.
referred, 237.
reported, 427.

221. A Supplement to "An act concerning inns and taverns" (Revision), approved April seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six.

introduced, 237.

read first time, 237.

referred, 237.

reported without recommendation, 445.

read second time, 528.

reported engrossed, 586.

laid over, 616.

read third time, 638.

lost, 638.

delivered to State Librarian, 1278.

222. An act concerning persons carrying concealed weapons.

introduced, 237.

read first time, 237.

referred, 237.

reported adversely, 290.

adverse report not concurred in, 292.

read second time, 359.

amended, 359.

223. An act to annex to the township of Springfield, in the county of Union, a portion of the township of Milburn, in the county of Essex.

introduced, 237

read first time, 238.

referred, 238.

reported favorably, 354.

read second time, 465.

reported engrossed, 772.

delivered to State Librarian, 1278.

224. Supplement to the act constituting courts for the trial of small causes.

introduced, 238.

read first time, 238.

referred, 238.

reported favorably, 291.

read second time, 337.

read third time, 412.

passed, 412

ordered sent to Senate, 413.

rejected by Senate, 1244.

delivered to State Librarian, 1258.

225. An act in relation to apprentices in the service of the pilots for the ports of Jersey City, Newark and Perth Amboy by way of Sandy Hook.

introduced, 238.

read first time, 238.

referred, 238

reported favorably, 266.

read second time, 334

reported engrossed, 349.

read third time, 361.

passed, 361.

ordered sent to Senate, 361.

passed Senate, 536.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 537.

approved, 704.

226. An act to authorize the amendment and re institution of defective or illegal proceedings for laying out, opening, altering or closing streets and avenues in incorporated boroughs, towns and villages and assessments on account thereof.

introduced, 238.
read first time, 238.
referred, 238.
reported with amendments, 387.
read second time, 477.
reported engrossed, 502.
read third time, 522.
passed, 522.
ordered sent to Senate, 522.
passed Senate, 607.
delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 608.
approved, 668.

227. An act to equalize the fees of assessors and collectors in the several townships in this State for the assessing and collecting the taxation on dogs.

introduced, 238.
read first time, 239.
referred, 239.
reported favorably, 329.

228. An act to regulate fees and expenses of constables in criminal cases.

introduced, 251.
read first time, 251.
referred, 251.
reported favorably, 329.
read second time, 496.
reported engrossed, 503.

read third time, 526.
passed, 526.
ordered sent to Senate, 526.
amended by Senate, 895.
amendments accepted, 1099.

229. An act to further extend the times before or within the State assessment or other sum required to be paid into the State treasury by virtue of the provisions of the act entitled "An act to increase the revenues of the State of New Jersey," approved March eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine, or any subsequent act, may be paid, and to remit, release and extinguish any conditions, penalties or forfeitures heretofore provided for, incurred or proclaimed by reason of the non-payment of any assessment or sum aforesaid, required by virtue of the provisions of said act.

introduced, 251.
read first time, 252.
referred, 252.
reported favorably, 291.
read second time, 357.
reported engrossed, 406.
read third time, 419.
lost, 419.
reconsidered, 572.
passed, 572.
ordered sent to Senate, 573.
amended by Senate, 869.
amendments accepted, 1037.
delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 1038.
read third time, 1218.
lost, 1218.

230. An act concerning the assessment and collection of taxes in fire districts in the townships of this State.

introduced, 252.
read first time, 252.
referred, 252.
reported favorably, 386.
read second time, 428.
reported engrossed, 501.
withdrawn, 518.
delivered to State Librarian, 1278.

231. Supplement to the act to facilitate the collection of certain premiums for the benevolent funds of fire departments of cities, from fire insurance companies not organized under the laws of this State but doing business therein.

introduced, 252.
read first time, 252.
referred, 252.
reported favorably, 277.
read second time, 337.
amended, 337.
reported engrossed, 371.
read third time, 397.
passed, 397.
ordered sent to Senate, 397.
passed Senate, 1079.
delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 1079.

232. An act to allow the use of fishing with purse nets in the waters of Burlington county.

introduced, 252.
read first time, 252.
referred, 252.

233. An act concerning the running of ferry boats.

introduced, 253.

read first time, 253.

referred, 253.

withdrawn, 317.

taken from committee and placed on calendar, 529.

reported without recommendation, 629.

234. A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of the State" (Revision), approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

introduced, 253.

read first time, 253.

referred, 253.

reported without recommendation, 482.

amended, 530.

235. An act providing for the publication of laws in the New Jersey Coast Pilot.

introduced, 266.

read first time, 266.

referred, 266.

reported adversely, 290.

reconsidered, 356.

recommitted, 356.

reported favorably, 518.

read second time, 577.

read third time, 622.

passed, 622.

ordered sent to Senate, 623.

passed Senate, 1048.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 1048.

236. A supplement to the act entitled "An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and materials in the erecting any building" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

introduced, 266.

read first time, 266.

referred, 266.

reported favorably, 328.

read second time, 358.

reported engrossed, 406.

read third time, 416.

passed, 416.

ordered sent to Senate, 416

amended by Senate, 1158.

amendments accepted, 1205

237. An act relating to city and town monuments.

introduced, 267.

read first time, 267.

referred, 267.

reported favorably, 308.

238. An act relative to the fees of the assessors and collectors of taxes of this State.

introduced, 267.

read first time, 267.

referred, 267.

reported favorably, 386.

read second time, 428.

amended, 428.
reported engrossed, 452.
recommitted, 460.
laid over on third reading, 618.
read third time, 643.
passed, 643.
ordered sent to Senate, 644.
rejected by Senate, 1244.
delivered to State Librarian, 1258.

239. An act to amend an act entitled "An act respecting the court of chancery" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

introduced, 268.
read first time, 268.
referred, 268.
reported favorably, 386.
read second time, 418.
reported engrossed, 501.
read third time, 517.
passed, 517.
ordered sent to Senate, 517.
rejected by Senate, 1244.
delivered to State Librarian, 1258.

240. Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the relief of persons imprisoned on civil process" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

introduced, 268.
read first time, 268.
referred, 268.

read second time, 724.
reported engrossed, 771.
read third time, 787.
passed, 787.
ordered sent to Senate, 788.
passed Senate, 869.
approved, 937.

241. An act to establish a board of excise commissioners in cities of the first class and to define their duties in regulating the sale of intoxicating beverages.

introduced, 268.
read first time, 268.
referred, 268.

242. An act entitled "An act to organize and establish a State Board of Agriculture."

introduced, 275.
read first time, 275.
referred, 275.
reported favorably, 374.
read second time, 385.
reported engrossed, 433.
read third time, 479.
passed, 479.
ordered sent to Senate, 480.
passed Senate, 548.
delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 548.
recalled from Governor, 637.

243. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning clerks of counties in this State" (Revision), approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

introduced, 275.
 read first time, 276.
 referred, 276.

244. An act empowering fish wardens to enforce game laws.

introduced, 276.
 read first time, 276.
 referred, 276.
 reported favorably, 373.
 read second time, 723.
 amended, 742.
 reported engrossed, 746.
 read third time, 754.
 passed, 754.
 ordered sent to Senate, 754.
 passed Senate, 985.
 delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 985.
 approved, 1116.

245. Supplement to "An act for the preservation of sheep."

introduced, 276.
 read first time, 276.
 referred, 276.
 reported favorably, 303.
 read second time, 340.
 read third time, 415.
 passed, 415.
 ordered sent to Senate, 415.
 passed Senate, 552.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 553.

approved, 656.

246. Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning roads" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

introduced, 286.

read first time, 286.

referred, 286.

reported favorably, 341.

read second time, 418.

reported engrossed, 491.

read third time, 493.

lost, 493.

reconsidered, 525.

recommitted, 526.

delivered to State Librarian, 1258.

247. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning juries" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

introduced, 287.

read first time, 287.

referred, 287.

reported favorably, 464.

248. Supplement to the "Supplement to 'An act to establish an Agricultural Experiment Station.'"

introduced, 293.

read first time, 293.

referred, 293.

reported favorably, 374.

read second time, 385.

reported engrossed, 433.
read third time, 480.
passed, 480.
ordered sent to Senate, 480.
passed Senate, 547.
delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 548.
recalled from Governor, 637.

249. An act concerning overseers of the highways.

introduced, 294.
read first time, 294.
referred, 294.
reported favorably, 327.
read second time, 418.
reported engrossed, 451.
read third time, 492.
passed, 492.
ordered sent to Senate, 492.
reconsidered, 497.
read third time, 611.
passed, 611.
ordered sent to Senate, 612.
rejected by Senate, 1244.
delivered to State Librarian, 1258.

250. A supplement to the act entitled "An act for rendering the proceedings upon information in the nature of a quo warranto more speedy and effectual," passed March seventeen, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five.

introduced, 294.
read first time, 294.

referred, 294.
reported with amendments, 373.
read second time, 496.
reported engrossed, 502.
read third time, 526.
passed, 526.
ordered sent to Senate, 527.
returned by Senate, 548.
passed Senate, 1123.
delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 1123.

251. An act to fix the salaries of the bill clerks of the Senate and General Assembly.

introduced, 297.
read first time, 297.
referred, 297.
reported favorably, 310.
read second time, 410.
amended, 410.
reported engrossed, 420.
read third time, 440.
passed, 440.
ordered sent to Senate, 441.
amended by Senate, 536.
amendments accepted, 596.
approved, 626.

252. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to the publication of the laws in the newspapers," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

introduced, 304

read first time, 304.
referred, 304.
reported favorably, 422.
read second time, 561.
reported engrossed, 586.
read third time, 667.
passed, 667.
ordered sent to Senate, 667.
passed Senate, 1033.
delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 1033.
approved, 1116.

253. An act providing for State and municipal taxes on certain corporations,
and the collection thereof.

introduced, 305.
read first time, 305.
referred, 305.
reported with amendments, 512.
amended, 512.
laid over, 512.
reported favorably, 534.
report accepted, 534.
laid over, 543.
reconsidered, 544.
amendments lost, 545.
rules suspended, 566.
passed, 566.
ordered sent to Senate, 567.

rejected by Senate, 1245.

delivered to State Librarian, 1258.

254. An act to provide for granting or disposing of lands under water in this State.

introduced, 310.

read first time, 310.

referred, 310.

reported favorably, 569.

read second time, 617.

amended, 617.

reported engrossed, 685.

laid over on third reading, 750.

read third time, 1200.

lost, 1200.

delivered to State Librarian, 1279.

255. An act to prevent willful trespasses.

introduced, 310.

read first time, 310.

referred, 310.

reported with amendments, 387.

read second time, 843.

reported engrossed, 878.

reconsidered, 963.

amended, 963.

256. A supplement to an act entitled "An act incorporating the inhabitants of townships, designating their powers and regulating their meetings."

introduced, 311.

read first time, 311.

referred, 311.
reported with amendments, 341.
read second time, 427.
amended, 427.
reported engrossed, 450.
read third time, 508.
passed, 508.
ordered sent to Senate, 509.
amended by Senate, 733.
approved, 899.

257. A supplement to an act entitled "An act to increase the powers of township committees," approved March eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty.

introduced, 311.
read first time, 311.
referred, 311.
reported favorably, 470.
read second time, 575.
reported engrossed, 585.
read third time, 618.
passed, 618
ordered sent to Senate, 619.
passed Senate, 721.
delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 721.

258. An act to amend an act entitled "An act for the construction, maintenance and operation of water works for the purpose of supplying cities, towns and villages of this State with water," which act was approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

introduced, 311.
read first time, 311.

referred, 311.

reported adversely, 609.

adverse report concurred in, 609.

259. A supplement to the act entitled "An act for the organization of the National Guard of the State of New Jersey," approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine.

introduced, 311.

read first time, 311.

referred, 311.

reported favorably, 372.

read second time, 476.

reported engrossed, 484.

read third time, 508.

passed, 508.

ordered sent to Senate, 508.

amended by Senate, 654.

amendments accepted, 706.

260. An act in regard to the numbering of houses in cities.

introduced, 312.

read first time, 312.

referred, 312.

reported favorably, 371.

read second time, 477.

reported engrossed, 501.

read third time, 521.

passed, 521.

ordered sent to Senate, 521.

passed Senate, 607.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 608.

filed in office of Secretary of State without Governor's signature, 720.

261. Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

introduced, 312.

read first time, 312.

referred, 312.

reported with amendments, 387.

262. An act relative to the jurisdiction and practice of district courts established in this State in cities of the first class.

introduced, 312.

read first time, 312.

referred, 312.

reported favorably, 716.

263. An act to prevent the pollution of the waters of this State.

introduced, 312.

read first time, 312.

referred, 312.

reported with amendments, 328.

reconsidered, 330.

amendments not concurred in, 330.

read second time, 477.

reported engrossed, 540.

read third time, 599.

passed, 599.

ordered sent to Senate, 600.

amended by Senate, 827.

amendments accepted, 942.

264. An act concerning the publication of financial statements in cities of this State.

introduced, 312.

read first time, 312.

referred, 312.

reported favorably, 333.

read second time, 427.

amended, 427.

reported engrossed, 450.

read third time, 510.

passed, 510.

ordered sent to Senate, 511.

amended by Senate, 674.

amendments accepted, 749.

approved, 819.

265. An act to provide for the further relief of poor in cities of the first class.

introduced, 313.

read first time, 313.

referred, 313.

reported favorably, 340.

read second time, 418.

reported engrossed, 450.

read third time, 479.

passed, 479.

ordered sent to Senate, 479.

withdrawn, 798.
rejected by Senate, 1245.
delivered to State Librarian, 1258.

266. An act to increase the jurisdiction of justices of the peace.

introduced, 313
read first time, 313.
referred, 313
reported substitute, 374.

267. An act for the support of fire organizations.

introduced, 313.
read first time, 313.
referred, 313.
reported favorably, 340.
read second time, 427.
amended, 427.
delivered to State Librarian, 1258.

268. A supplement to "An act concerning roads."

introduced, 313.
read first time, 313.
referred, 313.
reported favorably, 340.
read second time, 428.
reported engrossed, 502.
reconsidered, 523.
laid over, 523.
recommitted, 526.

reported with amendments, 677.

amended, 679.

delivered to State Librarian, 1259.

269. An act concerning cities of the first class.

introduced, 313.

read first time, 313.

referred, 313.

reported favorably, 363, 429.

read second time, 493.

reported engrossed, 540.

amended, 579.

delivered to State Librarian, 1259.

270. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

introduced, 314.

read first time, 314.

referred, 314.

laid over, 939.

read second time, 943.

amended, 943.

reconsidered, 963.

amended, 963.

read third time, 999.

passed, 1000.

ordered sent to Senate, 1000.

passed Senate, 1199.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 1199.

rejected by Senate, 1245.

delivered to State Librarian, 1259.

271. An act to prevent cattle pasturing or running at large on the streets or highways in the townships.

introduced, 314.

read first time, 314.

referred, 314.

taken from committee and placed on calendar, 529.

laid over, 818.

read second time, 843.

reported engrossed, 854.

read third time, 1057.

passed, 1057.

ordered sent to Senate, 1057.

passed Senate, 1123.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 1123.

272. An act to authorize the appointment of fire wardens.

introduced, 321.

read first time, 321.

referred, 321.

reported favorably, 371, 455.

read second time, 576.

amended, 578.

reported engrossed, 589.

read third time, 727.

passed, 727.

ordered sent to Senate, 727.

amended by Senate, 859.

amendments accepted, 907.

approved, 977.

273. An act concerning certain administrative departments of government of cities of the second class.

introduced, 321.

read first time, 321.

referred, 321.

reported with amendments, 393.

laid over, 399.

reported with amendments, favorably, 478.

recommitted, 481.

read second time, 528.

reported engrossed, 567.

read third time, 571.

passed, 571.

ordered sent to Senate, 571.

rejected by Senate, 1245.

delivered to State Librarian, 1259.

274. An act in relation to the duties, rights and privileges of real estate agents in this State, and imposing a tax upon them for the privilege of conducting and carrying on such business in this State.

introduced, 322.

read first time, 322.

referred, 322.

reported without recommendation, 422.

275. A supplement to an act concerning inns and taverns.

introduced, 330.

read first time, 330.

referred, 330.

reported without recommendation, 445.

276. An act to repeal section five of an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning taxes,'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six.

introduced, 330.

read first time, 330.

referred, 331.

reported without recommendation, 386.

reported engrossed, 452.

amended, 489.

delivered to State Librarian, 1279.

277. A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

introduced, 331.

read first time, 331.

referred, 331.

reported favorably, 470.

read second time, 787.

reported engrossed, 878.

read third time, 889.

passed, 889.

ordered sent to Senate, 890.

amended by Senate, 1020.

278. An act authorizing aqueduct boards of cities of the first class to issue bonds for the payment of indebtedness, and for the construction, extension and maintenance of water works.

introduced, 331.

read first time, 331.
referred, 331.
reported favorably, 407.
laid over, 442.
read second time, 476.
reported engrossed, 502.
reconsidered, 511.
amended, 511.
read third time, 543.
passed, 543.
ordered sent to Senate, 543.
amended by Senate, 633, 647.
amendments accepted, 675.
approved, 690.

279. An act in relation to the hours of labor of the drivers and conductors of horse cars.

introduced, 332.
read first time, 332.
referred, 332.
reported favorably, 373.
read second time, 477.
reported engrossed, 502.
read third time, 640.
passed, 640.
ordered sent to Senate, 641.

280. A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the collection of demands against ships, steamboats and other vessels," approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven.

introduced, 333.
read first time, 333.
referred, 333.
reported favorably, 620.
read second time, 854.
reported engrossed, 940.
laid over, 942.
reconsidered, 944.
amended, 944.
reconsidered, 963.
amended, 963.
read third time, 1099.
lost, 1099.
delivered to State Librarian, 1277.

281. An act to regulate applications for license to sell liquors.

introduced, 339.
read first time, 339.
referred, 339.
reported without recommendation, 558.

282. An act to amend an act entitled "An act for the relief of persons imprisoned on civil process" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

introduced, 346.
read first time, 346.
referred, 346.
reported favorably, 374.

283. Amendment to an act establishing a system of public instruction.

introduced, 354.
read first time, 354.
referred, 354.
reported favorably, 398.
reported engrossed, 502.
read third time, 522.
passed, 522.
ordered sent to Senate, 523.
passed Senate, 634.
vetoed, 711.
veto sustained, 777.

284. An act concerning boroughs of the second and third class.

introduced, 354.
read first time, 354.
referred, 354.
reported without recommendation, 556.

285. An act concerning marriages.

introduced, 355.
read first time, 355.
referred, 355.
reported adversely, 445.
adverse report concurred in, 446.

. 286. A supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize the construction and repair of sidewalks in townships," approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

introduced, 355.
read first time, 355.

referred, 355.
reported adversely, 423.
adverse report concurred in, 424.

287. A supplement to the act to provide means for protection against fires in townships.

introduced, 355.
read first time, 355.
referred, 355.
read second time, 785.
reported engrossed, 853.
read third time, 921.
passed, 921.
ordered sent to Senate, 921.
amended by Senate, 1049.
amendments accepted, 1154.

288. Supplement to an act to fix the salaries of the officers of the Senate and General Assembly of New Jersey.

introduced, 355.
read first time, 355.
referred, 355.
reported favorably, 464.
read second time, 561.
reported engrossed, 589.
read third time, 792.
passed, 792.
ordered sent to Senate, 792.
rejected by Senate, 1245.
delivered to State Librarian, 1259.

289. An act to regulate the making of contracts for public use or improvements.

introduced, 356.
read first time, 356.
referred, 356.
reported favorably, 444.
read second time, 817.
reported engrossed, 853.
laid over, 912.

290. Supplement to an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further act concerning taxes,' making the same a first lien on real estate," etc.

introduced, 356.
read first time, 356.
referred, 356.
reported with amendments, 465.
amended, 465.
read second time, 575.
reported engrossed, 588.
read third time, 621.
passed, 621.
ordered sent to Senate, 621.
amended by Senate, 808.
amendments accepted, 871.
filed in office of Secretary of State without Governor's signature, 954.

291. A supplement to an act entitled "An act to further define the duties of the fish commissioners of the State of New Jersey."

introduced, 375.
read first time, 375.

referred, 375
reported favorably, 463.
read second time, 575.
reported engrossed, 588.
read third time, 671.
passed, 671.
ordered sent to Senate, 672.
passed Senate, 985.
delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 985.

292. A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the better regulation of proceedings upon writs of mandamus," passed the second day of December, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-four.

introduced, 379.
read first time, 379.
referred, 379.
reported without recommendation, 717.

293. An act for the protection of employes.

introduced, 379.
read first time, 379.
referred, 379.
reported with amendments, 472.

294. An act to regulate the liability of corporations for injuries received by their employes.

introduced, 379.
read first time, 379.
referred, 379.
reported without recommendation, 556.
read second time, 842.

reported engrossed, 878.

laid over, 1015.

295. An act for the preservation of the health of female employes employed in manufacturing, mechanical and mercantile establishments.

introduced, 379.

read first time, 379.

referred, 379.

reported without recommendation, 556.

read second time, 842.

reported engrossed, 853.

read third time, 911.

passed, 911.

ordered sent to Senate, 911.

passed Senate, 993. •

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 993.

296. An act relating to cities.

introduced, 388.

read first time, 388.

referred, 388.

reported favorably, 640.

amended, 787.

laid over, 787.

reported engrossed, 840.

delivered to State Librarian, 1259.

297. An act to defray the expense of a special committee of the Legislature.

introduced, 388.

read first time, 388.

referred, 388.
reported without recommendation, 463.
read second time, 575.
reported engrossed, 587.
read third time, 626.
passed, 626.
ordered sent to Senate, 627.
amended by Senate, 1124.
amendments accepted, 1192.

298. An act to amend an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the fisheries in the river Delaware, and for other purposes,'" passed November twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and eight.

introduced, 388.
read first time, 388.
referred, 388.

299. A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning corporations," approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

introduced, 389.
read first time, 389.
referred, 389.
reported favorably, 423.
amended, 517.
laid over, 517.
read second time, 579.
amended, 579.
reported engrossed, 589.
delivered to State Librarian, 1259.

300. An act concerning the construction of sewers in cities of this State.

introduced, 389.
read first time, 389.
referred, 389.
reported favorably, 429.
read second time, 561.
reported engrossed, 588.
recommitted, 657.
reported with amendments, 678.
amended, 679.
read third time, 795.
passed, 795.
ordered sent to Senate, 795.
amended by Senate, 1021.
amendments accepted, 1179.

301. An act concerning terms of office of mayors in the cities of this State.

introduced, 389.
read first time, 389.
referred, 389.
reported favorably, 429.
read second time, 561.
reported engrossed, 589.
recommitted, 737.
reconsidered, 740.
amended, 740.
read third time, 753.
passed, 753.

ordered sent to Senate, 753.

rejected by Senate, 1245.

delivered to State Librarian, 1259.

302. An act concerning the purchase of medicines for the poor in cities of this State.

introduced, 389.

read first time, 389.

referred, 389.

reported favorably, 464.

read second time, 576.

reported engrossed, 588.

read third time, 660.

passed, 660.

ordered sent to Senate, 660.

rejected by Senate, 1245.

delivered to State Librarian, 1259.

303. An act concerning cities.

introduced, 390.

read first time, 390.

referred, 390.

reported favorably, 429.

read second time, 652.

amended, 652

reported engrossed, 685.

read third time, 738

passed, 738.

ordered sent to Senate, 738.

rejected by Senate, 1245.

delivered to State Librarian, 1260.

304. An act to amend "An act to establish a system of public instruction" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

introduced, 390

read first time, 390.

referred, 390.

reported favorably, 398.

read second time, 428.

reported engrossed, 502.

reconsidered, 510.

amended, 510.

read third time, 605.

passed, 605.

ordered sent to Senate, 605.

passed Senate, 805.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 806.

approved, 899.

305. An act to enable incorporated cities of the third class to construct water works for the extinguishment of fires and to supply inhabitants thereof with pure and wholesome water.

introduced, 390.

read first time, 390.

referred, 390.

reported favorably, 1173.

306. An act to regulate the manner of publishing ordinances in incorporated cities of the third class.

introduced, 390.

read first time, 390.
referred, 390.
reported favorably, 609.
read second time, 744.
reported engrossed, 771.
read third time, 828.
passed, 828.
ordered sent to Senate, 829.

307. An act for the better securing and enjoyment of wages to workmen and laborers in the State of New Jersey.

introduced, 391.
read first time, 391.
referred, 391.
reported with amendments, 504.
amended, 504.
reported engrossed, 685.
read third time, 834.
lost, 834.
delivered to State Librarian, 1279.

308. An act authorizing township committees to discharge the duties of overseers of roads in certain cases.

introduced, 407.
read first time, 407.
referred, 407.
reported favorably, 482.
read second time, 636.
amended, 636.
reported engrossed, 657.

read third time, 657.

passed, 657.

ordered sent to Senate, 658.

amended by Senate, 673.

approved, 704.

309. A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of the State" (Revision), approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six.

introduced, 408.

read first time, 408.

referred, 408.

reported without recommendation, 482.

read second time, 826.

reported engrossed, 853.

delivered to State Librarian, 1260.

310. An act to exempt hospitals from taxes and water rents

introduced, 408.

read first time, 408.

referred, 408.

reported with amendments, 465.

amended, 465.

read second time, 561.

amended, 561.

reported engrossed, 587.

reconsidered, 671.

amended, 671.

read third time, 695.

passed, 695.

ordered sent to Senate, 696.

rejected by Senate, 1245.

delivered to State Librarian, 1260.

311. A supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting conveyances," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

introduced, 408.

read first time, 408.

referred, 408.

reported favorably, 470.

read second time, 561.

reported engrossed, 587.

read third time, 834.

passed, 834.

ordered sent to Senate, 835.

passed Senate, 896.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 897.

approved, 937.

312. An act to repeal an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning townships and township officers,' approved March twenty third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three."

introduced, 408.

read first time, 408.

referred, 408.

reported adversely, 445.

adverse report concurred in, 446.

313. An act for the taxation of railroads and canals.

recommitted, 365.

reconsidered, 365.

reported by special joint committee, 424.
placed on calendar without further reference, 542.
amended, 550.
read second time, 550.
one hundred extra copies ordered printed, 580.
reconsidered, 610.
amended, 610.
reconsidered, 649.
amended, 649.
reported engrossed, 684.
read third time, 691.
passed, 691.
ordered sent to Senate, 691.
amended by Senate, 1002.
amendments rejected, 1003, 1007.
report of Conference Committee, 1009.
report adopted, 1010.
amendments accepted, 1011.
approved, 1083.

314. An act tendering to any railroad or canal company having contract exemptions and privileges with respect to taxation and subject to the option of the State, reserved in the charter of such company, to take its property at a valuation not exceeding cost, a release of said option on surrender of said exemptions and privileges.

reported by special joint committee, 424.
placed on calendar without further reference, 542.
read second time, 630.
amended, 630
reported engrossed, 672.

read third time, 674.
passed, 674.
ordered sent to Senate, 675.
rejected by Senate, 1245.
delivered to State Librarian, 1260.

315. An act providing for State taxes on railroads, and the more efficient collection thereof, and the supplements thereto.

reported by special joint committee, 424.
placed on calendar without further reference, 542.
reported engrossed, 672.
read third time, 691.
passed, 691.
ordered sent to Senate, 692.

316. An act relating to newspapers.

introduced, 424.
read first time, 424.
referred, 424.
reported favorably, 464.
read second time, 576.
reported engrossed, 589.
read third time, 737.
passed, 737.
ordered sent to Senate, 737.
passed Senate, 958.
delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 959.

317. An act to protect the fresh water lakes and ponds of this State.

introduced, 425.

read first time, 425.

referred, 425.

reported favorably, 471.

read second time, 575.

reported engrossed, 589.

read third time, 712.

lost, 712.

delivered to State Librarian, 1279.

318. An act relative to the election of constables.

introduced, 425.

read first time, 425.

referred, 425.

reported favorably, 463.

read second time, 576.

reported engrossed, 590.

reconsidered, 793.

laid over, 793.

amended, 794.

read third time, 844.

passed, 844.

ordered sent to Senaté, 844.

passed Senate, 985.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 985.

319. An act explanatory of section twenty-two of the act entitled "An act relative to public printing," approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

introduced, 425.

read first time, 425.

referred, 425.
reported favorably, 464.
read second time, 562.
amended, 562.
reported engrossed, 618.
read third time, 620.
lost, 620.
delivered to State Librarian, 1279.

320. A supplement to "An act to authorize the formation of railroad corporations and regulate the same," approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three.

introduced, 425.
read first time, 425.
referred, 425.
reported favorably, 681.
read second time, 745.
reported engrossed, 771.
reconsidered, 788.
amended, 788.
laid over, 838.

321. An act to provide for safety attachments for steam railroad cars carrying passengers in this State.

introduced, 425.
read first time, 425.
referred, 425.
reported engrossed, 587.

322. An act to amend an act relative to the publication of the laws of this State in the newspapers, approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

introduced, 426.
read first time, 426.
referred, 426.
reported favorably, 470.
read second time, 585.
amended, 585.
reported engrossed, 589.
read third time, 783.
passed, 783.
ordered sent to Senate, 783.

323. A supplement to an act to amend and consolidate the several acts relating to game and game laws, revised and approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

introduced, 426.
read first time, 426.
referred, 426.
reported favorably, 470.
read second time, 576.
reported engrossed, 588.
read third time, 794.
passed, 794.
ordered sent to Senate, 795.

324. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to sales of land under a public statute or by virtue of any judicial proceedings," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

introduced, 426.
read first time, 426.
referred, 426.

reported favorably, 503.
read second time, 577.
reported engrossed, 894.
reconsidered, 901.
amended, 901.
read third time, 1065.
passed, 1065.
passed Senate, 1156.
delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 1157.

325. An act authorizing constables and police officers in towns and townships to serve warrants and other criminal process.

introduced, 433.
read first time, 433.
referred, 433.
reported favorably, 470.
read second time, 577.
reported engrossed, 589.
read third time, 793.
passed, 793.
ordered sent to Senate, 794.
rejected by Senate, 1246.
delivered to State Librarian, 1260.

326. A supplement to an act entitled "An act constituting district courts in certain cities in this State," approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

introduced, 433.
read first time, 433.
referred, 433.

reported favorably, 503.

read second time, 577.

reported engrossed, 588.

laid over on third reading, 836.

delivered to State Librarian, 1260.

327. A supplement to an act entitled "An act constituting district courts in certain cities in this State," approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

introduced, 434.

read first time, 434.

referred, 434.

reported, 1166.

328. A supplement to an act entitled "An act to preserve the navigation of the rivers and creeks within the State of New Jersey," approved April twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and forty six.

introduced, 434.

read first time, 434.

referred, 434.

reported favorably, 499.

read second time, 578.

reported favorably, 620.

recommitted, 809.

taken from committee and placed on calendar, 996.

329. An act fixing and establishing the salaries of door keepers and gallery-keepers of the Senate and House of Assembly.

introduced, 434.

read first time, 434.

referred, 434

withdrawn, 477.

330. An act to authorize police service in townships.

introduced, 435.
read first time, 435.
referred, 435.
reported with amendments, 472.
read second time, 577.
reported engrossed, 590.
read third time, 741.
passed, 741.
ordered sent to Senate, 741.
amended by Senate, 896.
amendments accepted, 947.
approved, 1021.

331. An act concerning the appointment of assessors in cities of the first class.

introduced, 436.
read first time, 436.
referred, 436.
reported favorably, 537.
read second time, 574.
amended, 574.
reported engrossed, 588.
read third time, 639.
passed, 639.
ordered sent to Senate, 639.
amended by Senate, 994, 1088.
returned to Senate, 1103.
amended by Senate, 1158.

amendments accepted, 1202.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 1202.

332. An act to repeal "An act to secure the performance of contracts for city improvements within the time required by such contracts," approved February eighth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

introduced, 439.

read first time, 439.

referred, 439.

reported favorably, 537.

read second time, 576.

reported engrossed, 685.

read third time, 743.

passed, 743.

rejected by Senate, 1246.

delivered to State Librarian, 1260.

333. An act to alter and amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Newark Plank Road and Ferry Company," approved February twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act.

introduced, 439.

read first time, 439.

referred, 439.

withdrawn, 475.

334. An act to abolish distress for rent.

introduced, 440.

read first time, 440.

referred, 440.

reported adversely, 504.

adverse report concurred in, 504.

335. An act relating to the adulteration of food and drugs.

introduced, 446.

read first time, 446.

referred, 446.

withdrawn, 559.

336. An act regarding usury and interest.

introduced, 446.

read first time, 446.

referred, 446.

reported without recommendation, 558.

read second time, 744.

reported engrossed, 771.

read third time, 961.

lost, 962.

delivered to State Librarian, 1279.

337. A supplement to "An act concerning juries," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

introduced, 446.

read first time, 446.

referred, 446.

reported without recommendation, 558.

338. An act concerning inns and taverns.

introduced, 447.

read first time, 447.

referred, 447.

reported with amendments, 504.

amended, 504.

reported adversely, 582.
adverse report not concurred in, 582.
read second time, 670.
amended, 670.
reported engrossed, 672.
read third time, 679.
passed, 679.
ordered sent to Senate, 680.
rejected by Senate, 1246.
delivered to State Librarian, 1260.

339. An act authorizing the re-issue of municipal bonds in certain cases.

introduced, 455.
read first time, 455.
referred, 455.

340. An act concerning the collection of taxes in cities of this State and to authorize actions at law therefor.

introduced, 455.
read first time, 455.
referred, 455.
reported favorably, 627.
read second time, 680.
reported engrossed, 685.
laid over, 742.
read third time, 831.
passed, 831.
ordered sent to Senate, 831.

341. An act concerning cities of this State.

introduced, 455.
read first time, 455.
referred, 455.
reported favorably, 537.
read second time, 635.
amended, 635.
reported engrossed, 685.
laid over, 831.
read third time, 838.
passed, 838.
ordered sent to Senate, 839.
passed Senate, 909.
delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 909.
approved, 937.

342. An act to promote purity in legislation.

introduced, 457.
read first time, 457.
referred, 457.
reported favorably, 463.
read second time, 578.
amended, 578.
reported engrossed, 588.
reconsidered, 725.
read third time, 725.
passed, 725.
ordered sent to Senate, 726.
rejected by Senate, 1246.
delivered to State Librarian, 1261.

343. An act to regulate the manner of selecting grand juries in the several counties of this State.

- introduced, 461.
- read first time, 461.
- referred, 461.
- reported favorably, 539.
- read second time, 744.
- reported engrossed, 771.
- laid over, 793.
- read third time, 888.
- lost, 888.
- delivered to State Librarian, 1280.

344. A supplement to an act entitled "An act constituting district courts in certain cities in this State," approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

- introduced, 462.
- read first time, 462.
- referred, 462.
- reported favorably, 557.

345. A supplement to an act entitled "An act constituting district courts in certain cities in this State," approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

- introduced, 462.
- read first time, 462.
- referred, 462.
- reported favorably, 557.

346. An act to repeal "An act for the better protection of manufacturers and bottlers of and dealers in mineral waters, beer, ale, porter," etc., approved March eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

- introduced, 462.

read first time, 462.
referred, 462.
reported adversely, 504.
adverse report concurred in, 504.

347. An act validating defective conveyances.

introduced, 474.
read first time, 474.
referred, 474.
read second time, 744
reported engrossed, 771.
read third time, 814.
passed, 814.
ordered sent to Senate, 815.
passed Senate, 896.
delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 897.
filed in office of Secretary of State without Governor's signature, 954.

348. An act to validate and render more effective ordinances of boards of health and vital statistics of the several counties of this State.

introduced, 475.
read first time, 475.
referred, 475.
reported favorably, 490.
read second time, 577.
reported engrossed, 684.
reconsidered, 762.
amended, 762.
read third time, 912.

passed, 912

ordered sent to Senate, 912.

passed Senate, 985.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 985.

recalled from Governor, 1035.

349. An act regulating toll roads, turnpike and plank road companies in this State.

introduced, 475.

read first time, 475.

referred, 475.

reported favorably, 532.

read second time, 561.

amended, 561.

reported engrossed, 601.

read third time, 635.

lost, 635.

delivered to State Librarian, 1279.

350. An act to fix the duties of the door-keepers and gallery-keepers of the Senate and General Assembly.

introduced, 477.

read first time, 477.

referred, 477.

reported with amendments, 554.

read second time, 634.

reported engrossed, 677.

read third time, 693.

passed, 693

ordered sent to Senate, 693.

passed Senate, 797.

approved, 1167.

351. An act entitled "An act to prevent unjust discrimination in telegraph rates in New Jersey."

introduced, 483.

read first time, 483.

referred, 483.

reported favorably, 532.

read second time, 575.

reported engrossed, 588.

read third time, 604.

passed, 604.

ordered sent to Senate, 605.

rejected by Senate, 1246.

delivered to State Librarian, 1261.

352. A supplement to an act entitled "An act to prevent the spread of glanders in horses," approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four.

introduced, 483.

read first time, 483.

referred, 483.

reported favorably, 541.

read second time, 562.

reported engrossed, 570.

read third time, 571.

passed, 571.

ordered sent to Senate, 572.

passed Senate, 634.

filed in office of Secretary of State without Governor's signature, 720.

353. A further supplement to an act concerning the protection of the public health and the record of vital facts and statistics relating thereto, approved March eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, and the supplements thereto.

introduced, 483.

read first time, 483.

referred, 483.

reported with amendments, 558.

amended, 558.

read second time, 875.

amended, 875.

reported engrossed, 932.

read third time, 1017.

passed, 1017.

ordered sent to Senate, 1017.

passed Senate, 1086.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 1086.

354. A further supplement to an act respecting circuit courts in the several counties of this State.

introduced, 484.

read first time, 484.

referred, 484.

355. A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice in the courts of law," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

introduced, 484.

read first time, 484.

referred, 484.

reported with amendments, 490.

read second time, 578.

reported engrossed, 589.

read third time, 784.

lost, 784.

delivered to State Librarian, 1279.

356. An act concerning the taxation of certain corporations in the State.

introduced, 484.

read first time, 484.

referred, 484.

reported favorably, 730.

read second time, 786.

reported engrossed, 841.

357. An act to amend an act 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,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four," which said supplement was approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

introduced, 491.

read first time, 491

referred, 491.

reported adversely, 880.

adverse report concurred in, 880.

358. A supplement to an act to regulate the sale of milk.

introduced, 506.

read first time, 506.

referred, 506.

reported favorably, 542.

read second time, 563.

reported engrossed, 570.

read third time, 622.

passed, 622.

ordered sent to Senate, 623.

amended by Senate, 896.

amendments accepted, 919.

approved, 977.

359. An act relating to the government of cities of the fifth class.

introduced, 506.

read first time, 506.

referred, 506.

reported favorably, 562.

withdrawn, 689.

360. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish and regulate pilots for the ports of Jersey City, Newark and Perth Amboy, by way of Sandy Hook."

introduced, 506.

read first time, 506.

referred, 506.

361. An act in relation to the formation of gas companies.

introduced, 506.

read first time, 506.

referred, 506.

reported with amendments, 609.

amended, 609.

reconsidered, 673.

amended, 673.

reported engrossed, 685.

362. An act to regulate the proceedings and practice of the courts of this State in actions to recover damages for injuries or death caused by the wrongful act, neglect or default of any person or corporation.

introduced, 507.

read first time, 507.

referred, 507.

363 An act to establish schools of art, or technical schools, in cities of the first and second classes in this State.

introduced, 507.

read first time, 507.

referred, 507.

reported favorably, 562.

read second time, 577.

reported engrossed, 616.

reconsidered, 652.

amended, 652.

read third time, 693.

passed, 693.

ordered sent to Senate, 694

amended by Senate, 1233.

amendments accepted, 1243.

364. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act for the formation of borough governments," approved April fifth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

introduced, 507.

read first time, 507.

referred, 507.

reported favorably, 623.

read second time, 997.

amended, 997.

read third time, 1147.

passed, 1147.

ordered sent to Senate, 1147.

passed Senate, 1217.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 1217.

365. A supplement to the act for establishing a State Industrial School for Girls, approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one.

introduced, 518.

read first time, 518.

referred, 518.

reported favorably, 663.

366. An act to amend the forty-eighth section of the act for the punishment of crimes, approved March twenty seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

introduced, 518.

read first time, 518.

referred, 518.

reported with amendments, 539.

amended, 539.

367. An act granting boroughs in counties of the second class the right to license inns, taverns and saloons.

introduced, 519.

read first time, 519.

referred, 519.

reported favorably, 628.

read second time, 938.

reconsidered, 963.

amended, 963.

368. An act relative to interest on arrears of taxes and assessments in townships in this State.

introduced, 519.

read first time, 519.

referred, 519.

reported favorably, 676.

369. An act fixing the compensation for publishing the laws in the newspapers.

introduced, 520.

read first time, 520.

referred, 520.

reported without recommendation, 677.

read second time, 1135.

reported engrossed, 1207.

delivered to State Librarian, 1261.

370. An act amending an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

introduced, 520.

read first time, 520.

referred, 520.

reported favorably, 567.

read second time, 875.

amended, 875.

reported engrossed, 932.

371. An act concerning assessments, life and accident insurance corporations, associations and societies.

introduced, 520.

read first time, 520.

referred, 520.

withdrawn, 615.

372. A supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to the jurisdiction and practice of district courts in this State."

introduced, 520.

read first time, 520.

referred, 520.

373. 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' courts and surrogates," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

introduced, 532.

read first time, 532.

referred, 532.

reported favorably, 557.

374. A supplement to an act relative to the publication of the laws of this State in the newspapers, approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

introduced, 532.

read first time, 532.

referred, 532.

reported favorably, 665.

read second time, 1015.

amended, 1015.

reported engrossed, 1096.

read third time, 1119.

passed, 1119.

ordered sent to Senate, 1119.

passed Senate, 1239.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 1239.

375. A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning roads," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

introduced, 533.

read first time, 533.

referred, 533.

reported favorably, 557.

376. A further supplement to an act to regulate elections.

introduced, 533.

read first time, 533.

referred, 533.

reported favorably, 678.

read second time, 680.

reported engrossed, 830.

read third time, 832.

passed, 832.

ordered sent to Senate, 832.

rejected by Senate, 1246.

delivered to State Librarian, 1261.

377. A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties in this State."

introduced, 539.

read first time, 539.

referred, 539.

reported favorably, 666.

read second time, 731.

reported engrossed, 756.

read third time, 793.

lost, 793.

delivered to State Librarian, 1280.

378. An act to provide for the imposition of State taxes upon certain corporations, and for the collection thereof.

introduced, 550.
placed on calendar without reference, 550.
laid over, 634.
read second time, 635.
amended, 635.
reported engrossed, 684.
laid over on third reading, 692.
read third time, 701.
passed, 701.
ordered sent to Senate, 701.
amended by Senate, 1090,
amendments rejected, 1090.
report of Conference Committee, 1125.
report adopted, 1125.
amendments accepted, 1185.

379. An act to provide for the drainage of meadow lands in townships of this State.

introduced, 551.
read first time, 551.
referred, 551.
reported without recommendation, 676.
read second time, 842.
reported engrossed, 853.
read third time, 981.
lost, 982.
reconsidered, 982.
passed, 982.
ordered sent to Senate, 983.

rejected by Senate, 1246.

delivered to State Librarian, 1261.

380. An act relative to assessments for sewers in cities of the first class.

introduced, 551.

read first time, 551.

referred, 551.

reported with amendments, 609.

amended, 609.

read second time, 680.

reported engrossed, 685.

read third time, 705.

passed, 705.

ordered sent to Senate, 706.

amended by Senate, 827.

amendments accepted, 862.

vetoed, 954.

veto sustained, 1118.

delivered to State Librarian, 1280.

381. An act for the preservation of clams and oysters.

introduced, 559.

read first time, 559.

referred, 559.

reported adversely, 814.

adverse report concurred in, 814.

delivered to State Librarian, 1280.

382. A supplement to the act entitled "An act to provide for the filing of a lis pendens in actions, either at law or in equity, relating to or affecting the possession or title of lands or real estate," approved February sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty.

introduced, 559.

read first time, 559.

referred, 559.

reported favorably, 664.

read second time, 744.

amended, 744.

reported engrossed, 772

read third time, 839.

passed, 839.

passed Senate, 896.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 897.

approved, 937

383. An act to establish a board of excise commissioners in cities of the first class, and to define their duties in regulating the sale of intoxicating beverages.

introduced, 559.

read first time, 559.

referred, 559.

reported adversely, 678.

adverse report concurred in, 679.

384. A supplement to "An act constituting district courts in certain cities in this State," approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, and extending the same to counties of the second class.

introduced, 560.

read first time, 560.

referred, 560.

reported favorably, 666.

read second time, 724.

reconsidered, 743.

amended, 743.

reported engrossed, 756.

read third time, 798.

lost, 798.

delivered to State Librarian, 1280.

385. An act to authorize cities of the second class to extend streets now partly opened, and to pay for such extension.

introduced, 570.

read first time, 570.

referred, 570.

386. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning disorderly persons," approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

introduced, 570.

read first time, 570.

referred, 570.

reported favorably, 664.

read second time, 873.

amended, 873.

reported engrossed, 894.

read third time, 1200.

passed, 1200.

ordered sent to Senate, 1200.

passed Senate, 1228.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 1229.

387. A supplement to the act to provide means for protection against fires.

introduced, 579.

read first time, 579.

referred, 579.

388. A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a license and excise department in certain cities."

introduced, 579.

read first time, 579.

referred, 579.

reported favorably, 582.

read second time, 617.

amended, 617.

reconsidered, 621.

amended, 621.

read second time, 634

reported engrossed, 656.

read third time, 658.

passed, 658.

ordered sent to Senate, 659.

rejected by Senate, 1246.

delivered to State Librarian, 1261.

389. A further supplement to the act respecting bridges, approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

introduced, 580.

read first time, 580.

referred, 580.

reported favorably, 649.

390. A supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize the board of chosen freeholders of the respective counties of this State."

introduced, 590.
read first time, 590.
referred, 590.
reported favorably, 619.
read second time, 724.
reported engrossed, 771.
read third time, 807.
passed, 807.
passed Senate, 1228.
delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 1229.

391. An act to establish an excise department in certain cities.

introduced, 591.
read first time, 591.
referred, 591.
reported favorably, 619.
read second time, 622.
amended, 622.
reported engrossed, 638.
read third time, 646.
passed, 646.
ordered sent to Senate, 646.
amended by Senate, 870.
amendments accepted, 895.
filed in office of Secretary of State without Governor's signature, 1041.

392. An act to amend the first section of an act entitled "An act to better regulate and control a day and night force in certain townships of this State," approved March twenty third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

introduced, 591.

read first time 591.

referred, 591.

393. A supplement to an act to provide means for protection against fires in townships.

introduced, 591.

read first time, 591.

referred, 591.

reported favorably, 683.

reported engrossed, 772.

read third time, 836.

passed, 836.

ordered sent to Senate, 836.

passed Senate, 909.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 909.

approved, 937.

394. An act in respect to the salary or compensation of mayors in cities of the first class in this State.

introduced, 592.

read first time, 592.

referred, 592.

reported adversely, 760.

adverse report concurred in, 760.

395. An act to authorize persons who may think themselves aggrieved by the judgment or decision of any district court in this State to appeal therefrom.

introduced, 592.

read first time, 592.

referred, 592.

reported engrossed, 839.

laid over on third reading, 844.

395. (Substitute) An act relating to appeals from district courts.

reported favorably, 759.

396. An act in respect to sentences of boys to be confined in the Reform School at Jamesburg, in this State.

introduced, 592.

read first time, 592.

referred, 592.

reported with amendments, 759.

amended, 759.

397 An act concerning cities.

introduced, 592.

read first time, 592.

referred, 592.

reported favorably, 640.

read second time, 855.

reported engrossed, 894.

read third time, 916.

passed, 916.

ordered sent to Senate, 917.

amended by Senate, 1021.

398. An act to repeal the first section of the act entitled "An act for the protection of fish."

introduced, 592

read first time, 592.

referred, 592.

reported favorably, 762.
read second time, 765.
reported engrossed, 772.
read third time, 883.
passed, 883.
ordered sent to Senate, 884.
passed Senate, 1086.
delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 1086.

399. An act entitled "An act in relation to statements of foreign insurance companies."

introduced, 593.
read first time, 593.
referred, 593.
reported favorably, 657.
reported engrossed, 684.
laid over on third reading, 726.
read third time, 783.
passed, 783.
ordered sent to Senate, 784.
passed Senate, 1223.
amendments accepted, 1243.

400. An act to define and determine eligibility to certain offices in cities.

introduced, 593.
read first time, 593.
referred, 593.
reported favorably, 666.

401. An act to enable cities of this State to furnish better accommodations for their officers and municipal boards, as well as the National Guard of the State therein organized.

introduced, 594.
read first time, 594.
referred, 594.
reported favorably, 640.
read second time, 653.
reported engrossed, 677.
read third time, 692.
passed, 692
ordered sent to Senate, 693.
amended by Senate, 797.
amendments accepted, 830.
approved, 899.

402. An act providing for the election of two freeholders in wards of cities in this State in certain cases.

introduced, 597.
read first time, 597.
referred, 597.
reported with amendments, 650.
amended, 650.
read second time, 652.
amended, 652.
reported engrossed, 672.
reconsidered, 705.
amended, 705.
read third time, 713.

passed, 713.
ordered sent to Senate, 713.
amended by Senate, 1158.
amendments rejected, 1207.
reconsidered, 1208.
amendments accepted, 1209.

403. A further act relating to the government of cities of the fifth class.

introduced, 602.
read first time, 602.
referred, 602.

404. An act for the better protection of life and property at railroad crossings.

introduced, 602.
read first time, 602.
referred, 602.
reported without recommendation, 629.
recommitted, 666.

405. An act for the preservation of clams and oysters.

introduced, 603.
read first time, 603.
referred, 603.

406. A supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning marriages, births and deaths."

introduced, 612.
read first time, 612.
referred, 612.
reported favorably, 664.
read second time, 843.

reported engrossed, 852.
delivered to State Librarian, 1261.

407. An act in relation to railroads.

introduced, 612
read first time, 612.
referred, 612.

408. An act relating to the manufacture and transportation of explosive materials with intent to injure persons or property in this State or elsewhere.

introduced, 612.
read first time, 612.
referred, 612.
reported, 1166.

409. An act to provide for a standard time in the State of New Jersey.

introduced, 612.
read first time, 612.
referred, 612.
reported favorably, 683.
read second time, 873.
amended, 873.
reported engrossed, 894.
read third time, 912.
passed, 912.
ordered sent to Senate, 913.
passed Senate, 985.
delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 985.
approved, 1116.

410. An act in relation to the collection of interest on mortgages.

introduced, 613.
read first time, 613.
referred, 613.
reported without recommendation, 677.
laid over, 818.
read second time, 873.
amended, 873.
reported engrossed, 922.
read third time, 1119.
lost, 1119.
delivered to State Librarian, 1280.

411. An act to provide for the payment of the expenses of a special committee of the House of Assembly to investigate the subject of riparian rights.

introduced, 626.
read first time, 626.
referred, 626.
reported favorably, 629.
read second time, 635.
reported engrossed, 638.
rules suspended, 641.
read third time, 641.
passed, 641.
ordered sent to Senate, 641.
passed Senate, 805.
delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 806.

412. An act in relation to assessors and collectors in boroughs and townships in this State.

introduced, 629.
read first time, 629.
referred, 629.
reported favorably, 663.
read second time, 969.
reported engrossed, 976.
delivered to State Librarian, 1261.

413. An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Weehawken Fire Department, of the township of North Bergen, Hudson county."

introduced, 630.
read first time, 630.
referred, 630.
reported favorably, 789.

414. An act to require telegraph companies to establish in certain cases offices for the transmission and reception of messages.

introduced, 630.
read first time, 630.
referred, 630.
reported without recommendation, 790.
read second time, 809.
reported engrossed, 852.
read third time, 908.
passed, 908. ¶
ordered sent to Senate, 908.
passed Senate, 993.
delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 993.

415. An act for the better protection of mortgages.

introduced, 630.
read first time, 630.
referred, 630.
reported favorably, 664.
read second time, 724.
reported engrossed, 756.
read third time, 774.
passed, 775.

416. An act validating in certain cases sales and conveyances of land situate in adjoining counties heretofore made by a sheriff of one of such counties.

introduced, 636.
read first time, 636.
referred, 636.
reported favorably, 663.
read second time, 876.
amended, 876.
reported engrossed, 940.
read third time, 1038.
passed, 1038.
ordered sent to Senate, 1039.
amended by Senate, 113.
amendments accepted, 1113.
delivered to State Librarian, 1261.

417. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize municipal corporations to contract for a supply of water for public uses"

introduced, 636
read first time, 636.
referred, 636.

reported favorably, 650.
read second time, 809.
reported engrossed, 867.
read third time, 941.
passed, 941.
ordered sent to Senate, 942.
amended by Senate, 1020.
amendments accepted, 1149.

418. An act relating to private night watchmen.

introduced, 636.
read first time, 636.
referred, 636.

419. A supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to sales of land under a public statute or by virtue of any judicial proceedings," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

introduced, 645.
read first time, 645.
referred, 645.
reported favorably, 664.
read second time, 843.
reported engrossed, 852.
read third time, 1064.
passed, 1064.
ordered sent to Senate, 1065.
passed Senate, 1136.
delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 1136.

420. A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the settlement and relief of the poor," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

introduced, 664.
read first time, 664.
referred, 664.
reported favorably, 717.

421. An act authorizing the publication of all legal advertisements and other notices in certain newspapers in this State which have been published for at least one year.

introduced, 686.
read first time, 686.
referred, 686.
read second time, 843.
amended, 843.
reconsidered, 887.
amended, 887.
read second time, 891.
reported engrossed, 914.
read third time, 940.
passed, 940.
ordered sent to Senate, 941.
passed Senate, 1086.
delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 1086.

422. An act to provide for the payment of the expenses of a special committee of the House of Assembly to investigate the accounts of the comptroller and other State officers.

introduced, 686.
read first time, 686.
referred, 686.
reported favorably, 987.

read second time, 995.
reported engrossed, 998.
read third time, 1054.
passed, 1054.
ordered sent to Senate, 1055.
passed Senate, 1157.
delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 1157.

423. A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a system of public instruction," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

introduced, 687.
read first time, 687.
referred, 687.
read second time, 900.
reported engrossed, 940.
read third time, 1220.
lost, 1220.
delivered to State Librarian, 1280.

424. An act to confirm the incorporation and proceedings of Evangelical Lutheran Churches.

introduced, 687.
read first time, 687.
referred, 687.
reported with amendments, 769.
amended, 769.
read second time, 891.
reported engrossed, 922.
read third time, 946
passed, 946.

ordered sent to Senate, 946

amended by Senate, 1088.

amendments accepted, 1152.

425. An act to enable the improvement of salt meadow lands and tide-water lands.

introduced, 688.

read first time, 688.

referred, 688.

426. An act to authorize the sale of malt liquors on State and county agricultural society grounds at time of holding fair.

introduced, 688.

read first time, 688.

referred, 688.

reported favorably, 728.

read second time, 809.

reported engrossed, 878.

read third time, 965.

passed, 965.

ordered sent to Senate, 966.

427. An act relating to city printing.

introduced, 688.

read first time, 688.

referred, 688.

428. A supplement to an act to incorporate trustees of religious societies.

introduced, 688.

read first time, 688

referred, 688.

429. An act to provide for making and giving official bonds by clerks and treasurers of boroughs and villages.

introduced, 689.

read first time, 689.

referred, 689.

reported favorably, 732.

read second time, 1017.

amended, 1017.

reported engrossed, 1063.

delivered to State Librarian, 1262.

430. An act to repeal an act relative to morgues and morgue-keepers.

introduced, 689.

read first time, 689.

referred, 689.

reported favorably, 820.

431. A supplement to an act to preserve navigation (as) to rivers and creeks.

introduced, 689.

read first time, 689.

referred, 689.

taken from committee and placed on calendar, 887.

432. An act to authorize school boards to institute and maintain industrial or manual training classes in grammar schools.

introduced, 689.

read first time, 689.

referred, 689.

reported favorably, 820.

read second time, 900.

amended, 900.
reported engrossed, 931.

433. A further supplement to an act constituting district courts.

introduced, 700.
read first time, 700.
referred, 700.

434. An act for improvement of streets, roads and public highways.

introduced, 700.
read first time, 700.
referred, 700.
reported adversely, 946.
adverse report not concurred in, 946.

435. An act to authorize municipal corporations to contract for a supply of water for public uses.

introduced, 701.
read first time, 701.
referred, 701.
reported favorably, 759.
read second time, 875.
amended, 875.
reported engrossed, 915.
read third time, 917.
passed, 918.
ordered sent to Senate, 918.
amended by Senate, 1043.
amendments accepted, 1140.

436. A supplement to an act concerning mortgages.

introduced, 702.
read first time, 702.
referred, 702.
reported favorably, 802.
read second time, 876.
amended, 876.
reported engrossed, 893.

437. An act to fix the salaries of the clerks of the Committee on Engrossed Bills and document clerk of the House of Assembly.

introduced, 703.
read first time, 703.
referred, 703.
reconsidered, 762.
amended, 762.
reported engrossed, 765.
read third time, 781.
passed, 781.
ordered sent to Senate, 782.
amended by Senate, 1080.
amendments accepted, 1087.
approved, 1167.

438. A supplement to and amendatory of chapter CXLV. of laws of one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

introduced, 713.
read first time, 713.
referred, 713.

reported favorably, 802.

read second time, 1183.

439. A supplement to an act respecting court of chancery.

reported favorably, 811.

read second time, 1017.

reported engrossed, 1145.

read third time, 1216.

passed, 1216.

ordered sent to Senate, 1216.

440. An act to amend the practice act, approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

introduced, 714.

read first time, 714.

referred, 714.

reported favorably, 732.

read second time, 1060.

amended, 1060.

reported engrossed, 1143.

delivered to State Librarian, 1262.

441. A supplement to an act to authorize municipal corporations to contract for supply of water for public use.

introduced, 714.

read first time, 714

referred, 714.

442. An act to prevent illegal use of passes on railroad, steamboat and ferry companies.

introduced, 714.

read first time, 714.

referred, 714.
reported favorably, 843.
read second time, 855.
reported engrossed, 893.
delivered to State Librarian, 1262.

443. An act concerning cities.

introduced, 718.
read first time, 718.
referred, 718.
reported favorably, 750.
read second time, 770.
reported engrossed, 772.
read third time, 781.
passed, 781.
ordered sent to Senate, 781.
passed Senate, 860.
delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 860.

444. An act to withdraw from files of Hudson county register's office a certain map.

introduced, 718.
read first time, 718.
referred, 718.
reported favorably, 759.
reported engrossed, 1187.

445. A supplement to an act to enable towns and townships to obtain a supply of water.

introduced, 719.
read first time, 719.

referred, 719.
reported without recommendation, 785.
read second time, 876.
amended, 876.
reported engrossed, 1142.

446. An act to provide for purchase and distribution of Dickinson's Forms.

introduced, 723.
read first time, 723.
referred, 723.
reported favorably, 759.
read second time, 842.
reported engrossed, 853.
read third time, 885.
passed, 886. *e*
ordered sent to Senate, 886.
passed Senate, 993.
delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 993.

• 447. A supplement to an act for organization of National Guard of New Jersey.

introduced, 723.
read first time, 723.
referred, 723.
reported favorably, 769.
read second time, 873.
amended, 873.
reconsidered, 934.
amended, 964.
reported engrossed, 976.

read third time, 1062.
passed, 1062.
ordered sent to Senate, 1063.
passed Senate, 1112.
delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 1112.

448. An act relative to town ordinances, making same valid notwithstanding insufficiency of advertisement.

introduced, 723.
read first time, 723.
referred, 723.
reported favorably, 822.
read second time, 842.
reported engrossed, 879.
read third time, 911.
passed, 911.
ordered sent to Senate, 912.
amended by Senate, 1014.
amendments accepted, 1139.

449. A supplement to an act to regulate elections.

introduced, 742.
read first time, 742.
referred, 742
reported without recommendation, 835.

450. A further supplement to an act concerning corporations.

introduced, 742.
read first time, 742.
referred, 742

reported favorably, 746.
laid over, 784.
read second time, 817.
reported engrossed, 853.
read third time, 866.
passed, 866.
ordered sent to Senate, 867.
amended by Senate, 1137.
amendments accepted, 1153.

451. An act to enforce the provisions, terms and conditions of the charter granted to and held by toll roads, turnpike and plank road companies in the State

introduced, 746.
read first time, 746.
referred, 746.
reported favorably, 796.
read second time, 817.
reported engrossed, 878.
laid over, 919, 945.
reconsidered, 962.
read third time, 962.
lost, 962.
delivered to State Librarian, 1280.

452. An act to enlarge and confer additional power upon boards of health in cities of this State.

introduced, 746.
read first time, 746.
referred, 746.
reported favorably, 760.

read second time, 875.
amended, 875.
reconsidered, 917.
amended, 917.
reported engrossed, 932.
reconsidered, 964.
amended, 964.
read second time, 1018.
reconsidered, 1053.
amended, 1053.
delivered to State Librarian, 1262.

453. An act relating to the improvement of streets in cities of this State, and authorizing such cities to issue loan certificates to pay the costs of such improvements.

introduced, 747.
read first time, 747.
referred, 747.
reported without recommendation, 785.
read second time, 809.
reconsidered, 858.
read second time, 858.
amended, 858.
withdrawn, 861.
substitute, 861.
reported engrossed, 880.
read third time, 902.
lost, 902.
reconsidered, 986.

laid over, 986
amended, 1067.
proposed amendments lost, 1081.
reconsidered, 1126.
amended, 1126.
laid over, 1148.
read third time, 1173.
passed, 1173.
ordered sent to Senate, 1173.
rejected by Senate, 1247.
delivered to State Librarian, 1262, 1280.

454. An act to repeal parts of acts regulating the fisheries in the Delaware river and other rivers above tide water.

introduced, 747.
read first time, 747.
referred, 747.
reported favorably, 845.

455. An act to provide for the employment of the inmates of any prison, penitentiary, jail or public reformatory institution located within this State.

introduced, 747.
read first time, 747.
referred, 747.
reported favorably, 792.
read second time, 825.
amended, 825.
reported engrossed, 845.
read third time, 846.
passed, 846

ordered sent to Senate, 846.

amended by Senate, 1158.

amendments accepted, 1188.

456. An act relating to compensation of trustees and guardians.

introduced, 757.

read first time, 757.

referred, 757.

read second time, 1017.

delivered to State Librarian, 1262.

456. (Substitute) 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), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

reported favorably, 767.

reported engrossed, 1144.

457. An act to provide for sale of assessment deeds and certificate of sale held by townships.

introduced, 757.

read first time, 757.

referred, 757.

reported favorably, 757.

read second time, 842.

reported engrossed, 878.

read third time, 1153.

passed, 1154.

ordered sent to Senate, 1151.

passed Senate, 1222.

delivered to State Librarian, 1262.

458. An act to regulate the salaries of commissioners of assessment and revision of taxes in cities of the first class.

introduced, 760.

read first time, 760.

referred, 760.

reported without recommendation, 785.

read second time, 809.

reported engrossed, 840.

laid over, 841, 858.

read third time, 1037.

passed, 1037.

ordered sent to Senate, 1037.

passed Senate, 1079.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 1079.

459. An act providing compensation for the services of commissioners of city boards having the control of the supply and distribution of water.

introduced, 760.

read first time, 760.

referred, 760.

reported without recommendation, 785.

read second time, 809.

reported engrossed, 840.

reconsidered, 1004.

laid over, 1018.

delivered to State Librarian, 1262.

460. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act for the better protection of hotel, inn and boarding house keepers," approved April sixth, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five

introduced, 761.

read first time, 761.

referred, 761.

reported with amendments, 802.

461. A supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting conveyances" (Revision), approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

introduced, 767.

read first time, 767.

referred, 767.

reported without recommendation, 803.

read second time, 842.

reported engrossed, 867.

read third time, 871.

passed, 871.

ordered sent to Senate, 871.

passed Senate, 993.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 993.

462. 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, 767.

read first time, 767.

referred, 767.

reported favorably, 822.

read second time, 891.

reported engrossed, 922.

read third time, 947.

passed, 947.

ordered sent to Senate, 947.

amended by Senate, 1088.

463. An act relating to the control and government of fire departments in townships of this State.

introduced, 768.
read first time, 768.
referred, 768.
reported favorably, 822.
read second time, 875.
amended, 875.
reconsidered, 887.
amended, 887.
reported engrossed, 894.
read third time, 1202.
passed, 1202.
ordered sent to Senate, 1203.

464. An act to define, limit and explain the meaning of sentences to the county jails and penitentiaries in this State.

introduced, 768.
read first time, 768.
referred, 768.

465. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of the State," approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six.

introduced, 768.
read first time, 768.
referred, 768.
reported without recommendation, 822.
read second time, 949.
reconsidered, 964.
amended, 964.

read third time, 1077.

lost, 1077.

delivered to State Librarian, 1281.

466. A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to provide additional accommodation for the insane of this State," approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one.

introduced, 768.

read first time, 768.

referred, 768.

reported without recommendation, 786.

read second time, 891.

reported engrossed, 922.

read third time, 1151.

passed, 1151.

ordered sent to Senate, 1152.

passed Senate, 1157.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 1157.

467. An act to provide for and secure the raising of revenue for execution of the public duties of maintaining public schools.

introduced, 773.

read first time, 773.

referred, 773.

reported without recommendation, 785.

read second time, 807.

reported engrossed, 815

read third time, 816.

passed, 816.

ordered sent to Senate, 817.

passed Senate, 824.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 825.

approved, 852.

468. An act to prevent trespasses by poultry.

introduced, 773.

read first time, 773.

referred, 773.

reported without recommendation, 882.

469. An act providing for the creation of boards of health, and defining their duties and powers, in cities of the first class.

introduced, 773.

read first time, 773.

referred, 773.

reported favorably, 820.

470. A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of gas light corporations and regulate the same," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

introduced, 773.

read first time, 773.

referred, 773.

reported without recommendation, 811.

read second time, 851.

reported engrossed, 893.

471. An act relating to the examination and investigation of accounts of township officers.

introduced, 790.

read first time, 790.

referred, 790.

reported favorably, 846.

472. An act respecting financial statements of officers of local governments in this State.

introduced, 790.

read first time, 790.

referred, 790.

reported favorably, 820.

473. A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning the granting of licenses to sell strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer within the limit of incorporated cities," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

introduced, 790.

read first time, 790.

referred, 790.

reported favorably, 935.

read second time, 1045.

reported engrossed, 1143.

delivered to State Librarian, 1272.

474. An act providing further powers in localities governed by commissioners.

introduced, 791.

read first time, 791.

referred, 791.

reported favorably, 820.

read second time, 872.

amended, 872.

reported engrossed, 893.

read third time, 902.

passed, 902.

ordered sent to Senate, 902.

amended by Senate, 1050.

amendments accepted, 1054.

475. An act to authorize the conveyance of certain lands belonging to the State of New Jersey, situated in the township of Ewing, and county of Mercer.

introduced, 791.
read first time, 791.
referred, 791.
read second time, 855.
reconsidered, 887.
amended, 887.
reported engrossed, 893.
read third time, 1016.
passed, 1016.
ordered sent to Senate, 1016.
amended by Senate, 1088.
amendments accepted, 1138.

476. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes."

introduced, 799.
read first time, 799.
referred, 799.
reported without recommendation, 811.

477. An act authorizing the payment of money appropriated for the support of the poor, in cities of this State, to any regularly incorporated benevolent or charitable association in such city.

introduced, 800.
read first time, 800.
referred, 800.
reported favorably, 802.
read second time, 873.

amended, 873.
reported engrossed, 922.

478. An act in relation to wire fences.

introduced, 800.
read first time, 800.
referred, 800.
reported without recommendation, 807.

479. An act to prevent crime.

introduced, 800.
read first time, 800.
referred, 800.

480. An act to authorize cities in this State in certain cases to extend streets now partly opened, and to pay for such extension.

introduced, 808.
read first time, 808.
referred, 808.
reported favorably, 879.
reconsidered, 899.
read second time, 899.
amended, 899.
reconsidered, 901.
amended, 901.
read third time, 1003.
passed, 1003.
ordered sent to Senate, 1003.
passed Senate, 1228.
delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 1229.

481. An act to discharge persons from arrest under civil process.

introduced, 812
read first time, 812.
referred, 812.
reported favorably, 880
reconsidered, 964.
amended, 964

482. An act to provide for the proper storage of military stores in the possession of companies of the National Guard.

introduced, 812.
read first time, 812
referred, 812.

483. An act to provide for drainage and sewage in townships.

introduced, 812.
read first time, 812
referred, 812.
reported favorably, 846.

484. An act to authorize the sale and conveyance or lease of certain lands of the State of New Jersey, in the borough of Chambersburg, in the county of Mercer.

introduced, 812.
read first time, 812.
referred, 812.
reported favorably, 870.
read second time, 875.
amended, 875.
reported engrossed, 915.
read third time, 920.

passed, 920.
ordered sent to Senate, 920.
amended by Senate, 1020.
approved, 1116.

485. An act to provide for the appointment of commissioners of appeals in cases of taxation in cities of the first class.

introduced, 813.
read first time, 813.
referred, 813.
reported favorably, 820.
read second time, 872.
amended, 872.
reconsidered, 901.
amended, 901.
reported engrossed, 915.
read third time, 1039.
passed, 1039.
ordered sent to Senate, 1040.
amended by Senate, 1158.
amendments accepted, 1230.

486. A further supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning inns and taverns."

introduced, 814.
read first time, 814.
referred, 814.
reported favorably, 927.

487. An act relating to proceedings heretofore had for the sale of land for taxes in cities of this State.

introduced, 814
read first time, 814
referred, 814.
reported favorably, 820.
read second time, 924
amended, 924.
reported engrossed, 931.

488 A further supplement to an act for the better preservation of the early records of the State of New Jersey, passed March twenty-ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two.

introduced, 821.
read first time, 821.
referred, 821.
reported favorably, 849
read second time, 970.
reported. engrossed, 977.
read third time, 1145.
. passed, 1145
ordered sent to Senate, 1146.
passed Senate, 1157.
delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 1157.

489. An act to prevent extravagance in the use of school books.

introduced, 821.
read first time, 821.
referred, 821.
reported favorably, 847.
read second time, 1138.

reported engrossed, 1207.
read third time, 1218.
passed, 1218.
ordered sent to Senate, 1218.
rejected by Senate, 1247.
delivered to State Librarian, 1263.

490. An act making an appropriation for the extension of the State Prison walls and building workshop for the employment of prisoners.

introduced, 829.
read second time, 924.
amended, 924.
reported engrossed, 931.
read third time, 938.
passed, 938.
ordered sent to Senate, 938.
amended by Senate, 1158.
amendments accepted, 1189.

491. An act to authorize the managers of the State Lunatic Asylum to purchase additional land.

introduced, 829.
read first time, 829.
referred, 829.
reported favorably, 839.
read second time, 900.
reported engrossed, 931.
read third time, 1047.
passed, 1047.
ordered sent to Senate, 1047.

passed Senate, 1079.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 1079.

492: A supplement to an act entitled "An act to secure to creditors an equal and just division of the estate of debtors."

introduced, 829.

read first time, 829.

referred, 829.

reported favorably, 882.

reported engrossed, 915.

read third time, 981.

passed, 981.

ordered sent to Senate, 981.

passed Senate, 1014.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 1014.

approved, 1021.

493. [Title not given.]

introduced, 829.

read first time, 829.

referred, 829.

494. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a system of public instruction."

introduced, 829.

read first time, 829.

referred, 829.

reported favorably, 847.

read second time, 900.

reported engrossed, 922.

laid over, 1019.
read third time, 1197.
lost, 1197.
delivered to State Librarian, 1281.

495. An act to repeal an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes," approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

introduced, 833.
read first time, 833.
referred, 833.
reported, 873.

496. A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a system of public instruction," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

read second time, 924.
amended, 924.
reported engrossed, 931.
read third time, 945.
passed, 945.
ordered sent to Senate, 946.
rejected by Senate, 1247.
delivered to State Librarian, 1263.

497. A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the better preservation of the early records of the State of New Jersey."

introduced, 855.
read first time, 855.
referred, 855.
reported favorably, 930.
withdrawn, 970.

498. A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six.

introduced, 855.

read first time, 855.

referred, 355.

reported with amendments, 956.

amended, 956.

read second time, 969.

amended, 969.

reported engrossed, 1023.

read third time, 1050.

passed, 1050.

ordered sent to Senate, 1051.

rejected by Senate, 1247.

delivered to State Librarian, 1263.

499. An act concerning horse railroads.

introduced, 856.

read first time, 856.

referred, 856.

reported without recommendation, 987.

read second time, 1039.

reported engrossed, 1072.

delivered to State Librarian, 1263.

500. A supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies" (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy five.

introduced, 856.

read first time, 856.

referred, 856.
reported favorably, 930.
read second time, 966.
amended, 966.
reported engrossed, 976.
delivered to State Librarian, 1263.

501. An act for the regulation of salaries of city treasurers in cities of the second class.

introduced, 856.
read first time, 856.
referred, 856.
reported favorably, 935.
read second time, 966.
amended, 966.
reported engrossed, 976.
reconsidered, 988.
laid over, 1035.
read third time, 1204.
passed, 1204.
ordered sent to Senate, 1204.
rejected by Senate, 1247.
delivered to State Librarian, 1263.

502. An act authorizing cities in the State to fix the salaries of city physicians of such cities.

introduced, 856.
read first time, 856.
referred, 856.
reported favorably, 935.

read second time, 969.
reported engrossed, 976.
read third time, 1015.
passed, 1015.
ordered sent to Senate, 1016.
amended by Senate, 1158.
amendments accepted, 1221.

503. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Oak Wood Cemetery Association."

introduced, 857.
read first time, 857.
referred, 857.
reported favorably, 906.
read second time, 924.
amended, 924.
reported engrossed, 940.
read third time, 1001.
passed, 1001.
ordered sent to Senate, 1002.
amended by Senate, 1124.
amendments accepted, 1213.

504. An act to require all corporations chartered by the laws of the State to publish a statement of their resources and liabilities, and a list of their officers, with the salaries received by each, and the amount of dividends and earnings declared and earned.

introduced, 862.
read first time, 862.
referred, 862
reported without recommendation, 914.

505. An act concerning official newspapers in this State.

introduced, 870.
read first time, 870.
referred, 870.
reported favorably, 914.
read second time, 943.
amended, 943.
reported engrossed, 957.
read third time, 1018.
passed, 1018.
ordered sent to Senate, 1019.
rejected by Senate, 1247.
delivered to State Librarian, 1263.

506. A further supplement to an act relative to sales of lands.

introduced, 881.
read first time, 881.
referred, 881.
reported favorably, 893.
reported engrossed, 894.
read second time, 900.
read third time, 903.
passed, 903.
ordered sent to Senate, 903.
passed Senate, 909.
delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 909.
approved, 937.

507. An act relative to the establishment of gas companies in cities, towns and boroughs.

introduced, 882.
read first time, 882.
referred, 882.
reported with amendments, 966.
read second time, 971.
amended, 971.
reported engrossed, 975.
laid over, 1179.
delivered to State Librarian, 1263.

508. An act to secure the equal taxation of property within this State.

introduced, 883.
read first time, 883.
referred, 883.
reported adversely, 999.
adverse report not concurred in, 999.

509. An act relative to the assessment of taxes.

introduced, 883.
read first time, 883.
referred, 883.
reported adversely, 999.
adverse report not concurred in, 999.

510. Incidental bill.

introduced, 887.
amended, 1111.
reconsidered, 1130.

amended, 1133.
laid over, 1133.
reconsidered, 1162.
reported engrossed, 1186.
read third time, 1186.
passed, 1186.
ordered sent to Senate, 1187.
amended by Senate, 1233.
amendments rejected, 1233.
amendments accepted, 1241.

511. An act concerning licenses for the sale of liquors.

introduced, 906.
read first time, 906.
referred, 906.
reported favorably, 998.
read second time, 1137.
delivered to State Librarian, 1264.

512. An act to amend and consolidate an act relative to game and game fish.

introduced, 906.
read first time, 906.
referred, 906.
reported with amendments, 956.
amended, 956.
read second time, 1017.
reported engrossed, 1032.
delivered to State Librarian, 1264.

513. An act to remove the fire and police departments in the cities and towns of this State from political control.

introduced, 907.

read first time, 907.

referred, 907.

passed Senate, 1157.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 1157.

514. An act to repeal that section of the tax act which requires out of the first moneys received for taxes the county apportionment must be paid.

introduced, 915.

read first time, 915.

referred, 915.

515. An act permitting orphans' courts to exercise their own discretion with regard to issuing of orders for creditors to present demands against debtors to assignees.

introduced, 916.

read first time, 916.

referred, 916.

516. An act providing that all veterans of the late war, and who are now serving in the National Guard, be entitled to all tax exemption privileges under existing laws.

introduced, 916.

read first time, 916.

referred, 916.

reported favorably, 1046.

517. An act to authorize cities of this State to offer rewards in certain cases.

introduced, 932.

read first time, 932.

referred, 932

reported favorably, 966.

amended, 966.

518. An act to provide for the assessment and collection of a tax upon property transported by railroad or canal into this State in order better to enable the State to protect such property and to pay for losses caused thereto by violence or insurrection.

introduced, 932.

read first time, 932.

referred, 932.

read second time, 1040.

519. An act to authorize neighboring cities to improve a principal street in each city so as to form a continuous thoroughfare.

introduced, 933.

read first time, 933.

referred, 933.

reported favorably, 970.

read second time, 971.

reported engrossed, 975.

520. An act to facilitate judicial proceedings in counties having a population of over one hundred thousand in this State

introduced, 933.

read first time, 933.

referred, 933.

reported favorably, 1013.

read second time, 1045.

reported engrossed, 1145.

521. An act concerning taxes.

introduced, 933.

read first time, 933.

referred, 933.

withdrawn, 998.

522. An act to incorporate fire districts heretofore established or which may be established under the provisions of the act entitled "An act to provide means for protection against fires in townships."

introduced, 933.

read first time, 933.

referred, 933.

reported favorably, 998.

read second time, 1135.

amended, 1135.

reported engrossed, 1168.

rules suspended, 1241.

read third time, 1241.

passed, 1241.

delivered to State Librarian, 1281.

523. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act in relation to the publication of the laws of this State in the newspapers."

introduced, 945.

read first time, 945.

referred, 945.

reported without recommendation, 999.

524. An act entitled "An act for the better securing and enjoyment of wages to workingmen and laborers in the State of New Jersey."

introduced, 947.

read first time, 947.

referred, 947.

reported with amendments, 973.

amended, 973.

read second time, 1001.

amended, 1001.

reported engrossed, 1014.

read third time, 1032.

passed, 1032

ordered sent to Senate, 1033

amended by Senate, 1088.

amendments accepted, 1118.

525. A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning shooting societies," approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

introduced, 949.

read first time, 949.

referred, 949.

526. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to ascertain the rights of the State and of the riparian owners in the lands lying under the water of the bay of New York and elsewhere in this State," approved April eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four.

introduced, 960.

read first time, 960.

referred, 960.

reported without recommendation, 990.

read second time, 1015.

laid over, 1015.

reported engrossed, 1242.

delivered to State Librarian, 1264.

527. An act in relation to life insurance corporations.

introduced, 961.

read first time, 961.

referred, 961.

reported, 1061.

528. A supplement to an act entitled "An act to abolish and prohibit the employment, under contract, of convicts," etc.

introduced, 961.

read first time, 961.

referred, 961

reported favorably, 974.

read second time, 1017.

amended, 1017.

reported engrossed, 1032.

reconsidered, 1041.

amended, 1041.

laid over on third reading, 1154.

delivered to State Librarian, 1264.

529. An act relative to the State's and the public right in lands under tide-water or that have heretofore been under tide-water, and grants of the riparian commissioners thereof, and to secure the restoration to the State and the public, and private parties, rights in the public tide-water basin at Jersey City, established by act of the legislature in the year eighteen hundred and seventy-two.

introduced, 965.

read first time, 965.

referred, 965.

read second time, 1051.

amended, 1051.

laid over on third reading, 1167, 1174.

530. An act to establish a bank and insurance department.

introduced, 974.
read first time, 974.
referred, 974.
reported favorably, 1031.

531. An act to give certain firemen the same advantages in respect to taxes and jury duty as members of the National Guard.

introduced as substitute for House Bill No. 105, 988.
reported favorably, 987.
read second time, 1022.
reported engrossed, 1032.
read third time, 1055.
passed, 1055.
ordered sent to Senate, 1055.

532. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide for protection of the public health."

introduced, 989.
read first time, 989.
referred, 989.
read second time, 1213.

533. A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning evidence" (Revision).

introduced, 992.
read first time, 992.
referred, 992.
read second time, 1060.
amended, 1060.
reported engrossed, 1087.
delivered to State Librarian, 1264.

534. An act to prevent and punish misconduct, fraud, and illegal voting at caucusses, &c.

introduced, 995.

read first time, 995.

referred, 995.

535. A supplement to an act for the formation of borough governments.

introduced, 996.

read first time, 996.

referred, 996.

reported with amendments, 1074.

amended, 1074.

536. An act to further amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of commissioners to determine upon plans for storage of any of the waters of this State for the purpose of furnishing to cities and towns a joint water supply," approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

introduced, 1005.

read first time, 1005.

referred, 1005.

reported favorably, 1077.

read second time, 1098.

read third time, 1130.

passed, 1130.

ordered sent to Senate, 1130.

537. An act to authorize cities to fix salary of recorders.

introduced, 1009.

read first time, 1009.

referred, 1009.

read second time, 1018.

reported, 1061.

read third time, 1091.

passed, 1092.

passed Senate, 1223.

538 Supplement to the act incorporating the inhabitants of townships designating their powers and regulating their meetings.

introduced, 1013.

reported, 1061.

read second time, 1110.

reported engrossed, 1174.

read third time, 1190.

passed, 1190.

ordered sent to Senate, 1191.

passed Senate, 1228.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 1229.

539. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning corporations" (Revision), approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

introduced, 1013.

reported favorably, 1076.

540. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to secure to creditors an equal and just division of the estates of debtors who convey to assignees for the benefit of creditors."

introduced, 1027.

read first time, 1027.

referred, 1027.

reported with amendments, 1074.

amended, 1074.

541. A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize any city of the State to enter into contracts with railroad companies whose roads enter their corporate limits.

introduced, 1051.
ordered printed without reference, 1051.
laid over, 1083.
referred, 1104.
reported with amendments, 1155.
amended, 1155.
withdrawn, 1169.
delivered to State Librarian, 1281.

542. A supplement to the act entitled "An act to prevent willful trespass on lands," approved February seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven.

introduced, 1052.
read first time, 1052.
referred, 1052.
reported with amendments, 1074.
amended, 1074.

543. An act concerning railroad companies.

introduced, 1094.
placed on calendar without reference, 1094.
read second time, 1111.
reported engrossed, 1145.
read third time, 1167.
passed, 1167.
ordered sent to Senate, 1167.
passed Senate, 1228.
delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 1229.

544. An act relative to the State board of assessors

introduced, 1094.

read first time, 1094.
placed on calendar without reference, 1094.
read second time, 1161.
reconsidered, 1175.
read third time, 1203.
passed, 1203.
ordered sent to Senate, 1204.

545. A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a system of public instruction," approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

introduced, 1094.
read first time, 1094.
referred, 1094.
reported favorably, 1161.
read second time, 1175.
read third time, 1203.
passed, 1203.
ordered sent to Senate, 1203.
amended by Senate, 1205.
amendments accepted, 1226.

546. An act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of impure and imitation dairy products.

introduced, 1094.
read first time, 1094.
referred, 1094.
reported, 1099.
read second time, 1111.
read third time, 1140.
passed, 1140.

ordered sent to Senate, 1141.

amended by Senate, 1236.

amendments accepted, 1236.

547. An act creating the office of State inspector of railroads, and prescribing the powers and duties appertaining to such office.

introduced, 1095.

read first time, 1095.

referred, 1095.

laid over, 1224.

reported engrossed, 1227.

548. An act to provide for an exhibit of the manufactures, products and resources of the State of New Jersey in the World's Industrial and Cotton Centennial Exposition, to be opened in New Orleans on the first Monday in December.

introduced, 1095.

read first time, 1095.

placed on calendar without reference, 1095.

read second time, 1162.

reported engrossed, 1174.

read third time, 1188.

passed, 1188.

ordered sent to Senate, 1188.

delivered to State Librarian, 1264.

549. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to secure creditors an equal and just division of the estates of debtors who convey to assignees for the benefit of creditors" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

introduced, 1095.

read first time, 1095.

referred, 1095.

550. An act for the better government of cities.

introduced, 1109.

read first time, 1109.

referred, 1109.

552. [Title not given.]

introduced, 1175.

read first time, 1175.

referred, 1175.

553. An act to incorporate the Union Hill Gymnastic Association.

introduced, 1229.

read first time, 1229.

referred, 1229.



SENATE BILLS.

1. An act to protect all citizens in their civil and legal rights.

received from Senate, 174.

read first time, 176.

referred, 176.

reported with amendments, 554.

amended, 554.

laid over, 757.

read second time, 810.

amended, 810.

recommitted, 813.

reported, 828.

reported without recommendation, 1110.

read second time, 1114.

rules suspended, 1114.

read third time, 1114.

passed, 1114.

2. A supplement to an act entitled "An act to limit the age and employment hours of labor of children, minors and women, and to appoint an inspector for the enforcement of the same," approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

received from Senate, 467.

read first time, 468.

referred, 468.

reported with amendments, 643.

amended, 643.

recommitted, 644.

reported favorably, 676.

read second time, 734.

rules suspended, 735.

read third time, 735.

passed, 735.

ordered sent to Senate, 735.

3. A further supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning landlords and tenants" (Revision) approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

reported favorably, 354.

4. An act in relation to the salary of the prosecutor of the pleas in the county of Passaic.

received from Senate, 174.

read first time, 176.

referred, 176.

reported without recommendation, 558.

6. A supplement to an act entitled "An act to compel the determination of claims to real estate in certain cases and to quiet the title to the same," approved March second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy.

received from Senate, 122.

read first time, 123.

referred, 123.

reported with amendments, 472.

delivered to State Librarian, 1265.

7. A supplement to chapter XI. of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

received from Senate, 122.
read first time, 123.
referred, 123.
reported favorably, 155.
read second time, 755.
rules suspended, 756.
read third time, 756.
passed, 756.
recalled from Governor by Senate, 827.
received from Senate, 897.
read first time, 898.
referred, 898.
reported favorably, 1059.
delivered to State Librarian, 1265.

8. An act relating to the payment of money to executors, administrators or trustees, under a trust or power, and discharge on the payment thereof.

received from Senate, 110.
reported favorably, 155.
read second time, 323.
read third time, 350.
passed, 350.
ordered sent to Senate, 351.
reported favorably, 629.

10. 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 March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

received from Senate, 343.
read first time, 344.

referred, 344.

reported favorably, 444.

read second time, 1188.

laid over, 1188.

read third time, 1195.

lost, 1195.

11. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of railroad corporations and to regulate the same" (Revision), approved March twenty seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

received from Senate, 110.

returned to Senate, 121.

received from Senate, 263.

read first time, 265.

referred, 265.

reported favorably, 327.

read second time, 392.

rules suspended, 392.

read third time, 392.

passed, 392.

ordered sent to Senate, 393.

12. An act to extend the time of chartered railroad companies whose time for completing their railroads shall expire in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, when work has been performed on said railroads and money expended thereon.

received from Senate, 123.

returned to Senate, 122.

received from Senate, 263.

read first time, 265.

referred, 265.

reported with amendments, 422.

amended, 423, 447.

delivered to State Librarian, 1265.

14. A supplement to an act relative to the publication of the laws of this state in the newspapers, approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

received from Senate, 194

read first time, 194.

referred, 194

reported without recommendation, 241.

read second time, 324.

read third time, 347

passed, 347.

ordered sent to Senate, 348.

recalled from Governor by Senate, 411.

15. A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

received from Senate, 174.

read first time 176.

referred, 176

reported favorably, 444

read second time, 943.

rules suspended, 943.

read third time, 943.

passed, 943.

ordered sent to Senate, 944.

21. An act to authorize the boards of chosen freeholders in the respective counties of this State to renew matured and maturing bonds.

received from Senate, 376.

read first time, 376.

referred, 376.

reported favorably, 423.

read second time, 476.

read third time, 513.

passed, 513.

ordered sent to Senate, 514.

22 An act to prohibit fishing by steamers and other vessels with shirred or purse seines in any of the waters within the jurisdiction of the State of New Jersey.

received from Senate, 467.

read first time, 468.

referred, 468.

reported favorably, 611.

read second time, 852.

rules suspended, 927.

read third time, 928.

passed, 928.

23. An act to authorize actions against the State in certain cases.

received from Senate, 885.

read first time, 885.

referred, 885.

reported adversely, 999.

adverse report not concurred in, 999.

read second time, 1206.

rules suspended, 1206.

read third time, 1206.

lost, 1206.

reconsidered, 1232.

laid over, 1233.

24. An act to require the New York, Lake Erie and Western Railroad Company to erect and maintain gates at certain street crossings in the city of Paterson.

received from Senate, 110, 182.

read first time, 182.

referred, 182.

taken from committee and placed on calendar, 529.

amended, 705.

25. Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the organization of the National Guard of New Jersey," approved March 9, 1869, and the various amendments thereto.

received from Senate, 456.

read first time, 456.

referred, 456.

reported favorably, 522.

read third time, 602.

passed, 602.

28. A supplement to 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."

received from Senate, 263.

read first time, 265.

referred, 265.

reported favorably, 463.

rules suspended, 695.

read third time, 696.

passed, 696.

ordered sent to Senate, 696.

29. A supplement to an act entitled "An act for preventing the injury of illegal confinement and better securing the liberty of the people."

reported favorably, 423.

30. A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of courts of law," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

received from Senate, 175

read first time, 176.

referred, 176.

reported favorably, 292.

laid over, 429.

read third time, 431.

lost, 431.

read second time, 498.

read third time, 527.

passed, 527.

ordered sent to Senate, 528.

31. An act respecting telegraph, telephone, electric light and other wires and cables for electric purposes.

received from Senate, 123.

read first time, 123.

referred, 123.

read second time, 1147.

rules suspended, 1148.

read third time, 1148.

passed, 1148.

36. An act relative to interest on arrears of taxes and assessments in incorporated cities.

received from Senate, 123.

read first time, 123.
referred, 123.
reported favorably, 120.
read second time, 151.
rules suspended, 151.
read third time, 151.
passed, 151.
ordered sent to Senate, 152.

37. An act to facilitate the giving of security on official and other bonds.

received from Senate, 264.
read first time, 265.
referred, 265.
reported favorably, 445.
read third time, 764.
passed, 764.
ordered sent to Senate, 764.
recalled from Governor by Senate, 864.
received from Senate, 897.
read first time, 898.
referred, 898.
reported favorably, 930.
laid over, 948.
read second time, 949.
laid over, 949.
read third time, 997.
passed, 997.
ordered sent to Senate, 998.

38. A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of courts of law" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

received from Senate, 175.

read first time, 176.

referred, 176.

reported with amendments, 292.

read second time, 951.

amended, 951.

read third time, 1024.

passed, 1024.

ordered sent to Senate, 1024.

40. 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 from Senate, 182.

read first time, 182.

referred, 182.

reported favorably, 547.

read second time, 656.

amended, 656.

reconsidered, 988.

laid over, 1149.

read third time, 1149.

passed, 1150.

ordered sent to Senate, 1150.

41. An act to authorize cities of the second class to make permanent improvements in the road-beds of streets at the general expense.

received from Senate, 803.

read first time, 804

referred, 804.

reported favorably, 861.

laid over, 888, 1148.

read third time, 1175.

passed, 1175.

ordered sent to Senate, 1175.

45. An act to change the name of the township of Upper Alloways Creek, in the county of Salem, to the township of Alloway.

received from Senate, 263.

read first time, 265.

referred, 265.

reported favorably, 346.

rules suspended, 402.

read third time, 403.

passed, 403.

ordered sent to Senate, 403.

46. An act respecting salaries of prosecutors of the pleas in counties of the second class.

received from Senate, 733.

read first time, 733.

referred, 733.

delivered to State Librarian, 1265.

47. An act respecting salaries of law or president judges in the counties of the second class.

received from Senate, 553.

read first time, 554.

referred, 554.

reported without recommendation, 717.

read third time, 951.

lost, 952.

48. A supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize and regulate the business of banking," approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

received from Senate, 175.

read first time, 176.

referred, 176.

reported favorably, 199, 200.

read second time, 333.

read third time, 395.

passed, 395.

49. An amendment to "An act to prevent rending, using or exploding of guns, pistols, toy pistols or other fire-arms to or by persons under the age of fifteen years in this State."

received from Senate, 175.

read first time, 176.

referred, 176.

reported favorably, 444.

delivered to State Librarian, 1266.

54. A supplement to an act entitled "An act constituting courts for trial of small causes."

received from Senate, 553.

read first time, 554.

referred, 554.

reported favorably, 643.

read second time, 865.

delivered to State Librarian, 1265.

56. An act to amend an act approved March nineteenth, eighteen hundred and eighty-three, entitled "An act amending 'An act respecting county jails,' approved April twenty-first, eighteen hundred and seventy-six."

received from Senate, 175.

read first time, 176.

referred, 176.

reported adversely, 482.

adverse report concurred in, 482.

57. An act concerning recognizances in criminal cases.

received from Senate, 175.

read first time, 176.

referred, 176.

reported favorably, 444.

read second time, 499.

laid over, 499.

read third time, 1023.

passed, 1023.

58. An act to quiet litigation.

received from Senate, 175.

read first time, 176.

referred, 176.

reported favorably, 444.

read second time, 595.

amended, 595.

delivered to State Librarian, 1265.

59. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the more effectual prevention and detection of crime in the township of Hackensack," approved February twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and sixty-nine.

received from Senate, 263.
read first time, 265.
referred, 265.
reported favorably, 293.
read second time, 435.
rules suspended, 435.
passed, 435.
ordered sent to Senate, 435.
recalled from Governor by Senate, 509.

60. An act to enable incorporated towns to construct water works for the extinguishment of fires and supplying the inhabitants thereof with pure and wholesome water.

received from Senate, 375.
read first time, 376.
referred, 376.
reported without recommendation, 416.
laid over, 429, 434
read second time, 447.
amended, 447.
read third time, 487.
passed, 487.
ordered sent to Senate, 488.

64. An act concerning a division of wards in cities of the third class in this State.

received from Senate, 194.
read first time, 194.
referred, 194.
reported favorably, 271.
read second time, 297.

read third time, 350.
lost, 350.
reconsidered, 352.
recommitted, 353.
reported with amendments, 441.
amended, 441.
read third time, 560.
passed, 560
ordered sent to Senate, 560.
reported with amendments, 568.

65. An act granting to boroughs and towns the right to license inns, taverns and saloons.

received from Senate, 343.
read first time, 344.
referred, 344.
reported without recommendation, 445.
laid over, 488.
reconsidered, 505.
read third time, 528.
passed, 528.
ordered sent to Senate, 529.
recalled from Governor by Senate, 552.
received from Senate, 631.
read first time, 632.
referred, 632.
reported favorably, 665.
read second time, 670.
rules suspended, 670.

read third time, 670.

passed, 670.

ordered sent to Senate, 671.

67. A supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of railroad corporations and regulate the same," approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three.

received from Senate, 302.

read first time, 303.

referred, 303.

reported favorably, 629.

recommitted, 877.

reported with amendments, 924.

amended, 924.

read second time, 925.

amended, 925.

read third time, 980.

passed, 981.

69. An act concerning township ordinances.

received from Senate, 279.

read first time, 280.

referred, 280.

reported favorably, 328.

read second time, 1114.

rules suspended, 1114.

read third time, 1114.

passed, 1114.

70. An act to authorize the construction, curbing and paving of sidewalks and crosswalks in townships.

received from Senate, 1113.
reported without recommendation, 1139.
read second time, 1178.
rules suspended, 1179.
read third time, 1179.
passed, 1179.
ordered sent to Senate, 1179.

71. A supplement to an act entitled "An act constituting district courts in certain cities in this State," approved March ninth, eighteen hundred and seventy-seven.

received from Senate, 824
read first time, 824.
referred, 824.
reported favorably, 850.
read second time, 1057.
rules suspended, 1057.
read third time, 1057.
passed, 1057.
ordered sent to Senate, 1058.

72. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning corporations," approved April seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-five.

received from Senate, 279.
read first time, 280.
referred, 280.
reported favorably, 328.
read second time, 447.
read third time, 595.
passed, 595.
ordered sent to Senate, 595.

73. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

received from Senate, 296.

read first time, 296.

referred, 296

reported favorably, 341.

read second time, 499.

laid over, 499.

received from Senate, 536.

read first time, 537.

referred, 537.

read second time, 604.

read third time, 653.

passed, 653.

ordered sent to Senate, 653.

74. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four.

received from Senate, 302.

read first time, 303.

referred, 303

reported with amendments, 472.

laid over, 499.

received from Senate, 535.

read first time, 537.

referred, 537.

read second time, 1028.

amended, 1028.

delivered to State Librarian, 1266.

75. An act concerning the payment of taxes in cities of this State.

received from Senate, 279.
read first time, 280.
referred, 280.
reported favorably, 407.
read second time, 449.
read third time, 498.
passed, 498.
ordered sent to Senate, 498.

76. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act relating to sales of lands under a public statute, or by virtue of any judicial proceedings" (Revision), approved March twenty seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four.

received from Senate, 302.
read first time, 303.
referred, 303.
reported favorably, 444.
delivered to State Librarian, 1266.

78. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning juries," approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four.

received from Senate, 279.
read first time, 280.
referred, 280.
reported favorably, 471.
read second time, 874.
rules suspended, 874.
read third time, 874.
passed, 874.

79. A further supplement to "An act concerning inns and taverns," approved April seventeenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

received from Senate, 380.

read first time, 380.

referred, 380.

reported favorably, 471.

read second time, 734.

rules suspended, 734.

read third time, 734.

passed, 734.

recalled from Governor by Senate, 864.

80. An act in relation to lay judges in the orphans', common pleas, quarter sessions and special sessions courts in this State.

received from Senate, 279.

read first time, 280.

referred, 280.

reported favorably, 821.

delivered to State Librarian, 1266.

81. An act in relation to the codification and revision of the ordinances of cities of the second class

received from Senate, 279.

read first time, 280

referred, 280.

reported favorably, 861.

delivered to State Librarian, 1266.

82. An act in relation to the expenses of the departments or bureaus of surveys in cities of the second class.

received from Senate, 263.

read first time, 265
referred, 265.
reported favorably, 1227.
read third time, 1231.
passed, 1231.

83. An act to prevent crime.

received from Senate, 631.
read first time, 632.
referred, 632.
reported favorably, 683.
returned to Senate, 741.

84. An act relating to cities of the second class.

received from Senate, 553.
read first time, 554.
referred, 554.
reported favorably, 609.
read second time, 653.
read third time, 755.
passed, 755
ordered sent to Senate, 755.

86. A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a bureau of statistics upon the subject of labor, considered in its relation to the growth and development of the State industries."

received from Senate, 631.
read first time, 632.
referred, 632
reported favorably, 713.

read second time, 756.

rules suspended, 757.

read third time, 757.

passed, 757.

ordered sent to Senate, 757.

87. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to sales of land under a public statute or by virtue of any judicial proceedings" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four.

received from Senate, 280.

read first time, 280.

referred, 280.

read second time, 654.

read third time, 851.

passed, 851.

ordered sent to Senate, 851.

recalled from Governor by Senate, 884.

90. Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the settlement and relief of the poor."

received from Senate, 343.

read first time, 344.

referred, 344.

reported favorably, 471.

read third time, 919.

passed, 919.

ordered sent to Senate, 919.

91. An act to promote the more general understanding of the system of government of the United States and of the State of New Jersey.

received from Senate, 342.

read first time, 342.

referred, 342.

reported favorably, 546.

read second time, 672.

delivered to State Librarian, 1266.

92. A further supplement to the act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

received from Senate, 280.

read first time, 280.

referred, 280

read second time, 600.

read third time, 748

passed, 748.

ordered sent to Senate, 749

93. An act providing for the support of the State Industrial School for Girls.

received from Senate, 343.

read first time, 344.

referred, 344.

94. An act to provide for the storage of military stores and equipments in the possession of Companies B, C and D, of the Sixth Regiment Infantry, Second Brigade National Guard of the State of New Jersey.

received from Senate, 376.

read first time, 376.

referred, 376.

reported without recommendation, 594.

read second time, 1022.

rules suspended, 1022.

read third time, 1022.

passed, 1022.

ordered sent to Senate, 1023.

95. An act to incorporate and establish free public libraries in this State.

received from Senate, 535.

read first time, 537.

referred, 537.

reported favorably, 546.

read second time, 704.

read third time, 865

passed, 865.

ordered sent to Senate, 866.

97. An act to ratify and confirm an agreement made between the commissioners appointed on the part of the State of New York and the commissioners appointed on the part of the State of New Jersey respecting the location of the northern boundary line between the States of New York and New Jersey, and the replacing and erecting of monuments thereon, bearing date the seventh day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

received from Senate, 264.

read first time, 265.

referred, 265.

reported without recommendation, 558.

read second time, 857.

rules suspended, 857.

read third time, 857.

passed, 857.

ordered sent to Senate, 858.

99. A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning roads," approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six.

received from Senate, 375.

read first time, 376.

referred, 376.

read second time, 1098.

delivered to State Librarian, 1266.

102. An act to repeal section one of an act fixing the amount to be expended by boards of education in certain cities of this State for permanent improvements in any one year, approved March fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine.

received from Senate, 264.

read first time, 265.

referred, 265.

reported favorably, 373.

read third time, 822.

passed, 822.

ordered sent to Senate, 823.

103. An act to provide for drainage and sewerage in densely populated townships, in which there is a public water supply.

received from Senate, 302.

read first time, 303.

referred, 303.

reported favorably, with amendments, 328.

read second time, 383.

read third time, 393.

passed, 393.

ordered sent to Senate, 393.

recalled from Governor by Senate, 509.

received from Senate, 549.

read first time, 550.

referred, 550.

reported favorably, 557.

read second time, 593

read third time, 601.

passed, 601.

ordered sent to Senate, 602.

105. An act amending "An act to provide for the purchase, construction and maintenance of public parks by the cities and other municipalities in the State," approved March fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

received from Senate, 302.

read first time, 303.

referred, 303.

reported favorably, 455.

delivered to State Librarian, 1266.

106. An act for the relief of Edmund Teel.

received from Senate, 375.

read first time, 376.

referred, 376.

reported without recommendation, 397.

read second time, 447.

read third time, 485.

passed, 485.

ordered sent to Senate, 486.

107. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections approved April eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

received from Senate, 342.

read first time, 342.

referred, 342.

reported favorably, 463.

delivered to State Librarian, 1267.

108. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections," approved April eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

received from Senate, 655.

read first time, 655.

referred, 655.

reported favorably, 678.

delivered to State Librarian, 1267.

109. An act to authorize the compromise and discharge of claims against one or more of several joint debtors.

received from Senate, 375.

read first time, 376.

referred, 376.

reported favorably, 718.

reconsidered, 1129.

amended, 1129.

read third time, 1198.

passed, 1198.

ordered sent to Senate, 1198.

delivered to State Librarian, 1267.

110. An act to amend the act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of courts of law."

received from Senate, 343.

read first time, 344.

referred, 344.

reported favorably, 471.

delivered to State Librarian, 1267.

111. An act to regulate the fees for licenses to keep inns and taverns or victualing houses, and to sell vinous, spirituous or malt liquors at retail, in cities of the second class.

received from Senate, 467.

read first time, 468.

referred, 468.

reported favorably, 503.

delivered to State Librarian, 1267.

112. An act to fix the term of office of chosen freeholders.

received from Senate, 549.

read first time, 550.

referred, 550.

reported favorably, 556

read second time, 599.

read third time, 603.

passed, 603.

ordered sent to Senate, 604.

113. An act authorizing the collection of tolls on certain bridges.

received from Senate, 467.

read first time, 468.

referred, 468.

reported favorably, 472.

read third time, 826.

passed, 826.

ordered sent to Senate, 826.

returned to Senate, 1034.

114. An act concerning cities in this State.

received from Senate, 342.

read first time, 342.

referred, 342.

reported favorably, 987.

read second time, 1153.

rules suspended, 1153.

read third time, 1153.

passed, 1153.

115. An act for the preservation of sheep, and to encourage the raising of the same in counties of the first class.

received from Senate, 535.

read first time, 537.

referred, 537.

reported without recommendation, 542.

delivered to State Librarian, 1267.

116. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act for the relief of persons imprisoned on civil process," approved March 27th, 1874.

received from Senate, 343.

read first time, 344.

referred, 344.

reported favorably, 471.

delivered to State Librarian, 1267.

120. An act concerning license fees in cities.

received from Senate, 797.

read first time, 798.

referred, 798.

delivered to State Librarian, 1267.

121. A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Widows' and Orphans' Friendly Society," approved April third, eighteen hundred and seventy-three.

reported favorably, 980.

read third time, 1148.

lost, 1148.

121. (Substitute) 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.

received from Senate, 959.

read first time, 960.

referred, 960.

122. An act to provide a supplement to Stewart's Digest of the Law and Chancery Reports of the State of New Jersey.

received from Senate, 860.

read first time, 861.

referred, 861.

reported favorably, 881.

read second time, 1043.

rules suspended, 1043.

read third time, 1043.

passed, 1043.

ordered sent to Senate, 1044.

124. An act to repeal the act entitled "An act limiting the time for commencing actions against assignee of any person or persons making an assignment for the benefit of his or their creditors," approved March twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty.

reported favorably, 1009.

read second time, 1053.

rules suspended, 1053.

read third time, 1053.

passed, 1053.

124. (Substitute) A supplement to an act entitled "An act limiting the time for commencing actions against assignee of any person or persons making an assignment for the benefit of his or her creditors," approved March twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty.

received from Senate, 897.

read first time, 898.

referred, 898.

recalled from Governor by Senate, 1115.

received from Senate, 1176.

read second time, 1176.

rules suspended, 1176.

read third time, 1176.

passed, 1176.

128. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act for the formation of borough governments," approved April fifth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

received from Senate, 631.

read first time, 632.

referred, 632.

reported without recommendation, 717.

delivered to State Librarian, 1267.

129. An act concerning collectors in cities of the third class.

received from Senate, 722.

read first time, 723.

referred, 723.

reported favorably, 750.

reported with amendments, 966.

amended, 966.

delivered to State Librarian, 1267.

130. A supplement to "An act to authorize the incorporation of rural cemetery associations and regulate cemeteries" (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

received from Senate, 583.

read first time, 584.

referred, 584.

reported without recommendation, 782.

read second time, 831.

recommitted, 1028.

amended, 1028.

read third time, 1177.

passed, 1177.

ordered sent to Senate, 1178.

131. A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning judgments" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

received from Senate, 438.

read first time, 438.

referred, 438.

reported favorably, 471.

delivered to State Librarian, 1268.

133. An act concerning railroads.

received from Senate, 722.

read first time, 723.

referred, 723.

reported favorably, 730.

read second time, 907.

read third time, 936.

passed, 936.

ordered sent to Senate, 936.

134. An act relative to the abatement of nuisances by boards of health in cities of the first class in this State

received from Senate, 437.

read first time, 438.

referred, 438.

delivered to State Librarian, 1268.

135. A supplement to "An act respecting proceedings in criminal cases" (Revision), approved March twenty seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

received from Senate, 438.

read first time, 438.

referred, 438.

reported favorably, 539.

read second time, 927.

read third time, 927.

passed, 927.

ordered sent to Senate, 927.

136. An act in relation to licenses granted by the several courts of this State at the April term thereof, eighteen hundred and eighty-three.

received from Senate, 343.

read first time, 344.

referred, 344

reported favorably, 346.

read second time, 346.

rules suspended, 347.

read third time, 347.

passed, 347.

ordered sent to Senate, 347.

140. An act regulating billiard and pool rooms in this State:

received from Senate, 438.

read first time, 438.

referred, 438

reported with amendments, 539.

amended, 539

read second time, 923

read third time, 1000

passed, 1000.

ordered sent to Senate, 1001.

142. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

received from Senate, 468.

read first time, 468.

referred, 468.

reported favorably, 547.

read third time, 702.

passed, 702.

143. An act to provide means to increase the fish productions in the waters of this State.

received from Senate, 467.

read first time, 468.

referred, 468.

read second time, 925.

read third time, 926.

passed, 926.

ordered sent to Senate, 926.

144. A supplement to an act entitled "An act constituting public courts in certain cities of this State," approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

received from Senate, 583.

read first time, 584.

referred, 584.

delivered to State Librarian, 1268.

145. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate associations for the establishment of lyceums, libraries and literary and scientific societies" (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

received from Senate, 535.

read first time, 537.

referred, 537.

reported favorably, 546.

read second time, 699.

rules suspended, 699.

read third time, 699.

passed, 699.

146. An act for the encouragement of free libraries in cities.

received from Senate, 535.

read first time, 537.

referred, 537.

reported favorably, 546.

read second time, 698.

rules suspended, 698.

read third time, 698.

passed, 698.

147. A supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize cities to construct sewers and drains and to provide for the payment of the costs thereof," approved March eighth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty two.

received from Senate, 939.
read first time, 939.
referred, 939.
reported favorably, 986.
delivered to State Librarian, 1268.

148. An act concerning turnpike roads.

received from Senate, 722.
read first time, 723.
referred, 723.
read second time, 1002.
amended, 1002
delivered to State Librarian, 1268.

150. A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning corporations," approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

received from Senate, 467.
read first time, 468.
referred, 463.
reported favorably, 472.
read second time, 762.
rules suspended, 763
read third time, 763.
passed, 763.
ordered sent to Senate, 763.

152. An act to repeal an act entitled "An act in relation to ferries," approved February seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

received from Senate, 608.
read first time, 609.
referred, 609.
reported favorably, 769.
read second time, 892.
laid over, 923.
read third time, 934.
passed, 934.
ordered sent to Senate, 934.

155. An act authorizing the president or law judge of the courts of common pleas, courts of general quarter sessions of the peace, and special sessions in counties of the first class in this state to employ a stenographer.

received from Senate, 468.
read first time, 468.
referred, 468.
returned to Senate, 510.

158. An act to repeal an act entitled "An act relating to the opening of by-roads," approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

received from Senate, 535.
read first time, 537.
referred, 537.
reported favorably, 556.
read second time, 810.
amended, 810.
read third time, 1208.
passed, 1208.
ordered sent to Senate, 1208.

159. A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of ale, strong beer, lager, porter, wine and other malt liquors in the State of New Jersey," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two.

received from Senate, 797.

read first time, 798.

referred, 798.

reported favorably, 849.

delivered to State Librarian, 1272.

160. An act to provide for the payment of indebtedness incurred in excess of appropriation made to any city board having control of the improvement and reconstruction of streets and sewers

received from Senate, 536.

read first time, 537.

referred, 537.

reported favorably, 650.

read second time, 923.

read third time, 923.

passed, 923.

ordered sent to Senate, 923.

161. An act relating to arrearage for the use or rents of water furnished by cities wherein water works are owned by the city and controlled by the city authorities.

received from Senate, 549.

read first time, 550.

referred, 550.

reported favorably, 650.

delivered to State Librarian, 1268.

162. An act to enforce the payment of taxes in cities of this State.

received from Senate, 631.

read first time, 632.

referred, 632.
reported favorably, 665.
read second time, 1059.
rules suspended, 1060.
read third time, 1060.
passed, 1060.
ordered sent to Senate, 1060.

165. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize and regulate the business of banking," approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

received from Senate, 613.
read first time, 614.
referred, 614.
reported favorably, 665.
read second time, 731.
rules suspended, 731.
laid over, 731.
read third time, 825.
passed, 825.
ordered sent to Senate, 825.
recalled from Governor by Senate, 908.
received from Senate, 994.
read first time, 995.
referred, 995.
reported favorably, 1056.
read third time, 1066.
passed, 1066.
ordered sent to Senate, 1066.

166. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate fisheries in the river Delaware, and for other purposes," passed the twenty-sixth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and eight.

received from Senate, 613.

read first time, 614.

referred, 614.

returned to Senate, 632.

received from Senate, 733.

read first time, 733

referred, 733.

taken from committee and placed on calendar, 889.

read second time, 971.

read third time, 1028.

passed, 1028.

167. An act concerning acknowledgments of mortgages.

received from Senate, 535.

read first time, 537.

referred, 537.

reported favorably, 665.

delivered to State Librarian, 1268.

168. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act in relation to encumbered cities," approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

received from Senate, 535.

read first time, 537.

referred, 537.

reported favorably, 623.

read second time, 747.

rules suspended, 748.

read third time, 748.

passed, 748.

169. An act to facilitate proceedings under or by virtue of writs of executions.

received from Senate, 824.

read first time, 824.

referred, 824.

reported favorably, 849.

delivered to State Librarian, 1268.

170. A supplement to the act entitled "An act for the punishment of crime," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

received from Senate, 553.

read first time, 554.

referred, 554.

reported favorably, 556.

read third time, 703.

lost, 703.

171. A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of law" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

received from Senate, 549.

read first time, 550.

referred, 550.

reported favorably, 717.

delivered to State Librarian, 1269.

172. A further 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 March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

received from Senate, 632.

read first time, 682.
referred, 632.
reported favorably, 718.
read second time, 823.
rules suspended, 823.
read third time, 823.
passed, 823.

173. A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the formation of borough governments in seaside resorts," approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight

read second time, 1194
rules suspended, 1194.
read third time, 1194.
passed, 1194.
ordered sent to Senate, 1194.

174. An act concerning boroughs of the third class.

reported favorably, 556.
read second time, 705.
delivered to State Librarian, 1269.

175 A further supplement to an act entitled "An act for the relief of creditors against heirs and devisees," passed March seventh, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven.

received from Senate, 613.
read first time, 614.
referred, 614.
reported with amendments, 677.
amended, 679.
delivered to State Librarian, 1269.

177. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to ascertain the rights of the State and of the riparian owners in the lands lying under the waters of the bay of New York and elsewhere in the State," approved April eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four, and the acts amendatory thereof.

received from Senate, 959.

read first time, 960.

referred, 960.

delivered to State Librarian, 1272.

179. An act to further amend section seventy-eight of the act entitled "An act for the organization of the National Guard of the State of New Jersey "

received from Senate, 608.

read first time, 609.

referred, 609.

reported favorably, 750.

delivered to State Librarian, 1269.

180. An act to aid in preserving peace and good order in townships.

received from Senate, 613.

read first time, 614.

referred, 614.

reported without recommendation, 717.

delivered to State Librarian, 1269.

182. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend and consolidate the several acts relating to game and game fish," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

received from Senate, 614.

read first time, 614.

referred, 614.

returned to Senate, 694.

reported favorably, 718.

183. An act for the relief of Joseph B. Cornish.

received from Senate, 608.

read first time, 609.

referred, 609.

reported favorably, 611.

read third time, 696.

passed, 696.

184. An act providing an additional appropriation for the support of the New Jersey Home for Disabled Soldiers.

received from Senate, 632.

read first time, 632.

referred, 632.

reported favorably, 749.

read second time, 874.

referred, 874.

reported favorably, 929.

read third time, 1126.

passed, 1126.

ordered sent to Senate, 1126.

186. A supplement to the act entitled "An act relating to the proceeds of real estate sold or taken by law."

received from Senate, 614.

read first time, 614.

referred, 614.

reported favorably, 663.

delivered to State Librarian, 1269.

187. An act to secure the observance of the annual arbor day in schools.

received from Senate, 722.
read first time, 723.
referred, 723. .
reported favorably, 750.
read second time, 1035.
rules suspended, 1035.
read third time, 1035.
passed, 1035.
ordered sent to Senate, 1035.

188. An act to re-imburse William S. Weart for damages sustained against the commissioners of the sinking fund of the State of New Jersey.

received from Senate, 803.
read first time, 804.
referred, 804.
reported without recommendation, 1036
read second time, 1138.
rules suspended, 1138.
read third time, 1138.
passed, 1138.
ordered sent to Senate, 1138.

190 A further supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to sales of land under any public statute, or by virtue of any judicial proceedings," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

received from Senate, 722.
read first time, 723.
referred, 723.
reported with amendments, 930.
delivered to State Librarian, 1269.

191. An act to authorize thief detecting societies to exercise police powers in townships.

received from Senate, 614.

read first time, 614.

referred, 614.

reported favorably, 666.

read third time, 1022.

passed, 1022.

192. A supplement to an act relative to the publication of the laws of this State in the newspapers, approved April twenty first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

received from Senate, 632.

read first time, 632.

referred, 632.

reported with amendments, 732.

amended, 732

read second time, 967.

rules suspended, 967.

read third time, 968.

passed, 968.

ordered sent to Senate, 968.

193. A supplement to the act concerning taxes, approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six.

received from Senate, 614.

read first time, 614.

referred, 614.

reported favorably, 666.

read second time, 697.

rules suspended, 697.

read third time, 697.

passed, 697.

ordered sent to Senate, 697.

195. An act authorizing the incorporated cities, towns and townships of this State to renew matured and maturing bonds.

received from Senate, 824.

read first time, 824.

referred, 824.

reported favorably, 1169.

read second time, 1215.

rules suspended, 1216.

read third time, 1216.

passed, 1216.

ordered sent to Senate, 1216.

196. A supplement to the act entitled "An act to establish and organize the State Reform School for Juvenile Offenders," approved April sixth, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five.

received from Senate, 722.

read first time 723.

referred, 723.

reported favorably, 881.

delivered to State Librarian, 1269.

193. An act for the government of persons who are now or may hereafter become members of the New Jersey Detective Association, incorporated under the act entitled "An act to incorporate the New Jersey Detective Association," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one.

received from Senate, 797.

read first time, 798.

referred, 798.

reported favorably, 847.

amended, 965.

delivered to State Librarian, 1270.

199. A supplement to an act concerning taxes (Revision), approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six.

received from Senate, 803.

read first time, 804.

referred, 804.

reported favorably, 820.

read second time, 971.

recommitted, 971.

delivered to State Librarian, 1270.

200. A further 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," approved March twenty seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

received from Senate, 959.

read first time, 960

referred, 960.

reported favorably, 999

delivered to State Librarian, 1272.

203. An act to ascertain and define the easterly limits of the seaboard counties of this State, and the jurisdiction thereof.

received from Senate, 738.

read first time, 738.

referred, 738.

reported favorably, 830

read second time, 934.

amended, 934

read third time, 1026.

passed, 1026.

ordered sent to Senate, 1027.

205. An act concerning the salaries of officers in cities and townships of this State.

received from Senate, 803.

read first time, 804.

referred, 804.

reported without recommendation, 882.

read second time, 1052.

rules suspended, 1052.

read third time, 1052.

passed, 1052.

ordered sent to Senate, 1052.

206. An act for the relief of Charles S. Strader, of the borough of Washington, in the county of Warren.

received from Senate, 733.

read first time, 733.

referred, 733.

reported without recommendation, 811.

read second time, 938.

read third time, 968.

passed, 968.

ordered sent to Senate, 969.

207. A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to secure to creditors an equal and just division of the estates of debtors who convey to assignees for the benefit of creditors" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

received from Senate, 722.

read first time, 723.

referred, 723.

reported favorably, 819.

read second time, 866.

read third time, 1183.

passed, 1183.

208. A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate fees," approved June thirteenth, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-nine.

received from Senate, 898.

read first time, 898.

referred, 898.

reported with amendments, 1160.

read second time, 1213.

amended, 1213.

read third time, 1215.

passed, 1215.

ordered sent to Senate, 1215.

211. An act concerning cities.

received from Senate, 803.

read first time, 804.

referred, 804.

reported favorably, 1073.

read second time, 1146.

rules suspended, 1146.

read third time, 1146.

passed, 1146.

ordered sent to Senate, 1146.

212. An act to authorize cities to commute and adjust for a fixed sum the payment by abutting land owners of special sewer taxes.

received from Senate, 803.

read first time, 804.

referred, 804.

reported favorably, 861.

read second time, 1105.

rules suspended, 1105.

read third time, 1105.

passed, 1105.

213. An act relating to straightened or improved lines of railroad.

reported with amendments, 1009.

read second time, 1028.

amended, 1028.

read third time, 1029.

passed, 1029.

215. An act to regulate the manufacture, sale and use of oleomargarine, butterine, suine or any form of imitation butter or cheese, and for the better protection of dairymen and consumers of the products of the dairy.

received from Senate, 885.

read first time, 885.

referred, 885.

reported favorably, 930.

rules suspended, 1238.

read third time, 1238.

passed, 1238.

216. An act to protect public and private property from fire.

received from Senate, 898.

read first time, 898.

referred, 898.

reported favorably, 930.

delivered to State Librarian, 1270.

217. An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to further regulate the licensing of inns and taverns and places for the sale of malt, vinous, spirituous and other intoxicating liquors," approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

received from Senate, 959.

read first time, 960.

referred, 960.

reported without recommendation, 974.

laid over, 1040.

read third time, 1168.

passed, 1168.

ordered sent to Senate, 1168.

219. A supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to public printing," approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

received from Senate, 797.

read first time, 798.

referred, 798.

read second time, 1231.

amended, 1231.

rules suspended, 1237.

read third time, 1237.

passed, 1237.

ordered sent to Senate, 1238.

delivered to State Librarian, 1270.

222. An act to provide for agreements between creditors and insolvent companies.

received from Senate, 994.

read first time, 995.

referred, 995.

reported without recommendation, 1122.

read second time, 1191.

rules suspended, 1191.

read third time, 1191.

passed, 1191

ordered sent to Senate, 1191.

224. An act to repeal "An amendment to an act entitled 'An act in relation to past due taxes and assessments,' approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two," approved March eighth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

received from Senate, 898.

read first time, 898.

referred, 898.

reported favorably, 1122.

delivered to State Librarian, 1270.

225. An act to authorize and empower cities owning and controlling water works to make a contract with any city, town or township in this State, or any adjoining State, for the distribution and use of water.

received from Senate, 1019.

read first time, 1020.

referred, 1020.

delivered to State Librarian, 1270.

227. An act to prevent crime.

received from Senate, 885.

read first time, 885.

referred, 885.

reported favorably, 930.

read second time, 941.

amended, 941.

delivered to State Librarian, 1270.

228. An act for the support of the State Reform School for Boys.

received from Senate, 868.

read first time, 869.

referred, 869.

read second time, 949.

laid over, 950.

recommitted, 970.

reported favorably, 1047.

read third time, 1174.

passed, 1174.

ordered sent to Senate, 1174.

229. A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the support of the New Jersey State Reform School for Boys," approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

received from Senate, 868.

read first time, 869.

referred, 869.

read third time, 1217.

passed, 1217.

ordered sent to Senate, 1218.

230. A supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to sales of lands under a public statute or by virtue of any judicial proceedings" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

received from Senate, 885.
read first time, 885.
referred, 885.
reported favorably, 1059.
delivered to State Librarian, 1270.

231. An act to regulate the constructing and maintaining across the fresh water streams of this State of pipe lines through which petroleum is conveyed, and to place such pipe lines under the control of the State commissioners of water supply.

received from Senate, 824.
read first time, 824.
referred, 824, 876.
reported favorably, 882.
read second time, 971.
proposed amendments lost, 974.
amended, 978.
reconsidered, 1063.
amended, 1064.
read third time, 1177.
passed, 1177
ordered sent to Senate, 1177.

232. An act to authorize cities to order and regulate the construction of sidewalks, and to provide for the payment of the expense thereof.

received from Senate, 910.
read first time, 910.
referred, 910.
reported favorably, 1073.
read second time, 1104.
read third time, 1201.

passed, 1201.

ordered sent to Senate, 1201.

233 A supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to the management of the moneys of the school fund," passed March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

received from Senate, 890.

read first time, 891.

referred, 891.

reported favorably, 914.

read second time, 969.

read third time, 989.

lost, 989.

reconsidered, 996.

amended, 1212.

laid over, 1212.

delivered to State Librarian, 1271.

234. A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the more easy partition of lands held by coparceners, joint tenants and tenants in common," approved March twenty seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

received from Senate, 910.

read first time, 910.

referred, 910.

reported favorably, 1059.

read second time, 1101.

rules suspended, 1101.

read third time, 1101.

passed, 1101.

235. An act authorizing repairs to the State Arsenal.

received from Senate, 868.
read first time, 869.
referred, 869.
reported without recommendation, 893.
read second time, 948.
rules suspended, 948.
read third time, 948.
passed, 948.
ordered sent to Senate, 949.

236. Supplement to an act entitled "An act to abolish and prohibit the employment, under contract, of convicts and inmates of prisons, jails, penitentiaries and all reformatory institutions in the State of New Jersey," approved February twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

received from Senate, 939.
read first time, 939.
referred, 939.
reported favorably, 974.
delivered to State Librarian, 1271.

240. An act to authorize townships to borrow money for road purposes.

received from Senate, 984.
read first time, 984.
referred, 984.
reported, 1061.
read second time, 1062.
rules suspended, 1062.
read third time, 1062.
lost, 1062.

241. A supplement to an act entitled "A bill providing for the founding of a State institution for the instruction and maintenance of indigent deaf mutes, to be known as the State Institution for the Deaf and Dumb," approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

received from Senate, 960.

read first time, 960.

referred, 960.

reported without recommendation, 983.

read second time, 1031.

rules suspended, 1031.

read third time, 1031.

passed, 1031.

244. An act relating to executors, administrators, guardians, trustees or commissioners.

received from Senate, 984.

read first time, 984.

referred, 984.

read second time, 1223.

read third time, 1224.

passed, 1224.

ordered sent to Senate, 1224.

246. An act for the appointment of a commissioner of taxes and assessments in cities of this State.

received from Senate, 994.

read first time, 995.

referred, 995.

reported, 1061.

read second time, 1099.

amended, 1099.

rules suspended, 1240.

read third time, 1240.

passed, 1240.

247. An act entitled "An act relating to the depth and construction of foundation walls of buildings and the responsibility of adjoining property owners to each other in cities in the State of New Jersey."

received from Senate, 910.

read first time, 910.

referred, 910.

reported favorably, 1070.

read second time, 1181.

rules suspended, 1181.

read third time, 1181.

passed, 1181.

ordered sent to Senate, 1182.

248. An act concerning division of wards in cities of this State.

received from Senate, 960.

read first time, 960.

referred, 960.

reported favorably, 987.

read second time, 1185.

rules suspended, 1185.

read third time, 1185.

passed, 1185.

251. An act respecting appeals from the decision, report or award of commissioners appointed to appraise real estate, land or materials taken or condemned by law.

received from Senate, 1044.

read first time, 1045.

referred, 1045.

reported favorably, 1047.

delivered to State Librarian, 1271.

252. An act concerning county boards established for the protection of the public health and the registration of vital facts and statistics in counties of this State.

received from Senate, 1137.

placed on calendar without reference, 1137.

rules suspended, 1239. . .

read third time, 1239.

passed, 1239.

ordered sent to Senate, 1240.

253. An act to defray the expenses of the commission appointed by the act entitled "An act for the appointment of a commission in relation to the question of oyster planting in the waters of the State."

received from Senate, 995.

read first time, 995.

referred, 995.

reported, 1008.

read second time, 1016.

laid over, 1016.

read third time, 1027.

passed, 1027.

ordered sent to Senate, 1027.

256. An act relating to township boards of health.

received from Senate, 1049.

reported favorably, 1110.

delivered to State Librarian, 1271.

258. An act relating to the issue of temporary loan bonds.

- received from Senate, 995.
- read first time, 995.
- referred, 995.
- reported favorably, 1004.
- read second time, 1141.
- rules suspended, 1141.
- read third time, 1141.
- passed, 1141.
- ordered sent to Senate, 1141.

259. A supplement to the act entitled "An act to authorize townships to employ police," approved February twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

- received from Senate, 1019.
- read first time, 1020.
- referred, 1020.
- reported favorably, 1050.
- read second time, 1060.
- rules suspended, 1061.
- read third time, 1061.
- ordered sent to Senate, 1061.

260. An act concerning the lighting of streets and public places in townships.

- received from Senate, 1072.
- read first time, 1072.
- referred, 1072.
- reported without recommendation, 1076.
- delivered to State Librarian, 1272.

261. An act to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the formation of borough governments in seaside resorts,' approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight," said supplement approved March tenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

received from Senate, 1020.

read first time, 1020.

referred, 1020.

reported favorably, 1026.

delivered to State Librarian, 1271.

262. An act to amend an act entitled "An act for the formation of borough governments in seaside resorts," approved March twenty ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

received from Senate, 1020.

read first time, 1020.

referred, 1020.

reported, 1026.

read second time, 1184

rules suspended, 1184.

read third time, 1184

passed, 1184.

264. An act to authorize townships to compromise bonded indebtedness by the issue of new bonds.

received from Senate, 1071.

read first time, 1072.

referred, 1072.

reported without recommendation, 1076.

read second time, 1100.

rules suspended, 1101.

read third time, 1101.

passed, 1101.

ordered sent to Senate, 1101.

266. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a system of public instruction" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

received from Senate, 1072.

read first time, 1072.

referred, 1072.

reported without recommendation, 1214.

read second time, 1214.

rules suspended, 1214.

read third time, 1214.

passed, 1214.

ordered sent to Senate, 1215.

267. An act respecting the office of commissioner of railroad taxation.

received from Senate, 1089.

read first time, 1089.

referred, 1089.

reported favorably, 1110.

read second time, 1128.

rules suspended, 1129.

read third time, 1129.

passed, 1129.

ordered sent to Senate, 1129.

268. An act for the better protection of life.

received from Senate, 1089.

read first time, 1089.

referred, 1089.

reported with amendments, 1141.

amended, 1141.

read third time, 1151.

passed, 1151.

ordered sent to Senate, 1151.

269. An act to provide for the suppression and extinction of pleuro pneumonia and other contagious and infectious diseases among domestic animals.

received from Senate, 1124.

reported favorably, 1156.

delivered to State Librarian, 1271.

272. A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning idiots and lunatics," approved March twenty-seven, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

received from Senate, 1113.

reported favorably, 1115.

read third time, 1117.

passed, 1117.

ordered sent to Senate, 1118.

273. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning bridges and turnpikes," approved March twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

received from Senate, 1159.

reported favorably, 1183.

read second time, 1223.

rules suspended, 1223.

read third time, 1223

passed, 1223.

ordered sent to Senate, 1223

276. A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of courts of law" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

received from Senate, 1159.

read second time, 1221.

rules suspended, 1221.

read third time, 1221.

passed, 1221.

ordered sent to Senate, 1222.

277. A supplement to the act concerning roads, approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

received from Senate, 1159.

reported favorably, 1183.

read second time, 1225.

rules suspended, 1225.

read third time, 1225.

passed, 1225.

ordered sent to Senate, 1225.



ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTIONS.

1. Joint resolution relative to the tariff

introduced, 69.

read first time, 69.

referred, 69.

reported without recommendation, 133.

reported adversely, 176.

minority report favorably, 176.

substitute for majority report adopted, 185.

2. Joint resolution relative to a national telegraph.

introduced, 69.

read first time, 69.

referred, 69.

reported adversely, 118.

laid over, 130.

read second time, 136.

reported engrossed, 159.

read third time, 169.

lost, 169.

delivered to State Librarian, 1281.

3. Joint resolution relative to proposed amendments to the constitution of New Jersey.

introduced, 69.

read first time, 69.
referred, 69.
read second time, 787.
amended, 787.

4. Joint resolution relative to State war claims.

introduced, 100.
read first time, 101.
referred, 101.
reported favorably, 140.
read second time, 410.
amended, 410.
reported engrossed, 454.
read third time, 474.
passed, 474
ordered sent to Senate, 474.
rejected by Senate, 1247.
delivered to State Librarian, 1264.

5. Joint resolution for the passage in Congress of a national marriage and divorce law.

introduced, 137.
read first time, 137.
referred, 137.
adverse report not concurred in, 201.
read second time, 287.
amended, 287.
reported engrossed, 331.
read third time, 449.

passed, 449.
amended by Senate, 615.
amendments accepted, 615.
delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 615.
recalled from Governor, 683.
delivered to State Librarian, 1281.

6. Joint resolution proposing amendments to constitution to provide for biennial sessions of the Legislature.

introduced, 147.
read first time, 147
referred, 147.
read second time, 160
amended, 160.
adverse report not concurred in, 201.
read second time, 272.
amended, 272.
reported favorably, 559.

7. Joint resolution proposing amendments to the State constitution.

introduced, 456
read first time, 456.
reported, 456.
read second time, 579.
amended, 579.
reported engrossed, 590.
reported favorably, 786.
laid over, 833.
read third time, 935.

lost, 935.

delivered to State Librarian, 1281.

8. Joint resolution authorizing quartermaster general to deliver to Frank A. Souders a certain Confederate flag, captured by him.

introduced, 507.

read first time, 507.

referred, 507.

read second time, 765.

amended, 765.

reported engrossed, 772.

read third time, 781.

passed, 781.

passed Senate, 860.

delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 860.

approved, 937.

9. Joint resolution on protection for labor.

introduced, 512.

read first time, 512.

referred, 512.

reported without recommendation, 698.

read second time, 786.

reported engrossed, 841.

laid over, 844.

read third time, 858.

passed, 858.

ordered sent to Senate, 859.

10. Joint resolution in relation to the record of the officers and soldiers of the late war.

introduced, 545.
read first time, 545.
referred, 545.
reported without recommendation, 594.
read second time, 617.
amended, 617 .
reported engrossed, 639.
reconsidered, 639.
laid over, 639.
delivered to State Librarian, 1261.

11. Joint resolution authorizing the purchase of a historical painting representing the presentation of Molly Pitcher to Washington.

introduced, 591.
read first time, 591.
referred, 591.
reported adversely, 730.
adverse report not concurred in, 730.
read second time, 787.
reported engrossed, 854.
referred, 885.
reported favorably, 929.
read third time, 1058.
passed, 1058.
ordered sent to Senate, 1058.

12. Joint resolution relative to claims of New Jersey volunteers.

reported favorably, 749.

read second time, 785.
reported engrossed, 854.
read third time, 867.
passed, 867.
ordered sent to Senate, 867.
passed Senate, 993.
delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 993.

13. Joint resolution proposing amendments to the State constitution.

introduced, 742.
read first time, 742.
referred, 742.
reported favorably, 812.

14. Joint resolution for the lighting of the State capitol with electric light.

introduced, 746.
read first time, 746
referred, 746.
reported favorably, 789.
read second time, 817.
reported engrossed, 840.
read third time, 861.
lost, 861.
reconsidered, 868.
delivered to State Librarian, 1281.

15. Joint resolution that the governor direct the adjutant-general to have a compilation of the National Guard law prepared.

introduced, 761.
read first time, 761.

referred, 761.
reported without recommendation, 841.
read second time, 842.
reported engrossed, 878.
read third time, 888
lost, 888.
delivered to State Librarian, 1282.

16. Joint resolution requesting the repeal of a part of the United States revenue laws relating to alcohol.

introduced, 774.
read first time, 774.
referred, 774.
reported without recommendation, 811.
read second time, 817.
reported engrossed, 840.
read third time, 840.
passed, 840.
ordered sent to Senate, 841.
passed Senate, 985, 1123.
delivered to Committee on Passed Bills, 985, 1123.

17. Joint resolution requesting the quartermaster to loan to Washington battery one piece of mounted ordnance.

introduced, 774.
read first time, 774.
referred, 774.
read second time, 817.
reported engrossed, 821.
read third time, 837.

passed, 837.

ordered sent to Senate, 837

18. [Title not given]

introduced, 916.

read first time, 916.

referred, 916.

reported with amendments, 957.

amended, 957.

19. Joint resolution asking Congress for the maintenance of free and unobstructed navigation of the Kill Von Kull.

reported favorably, 1005.

read second time, 1040,

reported engrossed, 1072.

20. [Title not given]

introduced, 1012.

read first time, 1012.

referred, 1012.

reported, 1038.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTIONS.

1. Joint resolution relative to the planting of forest trees.

received from Senate, 110.

read third time, 460.

passed, 460.

ordered sent to Senate, 461.

3. Joint resolution to Congress relative to the establishment of a penal colony.

received from Senate, 264.

read first time, 265.

referred, 265.

laid over, 1065.

delivered to State Librarian, 1271.

4. Joint resolution relating to the abolishment of quarantine dues upon certain vessels engaged in the coasting trade.

received from Senate, 264.

read first time, 265.

referred, 265.

reported favorably, 327.

read second time, 701.

rules suspended, 701.

read third time, 701.

passed, 701.
ordered sent to Senate, 702.
recalled from Governor, 788.
received from Senate, 910.
read first time, 910.
referred, 910.
reported favorably, 915.
delivered to State Librarian, 1272.

6. Joint resolution relative to claim of Stockton Rifle Association.

received from Senate, 536.
read first time, 537.
referred, 537.
rules suspended, 1230.
read third time, 1230.
passed, 1230.
ordered sent to Senate, 1230.

7. Joint resolution thanking his Excellency Governor William A. Newell for his services in originating and devising the life-saving service.

received from Senate, 614.
read first time, 614.
referred, 614.
reported favorably, 665.
delivered to State Librarian, 1272.

8. Joint resolution relative to the salary of the commissioner of railroad taxation.

received from Senate, 583.
read first time, 584.

referred, 584.
read second time, 730.
rules suspended, 731.
read third time, 731.
passed, 731
ordered sent to Senate, 731.

9. Joint resolution requesting Congress to pass a bill to promote the efficiency of the revenue marine service.

received from Senate, 1045.
read first time, 1045.
referred, 1045.
reported favorably, 1047.
read second time, 1093.
rules suspended, 1093.
read third time, 1093.
passed, 1093.

10. Joint resolution authorizing the Governor, upon the request of the commissioners of State water supply, to communicate with the authorities of the State of New York in relation to the waters flowing into New Jersey from that State

received from Senate, 995.
read first time, 995.
referred, 995.
reported favorably, 1026.
read second time, 1097.
rules suspended, 1097.
read third time, 1097.
passed, 1097.

11. Joint resolution to enable the Senate of New Jersey to take part in the ceremonies attending the unveiling at Freehold, New Jersey, of the monument to commemorate the battle of Monmouth.

received from Senate, 1072.

read first time, 1072.

referred, 1072.

reported favorably, 1073.

read second time, 1078.

rules suspended, 1078.

read third time, 1078.

passed, 1078.

ordered sent to Senate, 1078.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS.

1. Concurrent resolution proposing amendment to the constitution.

introduced, 101.

read first time, 102.

referred, 102.

reported engrossed, 772.

laid over, 791.

read third time, 801.

lost, 801.

delivered to State Librarian, 1282.

2. Concurrent resolution proposing amendments to the constitution of the State of New Jersey.

introduced, 102.

read first time, 102.

referred, 102.

reported with amendments, 199.

3. [Title not given.]

introduced, 1095.

read first time, 1095.

referred, 1095.



SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS.

1. Concurrent resolution proposing amendments to the constitution.

received from Senate, 280.

read first time, 280.

referred, 280.

reported favorably, 444.

reported without recommendation, 445.

amended, 704.

delivered to State Librarian, 1272.

2. Concurrent resolution proposing amendments to the constitution.

received from Senate, 1020.

read first time, 1020.

referred, 1020.

reported with amendments, 1046.

delivered to State Librarian, 1272.

4. Concurrent resolution proposing amendment to the constitution.

reported adversely, 1161.

adverse report concurred in, 1162.

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Abatement of Nuisances—An act relative to the abatement of nuisances by boards of health in cities of the first class in this State, 437, 438, 1263.

Accident Insurance Corporations.—An act concerning assessments, life and accident insurance corporations, associations and societies, 520, 615.

Accidents—An act relative to actions by persons injured or killed at railroad crossings in cities of this State, 67, 200, 201, 784, 854, 1256.

Accidents.—An act to provide against the spreading of fire and danger to life and limb, occasioned by unguarded and insufficiently guarded elevator passageways and hoistways in buildings, 146, 183, 426, 451, 495, 515, 1250.

Accidents—An act to provide for the better protection of life and limb on all railroads carrying passengers in this State, 77, 473, 578, 586, 1256.

Accidents.—An act to regulate the liability of corporations for injuries received by their employes, 379, 556, 842, 878, 1015.

Accidents—An act to regulate the proceedings and practice of the courts of this State in actions to recover damages for injuries or death caused by the wrongful act, neglect or default of any person or corporation, 507

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Actions—A supplement to the act entitled "An act to provide for the filing of a lis pendens in actions, either at law or in equity, relating to or affecting the possession or title of lands or real estate," approved February sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, 559, 664, 744, 772, 839, 896, 897, 937.

Actions—A supplement to an act entitled "An act limiting the time for commencing actions against assignee of any person or persons making an assignment for the benefit of his or their creditors," approved March twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, 897, 898, 1116, 1176

Adjournment.—Resolution to adjourn to Taylor Opera House to participate in the inaugural ceremonies of Governor-elect Leon Abbett, 82

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Adjutant-General—Joint resolution that the Governor direct the Adjutant-General to have a compilation of the National Guard law prepared, 761, 841, 842, 878, 888, 1282.

Administrative Departments—An act concerning certain administrative departments of government of cities of the second class, 100, 303, 346, 481.

Administrators.—An act relating to the payment of money to executors, administrators or trustees, under a trust or power, and discharge on the payment thereof, 110, 155, 323, 350, 351, 629.

Administrators—An act relating to executors, administrators, guardians, trustees or commissioners, 984, 1223, 1224.

Adulteration of Food and Drugs—An act relating to the adulteration of food and drugs, 446, 559.

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Agricultural Experiment Station.—Supplement to the "Supplement to 'An act to establish an Agricultural Experiment Station,'" 293, 374, 385, 433, 480, 547, 548, 637.

Agricultural Societies.—An act to authorize the sale of malt liquors on State and county agricultural society grounds at time of holding fair, 688, 728, 809, 878, 965, 966

Alcohol.—Joint resolution requesting the repeal of a part of the United States revenue laws relating to alcohol, 774, 811, 817, 840, 841, 985, 1123.

Alloway Township.—An act to change the name of the township of Upper Alloways Creek, in the county of Salem, to the township of Alloway, 263, 265, 346, 402, 403.

Amendment.—A further supplement to an act entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act to revise and amend the charter of the city of Elizabeth,' approved March three, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three," which supplement was approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy, 96, 183, 227, 269, 453, 1275.

Amendment.—Amendment to "An act for the protection of fish," 145, 253, 358

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Amendment.—An act entitled "An act to amend section two of a supplement to an act to partially consolidate the several game laws of this State, chapter sixteen," approved February eighth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three, 112, 113, 202, 232, 398, 465, 575, 619, 1249.

Amendment.—An act to alter and amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Newark Plank Road and Ferry Company," approved February twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act, 439, 475.

Amendment.—An act amending "An act to provide for the purchase, construction and maintenance of public parks by the cities and other municipalities in this State," approved March fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three, 302, 303, 455, 1266.

Amendment.—An act amending chapter CCXIX, of the laws of eighteen hundred and eighty, 60, 188.

Amendment.—An act amending an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision), approved March twenty seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy four, 520, 567, 875, 932.

Amendment.—An act to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the formation of borough governments in seaside resorts,' approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy eight," said supplement approved March tenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, 1020, 1026, 1271.

Amendment.—An act to amend an act entitled "An act for the formation of borough governments in seaside resorts," approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, 1020, 1026, 1184.

Amendment.—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a system of public instruction" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, 1072, 1214, 1215. .

Amendment.—An act to amend the act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of courts of law," 343, 344, 471, 1267.

Amendment.—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend and consolidate the several acts relating to game and game fish," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, 614, 694, 718.

Amendment.—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the more effectual prevention and detection of crime in the township of Hackensack," approved February twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and sixty-nine, 263, 265, 293, 435, 509.

Amendment.—An act to amend an act approved March nineteenth, eighteen hundred and eighty-three, entitled "An act amending 'An act respecting county jails,' approved April twenty first, eighteen hundred and seventy-six," 175, 176, 482.

Amendment.—An act to amend "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a system of public education,' (Revision) approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four," which supplement was approved April fifth, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight, 720.

Amendment.—An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning certain townships in this State," approved March twenty-third, eighteen hundred and eighty-three, 88, 141, 160, 189, 414, 494, 721, 872.

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Amendment.—An act to amend an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning taxes,' approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty six," supplement approved April eleventh, eighteen hundred and sixty four, 90, 158.

Amendment.—An act to amend an act entitled "An act respecting the salaries and compensations of clerks of counties in this State," approved March eleventh, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty, 143, 266, 348, 405, 448, 449, 615, 690.

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