The House met at 9:00 o'clock a.m., and was called to order by the Honorable L. DeWitt Hale.

The Invocation was offered by the Reverend E. C. McDonald, Chaplain, as follows:

"Our Father bring to the remembrance of Thy people Thy time honored promise. "If my people which are called by my name, shall humble themselves, and pray, and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways; then shall I hear from Heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land."

"We, this company of Thy people assembled—would begin now to meet Thy conditions, which will enable Thee to fulfill Thy promise.

"In our self sufficiency we have sought not Thy help."

"We have held conferences and ignored Thee. Forgive us O God and help us not to ignore Thy Promise. We pray in His name.—Amen."

LEAVES OF ABSENCE GRANTED

The following Members were granted leaves of absence on account of illness:

Mr. Cloud for today on motion of Mr. Cotten.

Mr. Talasek for today on account of illness in family on motion of Mr. Cox.

CONSIDERATION OF LOCAL AND UNCONTESTED BILLS

The House proceeded to the Consideration of Local and Uncontested Bills.

SENATE BILL NO. 74 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading.

S. B. No. 74, Relating to the method of sale of oil and gas leases on University lands; and declaring an emergency. The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 74 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Sanders moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 74 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—139
Andersen
Armour
Atwell
Baker
Ballman
Bartram
Barr
Bishop
Bixler
Bleich
Blanchard
Bowen
Bramhear
Bridgford
Bryan
Bullock
Byrd
Chapman
Cline
Cole
Coley
Conley
Cory
Cotter
Cotten
Cowen
Cox
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Duff, Miss
Dugue
Duncan
Efrid
Elliott
Emerson
Ford
Fleming
Forrest
Glass
Glusoe
Goetz
Green
Harrington
Healy
Heftin
Hollower
Holman

Nays—25
Holstein
Hook
Huebner
Huff
Hughes
Hughes
Hutcheson
Husak, Miss
Jackson
Johnson
Jones
Josip
Kelly
Kennard
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Mullin
Murray
Myatt
Oliver
Osborn
Parrish
Parrish
Pipkin
Pool
Presley
In The Chair

Yeas--141

Anderson  Bryan
Armour  Bullock
Atwell  Byrd
Baker  Chapman
Ballman  Clinton
Bartram  Cole
Bell  Coley
Bishop  Conley
Bolina  Cory
Blanchard  Cotter
Hawes  Cox
Boyson  Cox
Bradshaw  Crosthwait
Brisow  Day

de la Garza  Muller
Dewey  Murray
Duff, Miss  Myatt
Dugan  Oliver
Dungan  Overton
Ehrle  Parke
Elliott  Parsons
Ellis  Phipps
Ford  Presley
Foreman  Puckett
Forey  Ramsey
Glass  Richardson
Gools  Russell
Green  Sadler
Harrington  Sandahl
Hastly  Sands
Hedlin  Saul
Hollowell  Schram
Holman  Schwartz
Holstein  of Galveston
Horns  Schrader
Howe  of Washington
Huebner  Seeligson
Huffman  Shafter
Huffor  Shannon of Bell
Hughes of Grayson  Shannon
Hughes of Dallas  of Tarrant
Hutcheson  Shaw
Husfeld, Miss  Sherrill
Jackson  Sherrill
Jamison  Black
Johnson  Smith of Hays
Jones  Smith of Jefferson
Joseph  Spilman
Kelly  Springer
Kennard  Stewart
Kennedy  Spillman
Kilpatrick  Strickland
Kolls  Stromer
Kortoth  Sandahl
Koehlmann  Sutton
Latimer  Terrell
Laurel  Thurmond
Lee  Tunnel
McCoppin  Turman
McDonald  Walling
McGregor  Watson
of Mclennan  Welch
McGregor  Wheeler
McIntyre  White
McIntyre  Wilson of Young
Mann  Wilson of Potter
Martin  Wimette
Matthew  Wofford
Mays  Woolsey
Moore of Harris  Yeak
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**SENATE BILL NO. 90 ON SECOND READING**

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading, S. B. No. 90, Creating a County Juvenile Court in Angelina, Cherokee and Nacogdoches Counties; and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Byrd offered the following Committee Amendment to the bill:

Committee Amendment

To S. B. No. 90

Amend Senate Bill 90, by striking out Section 1 and inserting in lieu thereof the following section:

Section 1. The County Commissioners Courts of Angelina, Cherokee, and Nacogdoches are hereby authorized to establish county juvenile boards in their respective counties. The county juvenile board shall be composed of the county judge and the judges of each of the judicial districts which include the county. The official title of the board in each county shall be the name of the county, followed by the words "County Juvenile Board." The judge of the court which is designated as the juvenile court of the county shall be chairman of the board and its chief administrative officer.

**BYRD, GLASS.**

The amendment was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 90 was then passed to third reading.

**SENATE BILL NO. 90 ON THIRD READING**

Mr. Byrd moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 90 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

- Yeas: 139
- Nays: 138

The bill was then passed to third reading.

**SENATE BILL NO. 90 ON THIRD READING**

Mr. Byrd moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 90 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

- Yeas: 139
- Nays: 138

The bill was then passed to third reading.

The bill was passed to third reading.

**SENATE BILL NO. 90 ON THIRD READING**

Mr. Byrd moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 90 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

- Yeas: 139
- Nays: 138

The bill was then passed to third reading.
SENATE BILL NO. 118 ON SECOND READING

The Chair then laid before the House on its second reading and passage to third reading.
May 15, 1957  

**SENATE BILL NO. 116 O N  T H I R D  R E A D I N G**

Mr. Cory moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 116 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

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| Boyce         |      |
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| Presler       |      |
| Puckett       |      |
| Ramsey        |      |
| Richardson    |      |
| Roberts       |      |
| Russell       |      |
| Sadie         |      |
| Sandahl       |      |
| Said          |      |
| Schram        |      |
| Schwartz      |      |
| Sherrod       |      |
| Simpson       |      |
| Smith         |      |
| Smyth         |      |
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| Sutton        |      |
| Terrell       |      |
| Thurmond      |      |
| Tunnell       |      |
| Tyce          |      |

**Yeas—141**
The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading, S. B. No. 167, Providing that the state registrar, county clerk, or local registrar shall not issue a certified copy disclosing illegitimacy or otherwise disclose illegitimacy unless authorized by the county court; and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 167 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Cox moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 167 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—139

Anderson  Cotten
Armour  Cowen
Atwell  Cox
Baker  Crosthwait
Bailman  Day
Barron  de la Garza
Baylor  Dewey
Bishop  Duft, Mies
Blake  Dugas
Blair  Dorsett
Blanchard  Edwards
Bowers  Ehrle
Boyden  Ellis
Brazos  Evans
Brown  Fairbank
Bryan  Faulk
Bullock  Ferrell
Byrd  Faught
Chapman  Feggans
Chino  Foreman
Clark  Forsyth
Clint  Foss
Collins  Foster
Cole  Forsythe
Colby  Franklin
Connally  Harrington
Cory  Healthy

In The Chair

Hale  Absent
Hase  Fensiglio
Burkett  Patterson

Absent—Excused

Cloud  Taliausk

Hensley

SENATE BILL NO. 167 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,
The Chair then laidSenate Bill No. 167 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and

passed by the following vote:

Yeas-141

Anderson
Armour
Atwell
Baker
Ballman
Bartman
Bell
Bishop
Blalock
Boone
Brevard
Ryan
Bullock
Byrd
Chappell
Clark
Cole
Colley
Cory
Cotten
Cowen
Cox
Crouch
Day
de la Garza
Dewey
Duff, Miles
Dugan
Dungan
Ehrlin
Elliott
Ellis
Fennell
Ford
Foreman
Forst
Glass
Goetz
Greenhouse
Gray
Hall
Heflin
Hollowell
Holstein
Holstein
Hooks
Hosier
Husser
Huffman
Hu11:hes
of Dallas
of Grayson
of Washington
of El Paso
of Washington
of Galveston
of Washington
of Washington

Nays-1

Perrell
In The Chair
Hale
Absent

Ass
Burkett
Patterson

Absent-Excused

Cloud
Hensley

The Chair laid Senate Bill No. 167 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas-141

Anderson
Armour
Atwell
Baker
Ballman
Bartman
Bell
Bishop
Blalock
Boone
Brevard
Ryan
Bullock
Byrd
Chappell
Clark
Cole
Colley
Cory
Cotten
Cowen
Cox
Crouch
Day
de la Garza
Dewey
Duff, Miles
Dugan
Dungan
Ehrlin
Elliott
Ellis
Fennell
Ford
Foreman
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Glass
Goetz
Greenhouse
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Hall
Heflin
Hollowell
Holstein
Holstein
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Huffman
Hu11:hes
of Dallas
of Grayson
of Washington
of Washington
SENATE BILL NO. 168 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading, S. B. No. 168, Providing that a certificate of stillbirth shall be signed by the person in attendance at the stillbirth; and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 168 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Cox moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 168 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yes—139

Anderson  Armst  Atwell  Baker  Baitman  Bartrum

Brashear  Britow  Bryan  Bullock  Byrd  Chaplin  Chiles  Cole  Colby  Conley  Cory  Cotton

Cowen  Cox  Crosthwait  Day  de la Garza  Dowey  Dunn, Miss  Dunnan  Ehrle  Elliott  Ellis  Fenoglio  Ford  Foreman  Forsyth  Glass  Glasing  Gords  Green

Harrington  Heady  Hollowell  Holman  Holstela  Hooks  Hoots  Hovater  Huender  Huffman  Huff  Hughes of Grayson  Hughes of Dallas  Hutchins  Beaches, Miss  Jacks  Jabarnon  Johnson  Jones  Joseph  Kelly  Kennard  Kennedy  Kilpatrick  Kolbha  Kier  Kohnmann  Laimer  Lawler  Lee

Slack  Smith  of Jefferson  Smith, of El Paso  Smith, of Galveston  Smith, of Houston  Smith, of Japan  Smith, of McAllen

Miller  Moore  Morey  Strickland  Strong  Sudduth  Sutton  Terrell  Thurmond  Tunnell  Turman  Walling  Watson  Welch

Wheeler  Sheridan  Smith  or Han

White  Smith of Jefferson  Wilson of Young  Wilson of Potter  Wohlford  Woolsey  Yezak  Zbranek

Brakensiek  Shackleford  Shannon of Erath  Shannon Tunnell  of Tarrant  Turman  Shaw  Walling  Watson  Welsh  Wheeler  Smith  or Han  Smith  of Jefferson  Wilson of Young  Wilson of Potter  Wohlford  Woolsey  Yezak  Zbranek
The Chair then laid Senate Bill No. 168 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

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**Yeas**

Anderson, Ellis
Armour, Ferrell
Baker, Ford
Ballman, Forth
Bartram, Glass
Bell, Glass
Bishop, Goza
Blasingame, Green
Bland, Harrison
Bowers, Hefflin
Branham, Hollowell
Briatow, Holman
Bryan, Holtsclaw
Bullock, Hooks
Byrd, Hussy
Chapman, Hugger
Cline, Huffman
Cole, Huffor
Coley, Hughes of Grayson
Cooksey, Hughes of Dallas
Cotten, Hutchins
Cox, Isaac, Miss
Day, Jackson
De la Garza, Johnson
Dewey, Jones
Dietz, Miss, Kelly
Dugas, Kennard
Duncan, Kennedy
Ehle, Kilpatrick
Elliott, Koliba
Koroth, Schwartz
Kothmann, of Galveston
Kothmann, Schwartz
Kotlar, of Washington
Lee, Selton
Mccoppin, Shackelford
McDonald, Shannon
McGregor, of Tarrant
McGregor of El Paso
McCullough
McMahan
Matthew
Mayo
Moore of Harris
Moore of Tarrant
Multon
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Owens
Parish
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Pool
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Richardson
Roberts
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Schramp
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Schwartz of Washington
Sechler
Shannon
Shaw
Sheridan
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Black
Smith of Harris
Smith of Jefferson
Spelman
Springer
Stewart
Stevens
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Sutton
Tatum
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Thompson
Tunnell
Turman
Wallace
Watson
Webb
Wheeler
Whitmore
White
Wilson of Young
Wilson of Potter
Wohlford
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Mr. White offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend S. B. 276 by deleting the portion beginning with the words "provided, however," in Line 38 of the printed bill and ending with the words "provisions of this Act." in Line 48, and substituting in lieu thereof the following:

"provided, however, that it shall become mandatory in any county wherein the results of an election held as herein provided are in favor of adopting the provisions of this Act, the Commissioners Court may by proper order put into effect the provisions of this Act, without an election, or the Commissioners Court on its own motion may call an election for the purpose of determining whether the county shall adopt the provisions of this Act. If a majority of the qualified voters at such an election vote for the adoption of the provisions of this Act, the provisions of this Act shall thereafter be applicable to such county, and in such event it shall be mandatory that such county be either self-insuring or that it purchase workers' compensation insurance for its employees from any company authorized to do business in Texas."

And by deleting the word "that" on line 56 of the printed bill.

The amendment was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 276 was then passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 276 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Kennard moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 276 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—139

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SENATE BILL NO. 319 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading.

R B. No. 319. Conforming upon district courts the jurisdiction to order recounts of votes and to hear and determine election contests relative to the party offices of precinct chairman and county chairman; and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.
Mr. Pipkin moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 319 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

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The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading, S. B. No. 437, Providing that it shall be unlawful for any officer, or any employee of this state, or any other person to build, erect, or maintain any building, statue or concession, including parking areas on the Capitol Grounds, with certain exceptions; and declaring an emergency.

The amendment was adopted. Mr. Cotten offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend S. B. No. 437, Section 1, by inserting the following language after the word "unlawful" on line 37: "without the prior express consent of the Legislature."

The amendment was adopted. Senate Bill No. 437 was then passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 437 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Smith of Hays moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 437 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

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Hutchins & Smith of Hays
Hutchins, Miss & Smith of Jefferson
Jackson & Spilman
Jimnson & Spier
Johnson & Stewart
Jones & Storey
Joseph & Strickland
Kelly & Strome
Kennard & Suderth
Kennedy & Sutton

The Chair then laid Senate Bill No. 437 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

**Yea**—141

Anderson & Atwell
Armor & Baker

Absent—Excused

Cloud & Talasek

Hensley
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In The Chair

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading, Senate Bill No. 445, Providing for the transfer of title to certain lands lying parallel to Harbor Island and adjacent to Corpus Christi Bay to the State Highway Commission; and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 445 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Forsyth moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 445 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—139


Noes—1

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In The Chair

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SENATE BILL NO. 466 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading, S.B. No. 466, Authorizing the State Board of Education to acquire, purchase and contract for books published in Braille recommended as suitable for use as textbooks for the education of the blind schoolchildren in the public school system of Texas; and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 466 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Cole moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be sus-
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The Chair then laid Senate Bill No. 456 before the House on third reading and final passage.
The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment.

H. B. No. 59. A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing counties to furnish building space for establishing branch crime detection laboratories by the State Department of Public Safety; directing the Department of Public Safety to establish a branch laboratory in El Paso County, Texas, on stated conditions, and making appropriations for equipping and operating the laboratory; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Ellis offered the following Committee Amendment to the bill:

Committee Amendment No. 1

Amend H. B. No. 69 by deleting all or Section 2 therein and substituting in lieu thereof the following:

Sec. 2. Upon the condition that the commissioners' Court of El Paso County shall furnish without cost to the State the necessary building space, the Department of Public Safety is hereby specifically directed to establish and operate a branch crime detection laboratory in El Paso County for the purpose of serving the West Texas area, whenever in the discretion of the Department of Public Safety the efficient enforcement of law necessitates the establishment of such branch crime detection laboratory, and sufficient funds are available in the department.

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. White offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend H. B. No. 59, lines 45, by changing the figure "2" to read "3".

The amendment was adopted.

House Bill No. 59 was then passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 59 ON THIRD READING

Mr. White moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be
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read on three several days be sus-
pended and that House Bill No. 59 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the fol-
lowing vote:

Anderson  Huffer
Armour  Hughes of Grayson
Atwell  Hughes of Dallas
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Bishop  Johnson
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Brasher  Kennard
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Cline  Laurel
Coley  Lee
Cox  McGoggin
Cory  McGregor
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Dugan  Moore of Harris
Dungan  Moore of Tarrant
Ehrle  Mallin
Elliott  Murray
Ellis  Myatt
Fenoglio  Oliver
Ford  Osborn
Foreman  Parish
Fort  Parsons
Glasing  Pinkin
Goetz  Pool
Green  Prewler
Harrington  Ramsey
Heatly  Rhibbardson
Helin  Roberts
Holloway  Ransom
Holman  Sadler
Holstein  Sandahl
Hooks  Saul
Honey  Scharp
Hudson  Schwartz
Huffman  of Galveston

Yeas—139

Yeas—141

Nays—1

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Anderson  Conley
Armour  Cory
Atwell  Cotton
Baker  Owen
Barkan  O'Connell
Bell  O'Connell
Bishop  de la Garza
Blaine  Dewey
Blanchard  Duff, Miss
Boyesen  Dungan
Brisbane  Ehric
Bristow  Elliott
Bryan  Ellis
Bullock  Ferrell
Byrd  Ford
Chesman  Foreman
Cline  Forsyth
Cole  Glass
Coly  Glasing

The Chair then laid House Bill No. 59 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Anderson  Conley
Armour  Cory
Atwell  Cotton
Baker  Owen
Barkan  O'Connell
Bell  O'Connell
Bishop  de la Garza
Blaine  Dewey
Blanchard  Duff, Miss
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Bullock  Ferrell
Byrd  Ford
Chesman  Foreman
Cline  Forsyth
Cole  Glass
Coly  Glasing

Nays—1
The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment, 

H. B. No. 417, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 79 of the Texas Election Code (Article 7.14, Vernon’s Texas Election Code) by adding a new subsection authorizing the authority holding an election, in counties where voting machines have been adopted, in its discretion to appoint a special canvassing board to count and make returns on absentee ballots, and prescribing procedures for absentee voting where a special canvassing board is appointed, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 417 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Cole moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that House Bill No. 417 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

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Pool
Prestler
Puckett
Ramsey
Hopen
In The Chair
The Chair then laid House Bill No. 417 before the House on third reading and final passage.

Nays-18

Ferrell
Hale
Bass
Burke
Patterson
Cloud
Hendley

The Chair then laid House Bill No. 417 before the House on third reading and final passage.
The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No 505, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Art. 7047 M of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925 by adding Section 11 thereto, so as to provide a fee of 10% of the total value of Stock Transfer and Sales Tax Stamps and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Joseph offered the following Committee Amendment to the bill:

House Committee Amendment No. 1
Amend House Bill No. 506 by striking out all below the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Section 1. Section 2 of Article XV of Chapter 184, Acts of the 47th Legislature, codified as Section 2 of Article 7047m of Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes, is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 2. Adhesive stamps for the purpose of paying the State tax provided for by this Article shall be prepared by the Comptroller in such form and such denomination and in such quantities as he may from time to time prescribe. He shall make provision for the sale of such stamps. The county clerk of each county of the State of Texas is hereby made the agent for the Comptroller of Texas for the purpose of making sale of such stamps under such regulations as may be prescribed by the Comptroller. The county clerk shall be entitled to retain ten per cent of the total value of stamps sold by him as a fee for his services, which shall be accounted for as other fees of his office. The county clerk shall report to the Comptroller on or before the 25th day of each month the total amount received by him from the sale of stamps during the preceding calendar month, and shall at the same time remit such amount to the Comptroller, less the ten percent retained by him as his fee."

Sec. 2. The fact that the county clerk is not authorized to charge a fee for services rendered in selling Stock Transfer and Sales Tax stamps creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days in each House be suspended, and that this Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

The amendment was adopted.

House Bill No. 505 was then passed to engrossment.

H. B. No 505 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Cole moved that the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that House Bill No. 505 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—139
Anderson  Bowers
Armbrister  Boyer
Atwell  Brabham
Baker  Bratton
Belgian  Bryan
Barrows  Bullock
Bell  Byrd
Bishop  Chapman
Blaine  Clinte
Blanchard  Cole
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Conley
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Cox
Cowshwait
Day
de la Garza
Dewey
Duff, Mrs.
Dumas
Dungan
Elle
Elliot
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Engle
Ford
Foreman
Forsyth
Glass
Glueing
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Green
Harrington
Healy
Hedt
Hollowell
Holstein
Hooks
Howe
Hutchner
Huffman
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Hutches of Dallas
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Isacks, Miss
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McDonald
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McGregor of McLennan
McGregor of El Paso
McIlhany
Mann
Martin
Matthew
Mays
Moore of Harris
Moore of Tarrant
Mullen
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Myatt
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Osborn
Parish
Pernica
Pippin
Pool
Prentiss
Peckett
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Richardson
Roberts
Sadler
Sandahl
Scheunem
Schwartz of Galveston
Schwartz of Washington
Seeligson
Shackelford
Shannon of Erath
Shannon of Tarrant
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Smith of Hays
Smith of Jefferson
Spilman
Stewart
Storer
Strickland
Stroman
Sudduth
Sutton
Terrell
Thurmond
Tunnell
Turner
Wallace
Watson
Welch
Wheeler
White
Wilson of Young
Wilson of Potter
Washford
Woolsey
Yeak
Zdrasek

Perrell
In The Chair
Hale
Absent
Bass
Sanders
Burkett
Winfrey
Patterson
Absent—Excused
Cloud
Talasek

The Chair then laid House Bill No. 505 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yea—141
Anderson
Forsyth
Armour
Glass
Baker
Goetz
Ballman
Green
Bartram
Harrington
Bell
Heathy
Bishop
Hedlin
Blaine
Hollowell
Blanchard
Holman
Bowers
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Honey
Bristow
Husker
Bryan
Huffman
Bullock
Heflin
Byrd
Hughes of Grayson
Chapman
Hughes of Dallas
Cline
Hutchins
Cole
Isacks, Miss
Coley
Jackson
Conley
Jamison
Cory
Johnson
Cotten
Jones
Cowen
Joseph
Cox
Kelly
Crosthwait
Kennard
Day
Kennedy
de la Garza
Newey
Kobza
Duff, Mrs.
Kerthot
Dugan
Kollman
Dungan
Latimer
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Leal
Elliott
Lee
Ellis
McCoppin
Parrold
McDonald
Ferd
McGregor
Foreman
of McLennan
The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment.

H. R. No. 512, A bill to be entitled "An Act enabling the Game and Fish Commission to sell or exchange sections or parcels of land in Brewster, Culberson and Hudspeth Counties; limiting the amount and quality of land that may be sold or exchanged; prescribing the manner of exchange; providing for a minimum price that may be accepted in case of sale; pro-

riding for disposition of moneys received as a result of land sales; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 512 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Thurmond moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that House Bill No. 512 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Year—139

Anderson    Green
Amor         Harrington
Atwell       Hasty
Baker         Heflin
Ballman       Hollowell
Bartram       Holman
Bell          Holstain
Bishop        Hooks
Blaine         Hoosier
Blanchard     Huddler
Bowers        Huffman
Boysen        Huffer
Bristow       Hughes of Grayson
Bryan         Hughes of Dallas
Bullock       Hutchins
Buttock       Inack, Miss
Byrd          Jackson
Chapman       Jamison
Clay          Johnson
Cole          Jones
Conley         Joseph
Cory           Kelly
Cowan         Kennedy
Cowen         Kilpatrick
Crosswhite     Koliba
Day          Kortoff
De La Garza   Kothmann
Dewey        Latimer
Diff, Miss    Lee
Dinges        McDoppln
Dundan        McDonald
Ehlers         McGregor
Ellis          McGregor
Fenoglio      McGregor
Ford          of El Paso
Foreman       McLennan
Forsyth       Mann
Glass         Martin
Gluesing      Maya
Goets         Mays

HOUSE BILL NO. 512 ON SECOND READING

In The Chair

House

Absent

Base         Fenoglio
Burkett      Patterson

Absent—Excused

Cloud         Talamak

HENLEY
The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—141

Anderson
Armstrong
Atwell
Baker
Ballman
Barham
Bell
Bishop
Blake
Bianchard
Coley
Conley
Coy
Cotten
Cox
Crews
Crow
Day
De la Garza
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Duff, Miss
Dugas
Dungan
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Elliot
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Forsyth
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Goad
Green
Harrington
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Hollowell
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Honey
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Hughes of Grayson
Hughes of Dallas
Hutchins
Iassack, Miss
Jackson
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Joelson
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Joseph
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Kennedy
KiPATRICK
Koliba
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Kothmann
Latimer
Laurel
Lee
McCoppin
McDonald
McGregor
McGregor
McGregor
McGregor
of El Paso
McIlhany
Mann
Martin

Noes—1

Ferrell

In The Chair

Hale
HOUSE BILL NO. 651 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 651, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 9 of Chapter 177, Acts of the 42nd Legislature, Regular Session, 1931, as amended by Section 3, of Chapter 249, Acts of the 62nd Legislature, Regular Session, 1961 (codified as Section 9 of Article 48a, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes), relating to the status of adopted children for inheritance and other purposes; providing a severability clause; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 661 ON THIRD READING

Miss Issacks moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that House Bill No. 661 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yea—189

Anderson Armor Awell Baker Ballman Barrmann Bell Bishop Blalock Bland Blanchard Bowers Boyer Brakham Brown Bryan

Nay—1

Ferrell

In The Chair


In The Chair
The Chair then laid House Bill No. 651 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

| Yeas | 141 |

- Anderson
- Armor
- Atwell
- Baker
- Ballman
- Bartram
- Bell
- Bishop
- Blaine
- Blanchard
- Bowes
- Boykin
- Bradburn
- Bryan
- Bullock
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- Cox
- Crowther
- Dyer
- De la Garza
- Dewey
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- Foreman
- Fort
- Glass
- Glidewell
- Goetz
- Green
- Harrington
- Heatley
- Parish
- Patterson
- Parsons
- Pickle
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- Premo
- Puckett
- Ramsey
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- Toalson
- Torrell
- Townsend
- Trimble
- Turner
- Valentine
- Vance
- Vela
- Yezak

- Absent
- Absent-Excused

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Abstain
- Bass
- Burkett
- Patterson
- Cloud
- Hensley

SENATE BILL NO. 221 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading:

S. B. No. 221, Relating to the discontinuance, abolition and annexation of elementary school districts; and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Yezak offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend S. B. 221 by adding in line 84, page 3 of the printed bill the following after the word "district":

"as provided in Article 2806, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas."

The amendment was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 221 was then passed to third reading.
SENATE BILL NO. 221 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Blanchard moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 221 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

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The Chair then laid Senate Bill No. 221 before the House on third reading and final passage. The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

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Yeas—137

Nays—3

Yeas—139

Nays—5

ABSENT

In The Chair

Hale

ABSENT—Excused

Yeas—127

Yeas—139
### HOUSE BILL NO. 730 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment, H. B. No. 730, A bill to be entitled “An Act authorizing the Governor to transfer certain funds and declaring an emergency.”

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

### HOUSE BILL NO. 730 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Roberts moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that House Bill No. 730 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

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The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

### THIRD READING

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The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

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- Atwell
- Jackson
- Baker
- Johnson
- Ballman
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- Hartman
- Jones
- Bell
- Kelly
- Bishop
- Kennedy
- Blanks
- Kennedy
- Blanchard
- Kilpatrick
- Bowers
- Kilbee
- Boyens
- Korinth
- Brashare
- Kohman
- Bristow
- Laffner
- Bryan
- Laurel
- Bullock
- Horse
- McDougall
- Chapman
- Mcclain
- Clay
- Mcclain
- Cline
- McDougall
- Cole
- Mcclain
- Coleman
- Conley
- Mcclain
- Carr
- Mclain
- Cowen
- Martin
- Cox
- Matthews
- Crowe
- Mathews
- Day
- Moore
- de la Garza
- Moore
- Dawson
- Mullen
- Dugan
- Myatt
- Dugan
- Oliver
- Ehrle
- Osborn
- Elliott
- Parish
- Ellis
- Parsons
- Ferrell
- Pipkin
- Ford
- Pool
- Foreman
- Pressler
- Forth
- Puckett
- Glass
- Ramsey
- Glasing
- Richardson
- Goska
- Roberts
- Groen
- Russell
- Harrington
- Sadler
- Headly
- Sandahl
- Heffin
- Sanders
- Hollowell
- Saul
- Holman
- Schram
- Holstein
- Schwartz
- Hooks
- of Galveston
- House
- Schwartz
- Houseman
- of Washington
- Huffman
- Seeligson
- Huffman
- Shackelford
- Hughes
- of Galveston
- Hughes
- of Dallas
- Shannon
- Hutcheson
- of Tarrant
- Hughes of Grayson
- Shannon of Erath
- 730 before the House on third reading and final passage.
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Shaw  Thurmond
Sheridan  Tunnell
Sherill  Turner
Smith  Wallace
Smith of Hays  Watson
Smith of Jefferson  Welch
Spillman  Wheeler
Springer  White
Stewart  Wilson of Young
Strickland  Wilson of Potter
Strouman  Wohlford
Studdert  Wooley
Sutton  Yeak
Terrell  Zerisek

In The Chair

Hale
Absent
Bass  Fenoglio
Burkett
Absent—Excused
Cloud  Taishek

HOUSE BILL NO. 755 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment.

H. B. No. 755, A bill to be entitled
"An Act amending Chapter 50, Page 172, of the Acts of the 41st Legislature, Second Called Session, 1929, as amended to provide for registration of automobiles manufactured prior to 1921; providing for method of application for such registration; fixing amount of fee for such registration; providing for license plates; defining an offense and prescribing a penalty; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. McGregor of McLennan offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 755 by adding the following as Section 2 thereto:

"Section 2. The fact that many antique automobiles as herein described are not now being registered and other antique automobiles are being registered every year at great trouble to the owners thereof when the antique automobiles are no longer used for transportation or commercial purposes brings about an extremely undesirable state of affairs insofar as the state is concerned in maintaining control of all automobiles in addition to actually costing the state financially by having no special registration provisions in the State Statutes for these antique automobiles create an emergency and imperative public necessity that the Constitutional Provision requiring bills to be read on three separate days in each House be suspended and the same is hereby suspended, and this Act shall be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted."

The amendment was adopted.

House Bill No. 755 was then passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 755 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Cox moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that House Bill No. 755 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yea—138

Anderson  Dewey
Armbr  Duff, Miss
Armwell  Dukas
Baker  Dunstan
Ballman  Ehrle
Bartram  Elliott
Beul  Ellis
Bishop  Fenoglio
Blair  Fogg
Bunchard  Perot
Bowers  Poyry
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Chline
Cole  Holman
Coley  Holstein
Conley  Hooks
Cory  Honey
Cotten  Huie

Day

Hughes of Grayson
Hughes of Dallas
Hughes of有害
Hughes of Hutchins
The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Year—140

Anderson  Ineacks, Miss
Armour  Jackson
Atwell  Jamison
Baker  John
Ballman  Jones
Bartram  Joseph
Bell  Kelly
Bishop  Kennard
Blaine  Kennedy
Blanchard  Kilpatrick
Bowens  Koifa
Boyd  Koirioth
Brashhear  Kohmann
Brazos  Lattimer
Bryan  Laurel
Bullock  Lee
Byrd  McCoppin
Chapman  McDonald
Cline  McGregor
Cole  McGregor
Coley  McGregor
Conley  of El Paso
Cory  Melhany
Cox  Matthev
Crouchwalk  Mayer
Day  Moore of Harris
de la Garza  Moore of Tarrant
Dewey  Mullen
Duff, Miss  Murray
Dugas  Myat
Dungan  Oliver
Ehrle  Osborn
Elliott  Parish
Elise  Parsons
Ferrell  Piggin
Ford  Pool
Foreman  Pressler
Forysth  Puckett
Glass  Ramsey
Glutting  Richmond
Goetz  Roberts
Green  Russell
Harrington  Sadler
Hastly  Sandahl
Heflin  Sanders
Hollowell  Saul
Holman  Schram
Holstein  of Galveston
Hooks  of Garveston
Honey  Schrams
Houbner  of Garveston
Huffman  Schrams
Hoffon  Shackleford
Hughes of Grayson  Shannon of Erath
Hughes of Dallas  Shannon
Kubie  of Tarrant
The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—139

Anderson  Jackson
Armor  Jamison
Atwell  Johnson
Bailey  Jones
Ballman  Joseph
Bartram  Kelly
Beil  Kendall
Bishop  Kennedy
Blaine  Kilpatrick
Blanchard  Koliba
Bowers  Korld
Boyce  Korthmann
Breshears  Latimer
Broderick  Lauer
Bryan  Lee
Bullock  McCoppin
Byrd  McDonell
Chapman  McGregor
Clayton  McGregor
Cole  McGregor
Coley  McElroy
Conley  McGraw
Cohn  Mann
Coppin  Martin
Cox  Matthews
Crowe  Mays
Dewey  McFann
Duffy, Miss  McFarland
Dugan  Mullen
Dungan  Murray
Dugan  Nisbet
Eggert  Osburn
Ehrle  Parish
Ellis  Parsons
Englefield  Pickens
Ford  Pool
Foreman  Preister
Forry  Peckett
Glanz  Ramsey
Glueck  Richardson
Goetz  Roberts
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Harrington  Sadler
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Heflin  Saul
Hollowell  Schram
Holman  Schwartz
Holstein  Galloway
Hooks  Schwartz
Hosse  Washington
Hudson  Seagoing
Huffman  Shackelford
Hufford  Shannon of Erath
Hughs of Grayson  Shannon
Hughs of Dallas  Tarrant
Hutcheson  Shaw
Isaacks  Miss
Jenks  Sheridan

Nays—1

Thurmond  In The Chair
Hale  Absent
Bass  Fenoglio
Burkett  Patterson
Absent—Excused
Cloud  Talmage
Hensley  House Bill No. 756 on Second Reading

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment, H. B. No. 756, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Chapter 78, House Bill No. 64, Acts Fifty-First Legislature, Regular Session, 1949, (codified as Article 2615d, Vernon's Civil Statutes), increasing the amount of funds that the Board of Directors of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas is authorized to expend from available plant funds for buildings and improvements at the adjunct of the College in Kimble County without specific authorization of the Legislature; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 756 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Burkett moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that House Bill No. 756 be placed on its third reading and final passage.
The Chair then laid House Bill No. 766 before the House on third reading and final passage. The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

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The Chair then laid House Bill No. 784 on second reading and passage to engrossment,
H. B. No. 764, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing and directing the Commissioner of the General Land Office to enter into an agreement or agreements with the appropriate agency of the Federal Government to contract for a survey of the Texas Gulf Coast line for the purpose of determining the low water contour along said Gulf Coast line, providing that such survey may be based on a traverse delineated from controlled aerial mosaic sheets and contact prints; providing that such mosaic sheets and contact prints shall be official records and archives of the General Land Office; authorizing and directing the Commissioner of the General Land Office to furnish without cost to any governmental agency copies of data on files in, or compiled by, the General Land Office and to furnish other facilities of his office in matters affecting the determination of boundaries and/or the exploration and development of minerals in submerged areas; providing that field notes, maps, or other documents compiled as a result of survey authorized herein shall be permanent records and archives of the General Land Office; providing that such documents or certified copies thereof shall be admissible in evidence, requiring the Commissioner of the General Land Office to report the results of the survey herein authorized to the Fifty-sixth Legislature; making an appropriation to pay the cost of the State's portion of the survey authorized herein; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Dewey offered the following Committee Amendments to the bill:

No. 1
Amend House Bill 764 by deleting therefrom all of Section 6 and renumbering the following Section 7 as Section 6.

No. 2
Amend House Bill 764 by deleting therefrom Section 1 and substituting in lieu thereof as follows:

"Section 1. The Commissioner of the General Land Office is hereby authorized and directed to negotiate and consummate an agreement, or agreements, with the appropriate agency of the Federal Government of the United States, whereby the General Land Office and such appropriate agency of the Federal Government may enter into contracts or agreements with the United States Coast and Geodetic Survey, or other appropriate governmental agency for a survey of the Texas Gulf Coast line, by projection, projection, ground surveying or other recognized surveying methods, for the purpose of determining the low water contour along said Gulf Coast line from which the three marine league boundary line may be accurately fixed by notes and bounds, demarking the boundary of Texas as defined in the Submerged Lands Act (Public Law 81-819 Congress, Ch. 65, 1st sess., H. R. 4198, 67 Stat. 25).

The amendments were severally adopted.

Mr. Elliott offered the following Committee Amendment to the bill:

No. 3
Amend House Bill 764 by deleting therefrom Section 5 and substituting the following:

"Section 5. The Commissioner of the General Land Office shall report the results of the survey herein authorized to the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Speaker of the House and members of the Fifty-sixth Legislature so that the necessary Legislative action can be taken to approve the location and demarkation of the three marine league boundary of Texas."

The amendment was adopted.

House Bill No. 764 was then passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 764 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Cory moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that House Bill No. 764 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

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HOUSE BILL NO. 858 ON SECOND READING  

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,  

H. B. No. 858, A bill to be entitled  

"An Act changing the name of East Texas State Teachers College to East Texas State College; fixing an effective date; and declaring an emergency."  

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.  

HOUSE BILL NO. 858 ON THIRD READING  

Mr. Hutchins moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that House Bill No. 858 be placed on its third reading and final passage.  

The motion prevailed by the following vote:  

Yeas—139  

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The Chair then laid House Bill No. 868 before the House on third reading and final passage. The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

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HOUSE BILL NO. 859 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment, H.B. No. 859, A bill to be entitled "An Act relating to special venires in certain counties using the jury wheel; amending Article 591, Vernon’s Revised Code of Criminal Procedure of the State of Texas, as amended Acts 1955, 64th Legislature P. 572, Ch. 188, Paragraph 1; relating to drawing of names from the jury wheel, preparation and delivery of lists by the clerk, the distribution of cards containing the names of jurors, providing for the return of cards to the jury wheel in certain cases, providing for certain exceptions and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read; second time and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 859 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Pressler moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that House Bill No. 859 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Nays—139

Anderson

Armour

Atwell

Baker

Ballman

Bartmann

Beil

Bishop

Blaine

Blanchard

Bowman

Boyson

Coven

Cox

Crushwalt

Day

de la Garza

Dewey

Duff, Miss

Dugger

Duncan

Elkins

Elliott

Ellis

Fenoglio

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Harrington

Hepburn

Hewitt

Holloway

Holman

Holtstein

Hooks

Howey

Huebner

Huffman

Hufston

Hughs of Oregon

Hughes of Dallas

Hutchins

Isaacs, Miss

Jackson

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Joseph

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Kilpatrick

Kilby

Koroth

Kothmann

Lachman

Lafler

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McDonald

McGregor

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McGregor of McLennan

McGregor of El Paso

McLemore

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Martin

Martin

Matthew

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Moore of Harris

Moore of Tarrant

Mulinos

Murr

Myatt

Oliver

Osborn

Parish

Parrish

Pepin

Pool

Presler

Puckett

Ramsey

Richardson

Roberts

Sadler

Sandall

Saul

Schrader

Schwartz

of Galveston

Schwartz

of Washington

Seeligson

Shackelford

Shannon of Erath

Shannon of Tarrant

Shaw

Sheridan

Sherrell

Shick

Smith of Hays

Smith of Jefferson

Spillman

Springer

Stewart

Storey

Strickland

Strom

Sutherland

Sutton

Thompson

Tunnell

Turman

Wallace

Watson

Welch

Whitaker

Wilson of Young

Wilson of Potter

Whitford

Woolfer

Yeak

Zbukacki
The Chair then laid House Bill No. 864 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—141


Absents—Excused

The bill was read second time, and

Mr. Turman offered the following Committee Amendment to the bill:

In The Chair

Hale

Absent

Bass

Sanders

Burkett

Winfree

Patterson

Absent—Excused

Cloud

Talasek

Hensley

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment, H. B. No. 864, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing the Texas Board of Water Engineers to study the cause of natural pollution to the tributaries of the Red River and to study means to eliminate such pollution; and appropriating Fifty Thousand Dollars for such purpose and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.
Amend House Bill No. 864 by striking all below the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Section 1. The Texas Board of Water Engineers is hereby authorized and directed to study salt springs, gypsum beds, and other sources of natural pollution to tributaries of the Red River and to study means of elimination of such natural pollution and to prevent such pollution from reaching the Red River.

Section 2. The fact that the waters of the Red River are being seriously injured by natural pollution creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three (3) several days in each House be suspended, and this Rule is hereby suspended, and that this Act take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Turman offered the following Committee Amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 864 by striking all above the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

A BILL To Be Entitled An Act authorizing the Texas Board of Water Engineers to study the causes of natural pollution to the tributaries of the Red River and to study means to eliminate such pollution; and declaring an emergency.

The amendment was adopted.

House Bill No. 864 was then passed to engrossment.

May 15, 1957

Committee Amendment No. 1
To House Bill No. 864

Committee Amendment No. 2
To House Bill No. 864

Mr. Ehrle moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that House Bill No. 864 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas-139
Anderson
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Bishop
Blaine
Blanchard
Bowers
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Brashear
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| Henley                      |              |

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House Bill No. 942, entitled "An Act authorizing and directing the Texas Prison Board, acting by the Chairman thereof, to execute and deliver to the State Highway Commission of Texas a right of way easement to certain lands in Walker County, Texas, for the construction and maintenance of U.S. Highway 75 By-Pass Loop extending along and across certain State properties known as the Wynne Prison Farm and the Goree Prison Farm, and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Mr. Huffer moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that House Bill No. 942 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—139
Anderson
Armbrister
Atwell
Baker
Ballman
Bartram
Bass
Bishop
Blaine
Blanchard
Bowers
Boysen
Brabham
Brister
Bryan
Bullock
Bryd
Chapman
Cline
Cole
Cooley
Conley
Cory
Cotten
Cowen

Heflin
Hevelow
Holman
Holstein
Hooks
Howard
Huffman
Hughes
Hughes of Grayson
Hughes of Dallas
Hutcheson
Hutcheson, Miss
Jackson
Jackson
Johnson
Joseph
Kelly
Kennard
Kennedy
Kilpatrick
Kloth
Kovach
Kothmann
Latimer
Lawrence
Lee
McCoppin
McDonald
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of McLennan
McGregor of El Paso
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Martin
Matthew
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McCoy
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McQueen
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Osborn
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of Galveston
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of Washington
Seeligson
Shackelford
Shannon of Erath
Shannon of Tarrant
Shaw
Sheridan
Sherill
Hill
Shively
Smith of Hays
Smith of Jefferson
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Springer
Stewart
Storie
Strickland
Streng
Studstill
Sutton
Terrell
Thomson
Tunnell
Turman
Turman
Walling
Watson
Welch
Wheeler
White
Wilson of Young
Wilson of Potter
Wohlford
Woodley
Yanek
Zbik

Nays—1
Ferrell
In The Chair

Hale

Absent

Base
Sandora
Burkett
Winfrey
Patterson

Absent—Excused

Cloud
Talasek

Hensley
The Chair then laid House Bill No. 942 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yes—141

Anderson   Hughes of Grayson
Armor      Hughes of Dallas
Atwell     Hutchins
Baker       Isom, Miss
Ballman     Jackson
Barrientz   Jamison
Bell         Johnson
Bishop      Jones
Blaine       Joseph
Blanchard   Kelly
Bowen       Kennedy
Boyson      Kennard
Breazeale   Kilpatrick
Bristow     Koliba
Bryan        Koroth
Bullock     Kochmann
Byrd         Latimer
Chapman     Laurel
Cline        Lee
Cole          McClung
Coey         McDonald
Conley       McGregor
Cory          of McLean
Cotten       McGregor
Cox            of El Paso
Crawford     Mann
Day                 Martin
de Cardo    Matthew
Dewey        Mathis
Duff, Miss   Moore of Harris
Dugger      Moore of Tarrant
Dupanl      Mullens
Ehrle         Murray
Ellis         Nortz
Ewer         Oliver
Ford          Oser
Foreman      Parsons
Forster      Pickles
Glass         Pool
Goets         Presler
Green         Peckett
Harrington   Ramsey
Heath         Richardson
Heflin        Roberts
Holliday      Russell
Holman        Sadler
Holstein     Sandahl
Hooks         Sanders
Honey         Saul
Huckers      Schram
Huffman      Schwartz
Huffer        of Galveston

Schwartz   Sudderth
of Washington
Skelton     Terrell
Smellhorse  Thurmond
Shannon     Tunnell
Shannon     Turner
of Tarrant  Walling
Shaw          Watson
Sheridan     Welch
Sherill      Wheeler
Skel         White
Smith of Hall   Wilson of Young
Smith of Jefferson Wilson of Potter
Spelman       Winstead
Springer     Willsford
Stewart      Wooley
Storey       Yessik
Strockland   Zbranek
Strother

In the Chair

Hale

Absent

Bass

Pencigli

Barnett

Patterson

Absence—Excused

Cloud

Talasek

Hensley

SENATE BILL NO. 415 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 415: Pertaining to personal tax for members of the State Board of Dental Examiners; and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Cox offered the following Committee Amendment to the bill:

Amend Senate Bill No. 415 by striking out all below the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"Section 1. Definitions. The term "dental hygiene," and the practice
dentistry in this State, or (2) physicians and surgeons legally engaged in the practice of dentistry in this State, or (3) as an employee of schools, hospitals, state institutions, or public health clinics approved by the Texas State Board of Dental Examiners.

Section 4. Subsection (b) of Section 19 of Senate Bill 453, General and Special Laws of Texas, page 843, Acts 52nd Legislature, Regular Session, 1951, same being known as Section 10, subsection (b) of Article 4551e of Vernon's Annotated Civil Statutes of Texas, is hereby amended to hereafter read as follows:

"(b) That the holder thereof has practiced or offered to practice dental hygiene in any place where the number of dental hygienists practicing or offering to practice dental hygiene exceeds the number permitted by law."

Section 5. Section 15 of Senate Bill 453, Chapter 475, General and Special Laws of Texas, page 843, Acts 52nd Legislature, Regular Session, 1951, same being known as Section 15 of Article 4551e of Vernon's Annotated Civil Statutes of Texas, is hereby amended to hereafter read as follows:

"Section 15. Exceptions. The provisions of this Act shall not apply to: (1) dentists duly licensed and authorized to practice dentistry within this State and who are actively engaged in such practice except as provided in Section 3 of this Act; (2) physicians and surgeons legally authorized to practice medicine as defined by the law of this State; or (3) employees of a dentist who make dental x-rays in the dental office and under the supervision of such dentist, or dentists legally engaged in the practice of dentistry in this State."

Section 6. Article 753 of the Penal Code of Texas as amended by Section 6 of House Bill 534, Chapter 281, General and Special Laws of Texas, Regular Session, Acts 1951, page 731, is hereby amended to hereafter read as follows:
"Article 763. Exceptions. The definition of dentistry as contained in Chapter 7, of Title 12, of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, as amended, shall not apply to: (1) members of the faculty of a reputable dental college or school where such faculty members perform their services for the sole benefit of such school or college; or to (2) students of a reputable dental college who perform their operations without pay except for actual cost of materials, in the presence of and under the direction of a practitioner of a reputable dental college where such student is legally engaged to practice medicine and who is a member of the faculty of a reputable dental college; or to (3) persons doing laboratory work on inanimate matter only, and who do not solicit or obtain work, by any means, from a person or persons not a licensed dentist actually engaged in the practice of dentistry and who do not act as the agents or solicitors of, or have any interest whatsoever in, any dental office, practice or the receipts therefrom, or to (4) physicians and surgeons legally authorized to practice medicine as defined by the laws of this State, or to (5) dental hygienists legally authorized to practice dental hygiene in this State and who practice dental hygiene in strict conformity with the laws of Texas regulating the practice of dental hygiene, or to (6) those persons who as members of an established church practice healing by prayer only, or to (7) employees of a dentist who make dental X-rays in the dental office and under the supervision of such dentist or dentists legally engaged in the practice of dentistry in the State. Nothing in this Act applies to one legally engaged in the practice of dentistry in this State at the time of the passage of this law, except as hereinafter provided."

Section 7. Article 4551b of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas as amended by Section 5 of House Bill 134, Chapter 281, General and Special Laws of Texas, Regular Session, Acts 1955, page 721, is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Article 4551b. Exceptions. The definition of dentistry as contained in Chapter 7, of Title 12, of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas as amended, shall not apply to (1) members of the faculty of a reputable dental college or school where such faculty members perform their services for the sole benefit of such school or college; or to (2) students of a reputable dental college who perform their operations without pay except for actual cost of materials, in the presence of and under the direction of a practitioner of a reputable dental college where such student is legally engaged to practice medicine and who is a member of the faculty of a reputable dental college; or to (3) persons doing laboratory work on inanimate matter only, and who do not solicit or obtain work, by any means, from a person or persons not a licensed dentist actually engaged in the practice of dentistry and who do not act as the agents or solicitors of, or have any interest whatsoever in, any dental office, practice or the receipts therefrom, or to (4) physicians and surgeons legally authorized to practice medicine as defined by law of this State, or to (5) dental hygienists legally authorized to practice dental hygiene in this State and who practice dental hygiene in strict conformity with the laws of Texas regulating the practice of dental hygiene, or to (6) those persons who as members of an established church practice healing by prayer only, or to (7) employees of a dentist who make dental X-rays in the dental office and under the supervision of such dentist or dentists legally engaged in the practice of dentistry in this State. Nothing in this Act applies to one legally engaged in the practice of dentistry in this State at the time of the passage of this law, except as hereinafter provided."

Section 8. Section 9 of Senate Bill 10, Acts 1935, 41st Legislature, Regular Session, Chapter 244, page 606, known as Vernon's Annotated Texas Civil Statutes, Article 4651, as amended in this Act as hereinafter provided, is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Article 4651. Each member of the State Board of Dental Examiners, also known and referred to as the Texas State Board of Dental Examiners, shall receive for his service Twenty-Five ($25.00) dollars per day for each day he is actually engaged in the duties of his office as a member of such Board together with all legitimate expenses incurred in the performance of such de
... Section 9. The fact that the president of the Senate, the Speaker of the House and the Governor, by action of the Senate and the House of Representatives respectively, suspend all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 10. If any Article, Section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase, word or combination of words of this Act is for any reason held to be unconstitutional, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Act. The Legislature hereby declares that it would have passed this Act and each Section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase, word or combination of words hereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more of the Sections, subsections, sentences, clauses, phrases or words be declared unconstitutional. Such decision shall not bar the Legislature from enacting a similar Act if such Act would have passed and the same is hereby suspended; and this Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Cox offered the following Committee Amendment to the bill:

Amend Senate Bill No. 425 by striking out all above the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"A BILL,

To Be Entitled

An Act amending Sections 1, 3, 10(g), 10(h), and 15 of Senate Bill 453, Chapter 475, General and Special Laws of Texas, page 943, Acts 52nd Legislature, Regular Session, 1951, same being known as Sections 1, 3, 10(g), 10(h), and 15, of Article 4551 of Vernon's Annotated Civil Statutes of Texas; Article 753 of the Penal Code of Texas as amended by Section 5 of House Bill 534, Chapter 281, General and Special Laws of Texas, Regular Session, Acts 1953, page 721, Article 4551b of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas as amended by Section 9 of House Bill 534, Chapter 281, General and Special Laws of Texas, Regular Session, Acts 1953, page 721, Section 9 of Senate Bill 10, Acts 1951, 44th Legislature, Regular Session, Chapter 241, page 604, known as Vernon's Annotated Texas Civil Statutes, Article 4551, as amended; repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict; providing a savings clause and declaring an emergency."

The amendment was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 425 was then passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 425 ON
THIRD READING

Mr. Glusing moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 425 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas--139

Noes--0


Noes: Cotton, Cox, Crosthwait, Day, de la Garza, Dewey, Duffy, Miss, Dukas, Dunson, Elliott, Ellis, Ferguson, Ford, Foreman, Forsythe, Glass, Glusing, Goetz, Greene, Healy
The Chair then laid Senate Bill No. 425 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

**Yeas—141**

Anderson Hughes of Dallas
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SENATE BILL NO. 449 ON SECOND READING

The Chair, in the Chair

In the Chair

SENATE BILL NO. 449 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to the third reading,

S. B. No. 449, Creating a water control and improvement district to be known as "Wilbarger Creek Water Control and Improvement District No. 1 of Bastrop and Travis Counties" comprising certain lands lying within the Counties of Bastrop and Travis, Texas; prescribing its powers and duties including the powers necessary to fully cooperate with the Federal Government, its agencies and departments, under Public Law 566, 83rd Congress, Chapter 656, 2nd Session H. R. 6788, as amended by Public Law 1018, 84th Congress, Chapter 1027, 2nd Session, H. R. 8750, including the power or authority to secure a federal loan or loans and enacting the applicable provisions of said public laws into this Act by reference; providing for a governing body thereof; finding and determining that the lands and other property within said District are, and will be, benefited by the District and its improvements, works and measures to be constructed and accomplished; providing that the ad valorem basis or plan of taxation shall be used by the District and that it shall not be necessary to hold a hearing on the adoption of a plan of taxation; providing that it shall be necessary to hold a hearing to determine whether any lands included within the boundaries of said District should be excluded; declaring that the District is essential to the accomplishment of the purposes of Section 59, Article XVI, Constitution of Texas and declaring the District to be a governmental agency, body politic and corporate; authorizing the District to issue negotiable bonds for the payment...
of interest and principal thereat; 
providing that no loan from the 
Federal Government shall be con-
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issued unless authorized by an elec-
tion for such purposes; providing 
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eral and registered by the Comp-
troller of Public Accounts; provid-
ing that it shall not be necessary 
for plans and specifications, en-
gineering reports, profiles, maps and 
other data to be filed in the office 
of the District before an election 
is held for the purpose of authoriz-
ing the issuance of bonds by the District; 
providing a saving clause, and de-
claring an emergency."

The amendment was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 449 was then passed 
to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 449 ON 
THIRD READING

Mr. Sherrill moved that the 
constitutional rule requiring bills to be 
suspended and that Senate Bill No. 449 
be placed on its third reading and 
final passage.

The motion prevailed by the fol-
lowing vote:

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The Chair then laid Senate Bill No. 449 before the House on third reading and final passage.

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Mr. Turman asked unanimous consent of the House that the Committee on Education be permitted to meet at this time.

There was no objection offered.

SENATE BILL NO. 301 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 301, Validating, ratifying, confirming and approving time warrants and refunding bonds issued for the purpose of refunding time warrants and all proceedings, etc., and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 301 ON THIRD READING

Mr. White moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 301 be placed on its third reading and final passage.
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CAPTIONS OF BILLS ORDERED AMENDED

On motion of Mr. Baker, and by unanimous consent of the House, the Captions of all the Bills passed on the Local and Uncontested Bill Calendar on today, were ordered amended where necessary, to conform to all changes and with the body of the Bills.

(Mr. Hale occupied the Chair pending the consideration of the Bills on the Local and Uncontested Bill Calendar on today.)

(Mr. Hale in the Chair.)

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Austin, Texas, May 15, 1957

Hon. Waggoner Carr, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

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

S. B. No. 75, An Act Increasing the salaries of the Justices of the Supreme Court, the Judges and Commissioners of the Court of Criminal Appeals, the Justices of the Courts of Civil Appeals, etc.; and declaring an emergency.

S. B. No. 236, Relating to fees of clerks of the District Courts; containing a repealing clause and a saving clause; and declaring an emergency.

S. B. No. 239, Relating to the regulation of the practice of pharmacy; prescribing the powers and duties of the State Board of Pharmacy; and declaring an emergency.

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has granted the request of the House for a Conference Committee to adjust the differences between the two Houses on House Bill No. 153.

The following have been appointed on the part of the Senate:

Senators: Parkhouse, Hardeman, Fuller, Smith, and Herring.

Hon. Waggoner Carr, Speaker of the House of Representatives.
Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has adopted the Conference Committee report on Senate Bill No. 126 by a voice vote.

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has concurred in House Amendments to Senate Bill No. 92 by voice vote.

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed the following Local and Uncontested Calendar:

H. B. No. 226, Changing the definition of "herbicide" within the meaning of the provisions of said Act which regulates the sale and use of hormone type herbicides; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 368, Exempting from the franchise tax corporations organized for the purpose of educating the public in the conservation of furb, game and other forms of wildlife and forests; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 289, Authorizing the Commissioners Court of certain counties to regulate the construction of roads or streets in subdivisions situated outside the boundaries of incorporated towns and cities; and declaring an emergency. (With Amendments.)

H. B. No. 290, Increasing the compensation of "district supervisors" of levee improvement districts to be fixed by the Commissioners Courts; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 293, Providing for the selection of jurors in capital criminal cases under certain circumstances; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 296, Validating, ratifying and confirming interest-bearing time warrants authorized by cities of this State since the enactment of Chapter 363 by the 64th Legislature; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 33, Relating to appeal from orders of the Board of Barber Examiners; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 42, Making the provisions of the insecticides and fungicide law applicable to household insecticides; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 45, Authorizing the recovery of civil damages due to the malicious and willful damage to or destruction of property by minors; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 94, Determining those authorized to celebrate the rites of matrimony; and declaring an emergency. (With Amendment).

H. B. No. 163, Providing for the Court of Civil Appeals to act for another under certain circumstances; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 321, Providing more adequate means for "Eligible Cities" to prevent contamination of their water supplies and the water of the Trinity River watershed; and declaring an emergency. (With Amendments).

H. B. No. 235, Defining "cotton" or "cotton products" so as to include all host plants to the pink bollworm; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 332, Providing for issuance of temporary registration permits for trucks, etc., under certain circumstances. (With Amendments.)

H. B. No. 333, Providing for the temporary registration of vehicles for one-trip movements within the State; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 426, Relating to the jurisdiction of Probate Courts; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 437, Permitting the sale of certain fish taken from certain waters in Sabine County; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 442, Amending the Texas Election Code so as to remove the requirement that information supplied to the tax collector by a taxpayer applying for his poll tax receipt by mail must be under oath; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 453, Relating to the inspection of steam boilers; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 501, Creating the County Court at Law No. 4, of Harris County, Texas; and declaring an emergency.
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H. B. No. 503, Creating the County Court at Law No. 3 of Bexar County; and declaring an emergency.

Respectfully,

CHARLES SCHWABEL,
Secretary of the Senate.

SENATE BILL NO. 463 ON SECOND READING

Mr. Byrd moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 463 be placed on its second reading and passage to third reading and on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—140

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Balmes
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Blanchard
Bowers
Boyken
Bradley
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de la Garza
Dewey
Duff, Miss
Dugas
Dungan
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Moore of Harris
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The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

In The Chair

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Burkett
Orost Whitman
Huebner
Cloud
Absent

Patterson
Crowe
Abst
Shackelford

Hussey

Absc—Excused

Cloud

Talasek

Hensley

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 463, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 518, Acts of the 54th Legislature, 1955, by adding a league of land to the area of the District in Trinity County, finding a benefit, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.
### SENATE BILL NO. 463 ON THIRD READING

The Chair then laid Senate Bill No. 463 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

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### SENATE BILL NO. 466 ON SECOND READING

Mr. McCoppin moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 466 be placed on its second reading and passage to third reading and on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

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The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading.

S. B. No. 466, A bill to be entitled “An Act creating a conservation and reclamation district under Article XVI, Section 59 of the Constitution, comprising territory within the city of Jefferson, Marion County, Texas, to be known as the Jefferson Water and Sewer District; for the purpose of providing or acquiring a source or sources of water supply for municipal, domestic, industrial and mining uses and processing and transporting the same and for the purpose of providing or acquiring storm sewers and a sanitary sewer system; providing for a board of directors to govern said district; etc., and declaring an emergency.”

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 466 ON THIRD READING

The Chair then laid Senate Bill No. 466 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—136

Anderson  Conley
Armour  Cory
Atwell  Cotton
Baker  Cowen
Ballman  Cox
Bartram  Crouse
Bess  Day
Bell  de la Garza
Bishop  DuF. Miss
Blaine  Dugan
Bowers  Elkhart
Boyden  Elliott
Bradford  Ellis
Bridwell  Farrell
Bryan  Ford
Bullock  Foreman
Burkett  Forsyth
Chapman  Gibbs
Colt  Glasing
Colyer  Goetz
SENATE BILL NO. 474 ON SECOND READING

Mr. Moore of Harris moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 474 be placed on its second reading and passage to third reading and on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

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Holman
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Baker
Hooks
Bullman
Hosey
Bartram
Hudson
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The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 474 ON THIRD READING

The Chair then laid Senate Bill No. 474 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:
MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE
Austin, Texas, May 16, 1967
Hon. Waggoner Carr, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

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

S. C. R. No. 91, Interposing the sovereignty of Texas against encroachment upon the reserved powers of this State.

Respectfully,
CHARLES SCHNABEL,
Secretary of the Senate.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE
Austin, Texas, May 16, 1967
Hon. Waggoner Carr, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sirs: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed the following on the local, uncontested calendar:

H. B. No. 761, Setting the dove and quail season in Jasper, Newton and Tyler Counties; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 758, Authorizing the School Land Board of the State of Texas to charge an appraisal fee; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 759, Authorizing certain school districts to fix the term of office of school trustees; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 761, Providing for printing and binding of Abstract Volumes by the Land Commissioner; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 772, Fixing the open and closed seasons for quail in Dickens County and prescribing a penalty for violation; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 773, Providing for the compensation and method of payment of the Juvenile Boards of certain counties; and declaring an emergency. (With Amendments)

H. B. No. 789, Changing the name of "Abilene State Hospital"; providing that epilepsy shall not be a bar to admission to a State institution or public school; and declaring an emergency.

Respectfully,
CHARLES SCHNABEL,
Secretary of the Senate.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE
Austin, Texas, May 16, 1967
Hon. Waggoner Carr, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sirs: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed the following on the local, uncontested calendar:

H. B. No. 761, Setting the dove and quail season in Jasper, Newton and Tyler Counties; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 758, Authorizing the School Land Board of the State of Texas to charge an appraisal fee; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 759, Authorizing certain school districts to fix the term of office of school trustees; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 761, Providing for printing and binding of Abstract Volumes by the Land Commissioner; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 772, Fixing the open and closed seasons for quail in Dickens County and prescribing a penalty for violation; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 773, Providing for the compensation and method of payment of the Juvenile Boards of certain counties; and declaring an emergency. (With Amendments)

H. B. No. 789, Changing the name of "Abilene State Hospital"; providing that epilepsy shall not be a bar to admission to a State institution or public school; and declaring an emergency.
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H. B. No. 531, Validating the organization and creation of the Brushy Creek Water Control and Improvement District No. 1 of Williamson and Milam Counties; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 532, Creating municipal pension systems in certain cities; and declaring an emergency. (With Amendments)

H. B. No. 537, Amending the subject matter of the Texas Unemployment Compensation Act, as amended; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 543, Authorizing the State Highway Department and local authorities in their respective jurisdiction, to erect yield right-of-way signs for intersections of highways and streets; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 552, Relating to the situs of personal property of domestic insurance companies for the purpose of taxation; and declaring an emergency.

Respectfully,
CHARLES SCHNABEL,
Secretary of the Senate.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Austin, Texas, May 15, 1957

Hon. Waggoner Carr, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed the following on the local, uncontested calendar:

H. B. No. 803, Authorizing the Board for Texas State Hospitals and Special Schools to convey certain land in Cherokee County, Texas; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 804, Authorizing the Board for Texas State Hospitals and Special Schools to grant an easement to the City of San Antonio; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 835, Regulating fishing and shrimping in certain waters of Galveston Bay lying in Chambers, Galveston and Harris Counties; and declaring an emergency. (With Amendments)

H. B. No. 843, Providing an additional optional method for establishment and administration of county-wide hospital districts; and declaring an emergency.

Respectfully,
CHARLES SCHNABEL,
Secretary of the Senate.
COMMITTEE MEETING

Mr. White asked unanimous consent of the House that the Committee on Judicial Districts be permitted to meet at this time.

There was no objection offered.

SENATE BILL NO. 480 ON SECOND READING

Mr. Turman moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 480 be placed on its second reading and passage to third reading and on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—137
Anderson, Glass  
Armbrister, Glutting  
Atwell, Goetz  
Baker, Green  
Ballman, Harrington  
Bartram, Healy  
Bell, Hollowell  
Bishop, Holman  
Blanche, Holstein  
Blanchard, Hooks  
Bowers, Housey  
Boyem, Husbower  
Buell, Huffman  
Bryant, Hughes of Crayson  
Bryan, Hughes of Dallas  
Bullock, Hutchins  
Byrd, Isacks, Miss  
Chapman, Jackson  
Childs, Jambon  
Cole, Johnson  
Cooley, Jones  
Comley, Joseph  
Corr, Kelly  
Cotter, Kenda  
Cox, Elfridge  
Crowther, Kollis  
Day, Kolloff  
de la Garza, Kohlmann  
Dewey, Latimer  
Dirk, Miss, Laurel  
Dugan, Lee  
Dungan, McClellan  
Ehrle, McDonald  
Elliott, McGregor  
Ellis, McIlhaney  
Fenoglio, Mann  
Ferrell, Mann  
Ford, Martin  
Foreman, Matthew  
Forsyth, Mays  

Nays—13
Moore of Harris  
Moore of Tarrant  
Mullen, Shaw  
Murray, Sheridan  
Myatt, Sherrill  
Oliver, Smith of Hays  
Osborn, Smith of Jefferson  
Parish, Spelman  
Penza, Springer  
Patterson, Stewart  
Pipton, Stroman  
Pool, Sudereth  
Powderly, Hudson  
Puckett, Terrell  
Ramsey, Thurmond  
Richardson, Tunstall  
Russell, Turman  
Sadler, Waring  
Sandahl, Waston  
Sanders, Welch  
Saunders, Wheeler  
Schram, White  
Schwartz, Wilson of Young  
Schwartz, Wilson of Galveston  
Swoboda, Wilson of Potter  
Schwartz, Winfree  
Smith, of Washington  
Smith, Wooten  
Smidgen, Yezak  
Shackelford, Zbranek  
Shannon of Erath  

In The Chair

Hale  

Absent—Excused
Burke, Excused  
Burkett, Slack  
Bufford, Storey  
McGregor, Strickland  
McKee, of El Paso  

Roberts, Wofford  

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 480, A bill to be entitled "An Act ratifying, confirming and validating the creation, establishment and boundaries of Fannin County Water Control and Improvement District No. 2; etc., and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 480 ON THIRD READING

The Chair then laid Senate Bill No. 480 before the House on third reading and final passage.
The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas--139

Anderson
Armor
Atwell
Baker
Ballman
Bartram
Bass
Bell
Bishop
Blanchard
Bowers
Boysemen
Brubaker
Bristow
Bryant
Bullock
Chapman
Cline
Cole
Conley
Cotzen
Cowen
Cox
Crowley
Day
de la Garza
Dewey
Duff, Miss
Descos
Dungan
Ehle
Elliot
Ellis
Enge
Ferguson
Ford
Foreman
Forsyth
Glass
Glasing
Goetz
Green
Harrington
Healy
Hedlin
Hollowell
Halman
Halden
Hooks
Howar
Huebner
Hufnagel
Huff
Hughes of Grayson
Hughes of Dallas

Sheridan
Sherrill
Shine
Smith of Hays
Smith of Jefferson
Simpson
Springer
Stewart
Stover
Strom
Sudderth
Sutton
Terrell
Thornton
Thurmond

Tunnell
Turner
Tallman
Watson
Welch
Wheeler
White
Wilson of Young
Wilson of Potter
Wise
Woolsey
Yezak
Zbranek

In The Chair

Absences

Burkett
Osborn
Robert
Walthard

Absent—Excused

Cloud
Talasek

HENESY

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE ON
H. B. NO. 620 APPOIN TED

May 15, 1957

The Speaker announced the appointment of the following Conference Committee on the part of House on House Bill No. 620:

Messrs. Ramsey, de la Garza, Pool, Moore of Harris, and Sadler.

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE
COMMITTEE REPORT ON
H. B. NO. 169

May 15, 1957

Mr. Baker submitted the following Conference Committee Report on H. B. No. 169:

Austin, Texas, May 15, 1957

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Hon. Waggoner Carr, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: We, your Conference Committee, appointed to adjust the differences between the Senate and the House of Representatives on H. B. No. 169, have met and had same under consideration, and beg to report it back with the recommenda-
A BILL
To Be Entitled An Act authorizing out-patient clinics and establishing and providing for a community hospital for research and education in mental illness; for a large mental hospital and for out-patient clinics; regulating and providing for the operation of same; and declaring an emergency.

Be it Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Statement of Purposes and Public Policies

Section 1. It is the sense of the Legislature that the Board for Texas State Hospitals and Special Schools be authorized to establish such out-patient clinics for treating the mentally ill as such Board deems necessary and as funds for their operation are made available; and that a total mental health program be established in a given area of this State which shall consist of the following: 1) An area or community hospital of approximately sixty (60) beds to be used in treating the mentally ill and for research, training, and education in treating mental illness and an out-patient clinic which may be operated in conjunction with the community hospital. Such hospital and clinic shall be located within a city where a recognized medical center is located and operating. The Board for Texas State Hospitals and Special Schools shall designate the city and select a site or sites therein for the location of said community hospital and out-patient clinic. Such site or sites shall be accessible and convenient to the local medical center and shall contain sufficient land served by adequate utilities to meet the requirements of said hospital and out-patient clinic. Said Board shall take title to the land or lands so selected by them in the name of the State of Texas for the use and benefit of said hospital and clinic; provided, that the Attorney General's Department shall first approve the title to the land or lands so selected by the Board.

Location and Construction of Mental Hospital

Section 4. The Board for Texas State Hospitals and Special Schools shall select the site for said mental hospital, and the Board, in selecting such site, shall make such selection with a view to its accessibility and convenience to the greatest number of inhabitants and available medical facilities, and which site shall contain sufficient land and have utilities readily available. Said Board shall take title to the land so selected by them in the name of the State.
of Texas for the use and benefit of said hospital; provided, however, that the Attorney General's Department shall first approve the title to the land so selected by the Board. Such hospital or clinic shall be constructed upon said grounds as selected, permanent, suitable, substantial, and fireproof buildings sufficient in all respects to be used for the treatment of the mentally ill; said buildings are to be provided with modern improvements for furnishing water, heat, ventilation, and sewage.

Preparation of Plans

Section 5. The Board for Texas State Hospital and Special Schools shall proceed, within the limits of legislative appropriation of funds, to prepare plans and specifications for said buildings; and said Board is authorized to make contracts with such persons, corporations, or agencies of state, local, and federal governments, and to accept gifts or grants of land as said Board deems proper and necessary to effect the purposes of this Act within the limits of appropriations authorized therefor.

Personnel: Patients

Section 6. Upon the completion of the buildings and facilities for either or both of said research hospital or the larger separate mental hospital, the Board for Texas State Hospitals and Special Schools shall appoint such personnel as are necessary to operate and maintain such hospital and clinic and to adequately treat such patients as are admitted, within the limits of legislative appropriation. The Board for Texas State Hospitals and Special Schools shall admit patients to the area or community hospital and shall provide for their care and maintenance under the same applicable laws, rules and regulations as govern the admission and care of mentally ill persons provided for in the General Laws of the State of Texas governing institutions for the care of the mentally ill. The out-patient clinic shall be operated under such rules and regulations as the Board may promulgate.

The Board for Texas State Hospitals and Special Schools is hereby authorized, in its discretion, to operate and maintain such hospital and clinic as a part of such other hospital as may be constructed or operated by the Board.

Appropriation

Section 7. There is hereby appropriated to the Board for Texas State Hospitals and Special Schools such federal funds as the U.S. Government may grant for the construction of such buildings, and such other funds as may be given or granted by any State agency, foundation, estate, or individual, and said Board is authorized and directed to obtain and expend such funds as may become available for the programs and facilities authorized by this Act.

Temporary Facilities

Section 8. Until such hospital and clinic is constructed, the Board for Texas State Hospitals and Special Schools is hereby authorized to rent, or accept and use, such temporary facilities as are available and necessary for the establishment of research, training, and treatment activities at such location or locations as may be selected by the Board.

Emergency

Section 9. The importance of this legislation creates an emergency and a case of imperative public necessity; therefore, the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days in each House is suspended, and this Act shall take effect on September 1, 1957.

Mr. Baker moved that all necessary Rules be suspended for the purpose of adopting the Conference Committee Report on H. B. No. 169.

The motion prevailed by the following roll: (having received the necessary two-thirds vote):

Yeas-139

Andersen  Bristow
Armbrister  Bryan
Atwell  Bullock
Baker  Byrd
Ballman  Chapman
Barron  Cline
Bass  Cole
Bell  Coley
Bishop  Comer
Blaine  Cory
Bowers  Coten
Boyse  Cowen
Braun  Cox

Total-2857
SENATE BILL ON FIRST READING

The following Senate Bill received from the Senate was today laid before the House read first time and referred to the appropriate Committee as follows:

S. B. No. 426 to the Committee on State Affairs.

REQUEST OF SENATE GRANTED

On motion of Mr. Cory the House granted the request of the Senate for the appointment of a Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 222.

RELATIVE TO CONSIDERING H. B. No. 907 AT ANY TIME

Mr. Oliver offered the following resolution:

Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, That the House and Senate be authorized to take up and consider at any time, House Bill 907, which is the Universal Hunting License Bill for the benefit of the State Game and Fishing Commission of the State of Texas.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

HOUSE BILL NO. 10 WITH SENATE AMENDMENTS

Mr. Zbranek called up with Senate Amendments for consideration at this time.

H. B. No. 10, A bill to be entitled "An Act to be entitled the Lobbyist Registration Act, relating to the regulating of certain persons who undertake to promote or oppose the passage of legislation by the Legislature or its approval or veto by the Governor; repealing Articles 179 to 183, inclusive, of the Texas Penal Code, 1925; providing that the provisions of the Act shall be severable; and declaring an emergency."
Mr. Zbranek moved to suspend all necessary rules for the purpose of not concurring in the Senate Amendments to H. B. No. 10 and that a Conference Committee be requested to adjust the differences between the two Houses on H. B. No. 10.

The motion prevailed by unanimous consent.

(Speaker in the Chair.)

SENATE BILL NO. 24 ON PASSAGE TO THIRD READING

The Speaker laid before the House, as pending business on its passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 24. Concerning the management, control and disposition by a married woman of her separate property, both real and personal, including her right to contract and be contracted with and to sue and be sued: and declaring an emergency.

The bill having been read second time on May 9,

Mr. Hale offered the following Committee Amendment to the bill:

Committee Amendment No. 1

Amend Senate Bill No. 24 by striking out all below the enacting clause and substituting in lieu thereof the following:

Section 1. Article 4614, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended by Acts of 1929, 41st Legislature, page 66, chapter 32, section 1, is hereby amended so as hereafter to read as follows:

"Article 4614. Wife's Separate Property. All property of the wife, both real and personal, owned or claimed by her before marriage, and that acquired afterward by gift, devise, or descent, as also the increase of all lands thus acquired, is the separate property of the wife. The wife shall have the sole management, control, and disposition of her separate property, both real and personal. She may, in her own name contract and be contracted with, sue and be sued, and her coverture shall not be a defense in any suit or action based on such contracts. Such of her separate property as is not exempt under the laws of Texas is subject to forced sale for payment of her debts. The community property of the husband and wife, with the exception of the wife's personal earnings and the revenue from her separate property, shall never be subject to the payment of the wife's debts and obligations except for those contracted for necessaries furnished herself and children."

Section 2. Article 4616. Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, is hereby amended so as hereafter to read as follows:

"Article 4616. Wife's Separate Property Protected. Neither the separate property of the wife, her personal earnings, nor the revenue from her separate property shall be subject to the payment of debts contracted by the husband nor the fruits of the husband."

Section 3. Article 4623. Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, is hereby amended so as hereafter to read as follows:

"Article 4623. Subject to Debts of Wife. Neither the separate property of the husband nor the community property other than the personal earnings of the wife and the revenues from her separate property shall be subject to the payment of debts contracted by the wife except those contracted for necessaries furnished her or her children."

Section 4. Article 4617. Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended by Acts of 1937, 45th Legislature, page 1343, chapter 499, section 1, is hereby amended so as hereafter to read as follows:

"Article 4617. When Husband or Wife May Convey Homestead Which is Separate Property. If the husband or wife in insane or has permanently abandoned the other spouse, the husband or wife who owns the homestead as separate property may encumber or convey such property by applying to the district court of the county of residence. The court, in term time, upon satisfactory proof that such encumbrance or conveyance would be advantageous to the interest of the husband or wife applying, shall make an order granting permission to make such encumbrance or conveyance of the homestead without the joinder of the other spouse, and the married person who owns the homestead as separate property may then encumber or convey such property without such joinder."

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Section 5. Article 4618, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, is hereby amended so as hereafter to read as follows:

"Article 4618. Sale of Homestead. The homestead, whether the separate property of the husband or wife, or the community property of both, shall not be disposed of except by the joint conveyance of both the husband and wife, except where the husband or wife is insane or has permanently abandoned the other spouse in which case either husband or wife may sell and make title to the homestead, if separate property, in the manner prescribed by law."

Section 6. Article 1984, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended by Acts of 1937, 45th Legislature, Chapter 1984, is hereby amended so as hereafter to read as follows:

"Article 1984. Against Husband and Wife for Necessaries. The husband and wife shall be jointly sued for all debts contracted by the wife or husband for necessities furnished the wife or children."

Section 7. Savings Clause. This act shall apply to conveyances, contracts, and transfers made and, as to the requirement of joinder, to suits filed after the effective date of this act. The repeal or amendment of any statute by this act shall not affect or impair any conveyance, contract, or transfer completed under such statute prior to the effective date of this act; and such statute shall be treated as still remaining in force for the purpose of sustaining any action for the enforcement of any right or obligation or of sustaining a defense to any action arising from any such conveyance, contract or transfer.

Section 8. Repealing Clause. Articles 1298, 1983, and 1985, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925; and Article 4618, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended by Acts of 1937, 46th Legislature, page 3443, chapter 499, section 2, are hereby repealed. All other laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act are repealed or modified to the extent of such conflict only.

Section 9. Effective Date. This act takes effect January 1, 1958.

Section 10. Emergency Clause. The fact that the present law concerning the management, control, and disposition of her separate property by a married woman is unjust to a large number of citizens of this state creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days in each House be suspended, and said rule is hereby suspended.

The amendment was adopted.

(S. B. No. 24 was then passed to third reading.)

SENATE BILL NO. 24 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Hale moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 24 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

[Vote listing Yeas and Nays with names of legislators]
The Chair then laid Senate Bill No. 24 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE
Austin, Texas, May 15, 1957
Hon. Waggoner Carr, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed the following on the local, uncontested calendar:

S. B. No. 307, Providing for registration of automobiles manufactured in 1925 or prior years, or which become 35 or more years old; and declaring an emergency.

S. B. No. 279, Providing that trustees of school districts of 10,000 students or more may provide for late afternoon and evening school programs; making provisions in regard thereto; and declaring emergency.

S. B. No. 234, Providing for the proof of business and official records by the use of photographic copies; and declaring an emergency.

S. B. No. 198, Providing that whenever any land is annexed to or added by Water Control Districts the land to be annexed or added shall be described by metes and bounds or by lot or block number; and declaring an emergency.

S. B. No. 458, Authorizing certain Commissioners Courts to issue bonds and make surveys and plats; and declaring an emergency.

S. B. No. 334, Providing for the salaries of, and fixing maximum compensation for, road superintendents; and declaring an emergency.

Respectfully,

CHARLES SCHNABEL,
Secretary of the Senate.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE
Austin, Texas, May 15, 1957
Hon. Waggoner Carr, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed the following on the local, uncontested calendar:

H. B. No. 622, Authorizing the annexation to certain drainage districts of territory contiguous to same; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 654, Establishing a juvenile board in each of the Counties of Hardin and Tyler; and declaring an emergency.
H. B. No. 662, Establishing the Probate Court of Tarrant County; and declaring an emergency. (With Amendments)

H. B. No. 594, Prescribing certain elections and procedures incidental to election of county school trustees; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 766, Amending and validating Calhoun County Navigation District; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 715, Fixing the maximum salary and providing other compensation for the Court Reporters of the 10th and 58th Judicial District Courts of Galveston County; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 739, Creating a conservation and reclamation district to be known as "Harris County Eastex Oakes Water and Sewer District"; and declaring an emergency. (With Amendments)

Respectfully,

CHARLES SCHNABEL,
Secretary of the Senate.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Austin, Texas, May 16, 1957
Hon. Waggoner Carr, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sirs: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed the following on the local, uncontested calendar:

H. B. 809, Authorizing and directing the Board for Texas Hospitals and Special Schools to execute and deliver to the County of Howard a right-of-way easement and for the construction and maintenance of a Farm-to-Market road for the benefit of Big Spring State Hospital; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. 915, Relating to hunting of squirrel and deer in Angelina and Trinity Counties; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. 916, Eliminates Angelina County from the Act which prohibits the use of nets and seines and regulates the taking of fish in certain counties; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. 917, Relating to independent school districts with scholastic population of sixty thousand; and declaring an emergency.

Respectfully,

CHARLES SCHNABEL,
Secretary of the Senate.

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Austin, Texas, May 16, 1957
Hon. Waggoner Carr, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sirs: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed the following on the local, uncontested calendar:

H. B. 920, Directing the Board for Texas State Hospitals and Schools to execute and deliver to the State Highway Commission a right-of-way easement to certain land in Cameron County; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. 923, Creating a conservation and reclamation district in Bell, Milam and Falls Counties to be known as Pond Creek Watershed Authority; prescribing duties and functions of the District; adopting provisions of the general law; providing a severance clause; and declaring an emergency.
H. B. 924, Relating to deer hunting in Duval County; prescribing an open season; fixing a penalty; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. 930, Providing for creation of County Probation Department in Wichita County; providing for appointment of Chief Probation Officer and Assistant; fixing salaries for personnel; and declaring an emergency. (With Amendments)

H. B. 931, Fixing open and closed seasons for squirrel hunting in Montgomery County; providing penalty; repealing conflicting law; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. 932, Creating a conservation and reclamation district to be known as "Lakeside Water District of Tarrant County"; providing its powers and duties; enacting other provisions relating to the subject; and declaring an emergency.

Respectfully,

CHARLES SCHNABEL,
Secretary of the Senate.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE
Austin, Texas, May 15, 1957

Hon. Waggoner Carr, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed the following on the local, uncontested calendar:

H. B. No. 885, Authorizing and directing the Board of Texas State Hospitals and Special Schools to execute and deliver to the State Highway Commission of Texas a right-of-way easement to certain land in Cherokee County, Texas; declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 891, Relating to the official shorthand reporter of the Sixteenth Judicial District; fixing the maximum and minimum salary and fixing the fee for transcript; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 903, Defining certain words in Article 25, R.C.S., 1923 regarding insurance policies and declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 904, Authorizing certain cities to issue bonds in lieu of voted but unissued bonds of certain water districts annexed and abolished by such cities; repealing laws in conflict; validating proceedings for annexation; containing a savings clause; and declaring an emergency. (With Amendment)

Respectfully,

CHARLES SCHNABEL,
Secretary of the Senate.
The motion prevailed (having received the necessary two-thirds vote).
Mr. Blanchard moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 45 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas - 127

Anderson
Armour
Artwell
Baker
Ballman
Bartram
Base
Bishop
Blaine
Blanchard
Bowers
Boyd
Brademan
Bristow
Bullock
Byrd
Chapman
Chill
Cole
Coley
Conley
Cory
Cotton
Cox
Croschewalt
Darby
de la Garza
Dewey
Duff, Miss
Dugas
Dunn
Ehrle
Elliott
Ellis
Fenoglio
Ferrell
Foreman
Forsyth
Glass
Glasing
Goetz
Green
Hale
Harrington
Heflin
Hollowell
Holman
Holstein

Anderson
Armour
Artwell
Baker
Ballman
Bartram
Base
Bishop
Blaine
Blanchard
Bowers
Boyd
Brademan
Bristow
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Yeas - 133

Anderson
Armour
Artwell
Baker
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Base
Bishop
Blaine
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Nays - 11

Heatly
Hughes of Dallas
Hunter
Jackson
Johnson
Koliba
Porter

Yeas - 11

Kennedy
Bell
Bryan
Burkett
Ford

Yea

Present - Not Voting

Bond
Latimer
Bryant
Spillman
Burtis
Wakeford

Present - Excused

Cloud
Talasek

The Chair then laid Senate Bill No. 45 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas - 133

Anderson
Armour
Artwell
Baker
Ballman
Bartram
Base
Bishop
Blaine
Blanchard
Bowers
Boyd
Brademan
Bristow
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Harrington
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Hollowell
Holman
Holstein

Nays - 11

Heatly
Hughes of Dallas
Hunter
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Porter

Yeas - 11

Kennedy
Bell
Bryan
Burkett
Ford

Yea

Present - Not Voting

Bond
Latimer
Bryant
Spillman
Burtis
Wakeford

Present - Excused

Cloud
Talasek

The Chair then laid Senate Bill No. 45 before the House on third reading and final passage.
On motion of Mr. Blanchard and by unanimous consent of the House, the Caption of Senate Bill No. 45 was ordered amended to conform with the body of the bill.

Mr. Blanchard moved to reconsider the vote by which S. B. No. 45 was passed and to table the motion to reconsider.

The motion to table prevailed.

HOUSE BILL NO. 94 WITH SENATE AMENDMENT

Mr. Winfree called up with Senate Amendment for consideration at this time.

H. B. No. 94, A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Article 4602, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1921, as amended, determining those authorized to celebrate the rites of matrimony; and declaring an emergency.

Mr. Winfree moved that all the necessary Rules be suspended for the purpose of concurring in the Senate Amendment to H. B. No. 94.

The motion prevailed by the following vote (having received the necessary two-thirds vote):

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**TEXT OF SENATE AMENDMENT TO H. B. NO. 94**

Amend House Bill 94 by striking out Section 1 and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"Amend Article 4602. Revised Civil Statutes, of 1925, as amended, so that it will hereafter read as follows:

'Article 4602: Who authorized to celebrate: All licensed or ordained ministers of the gospel, Jewish rabbis, or officers of religious organizations, which officers are duly authorized by the organization to perform marriage ceremonies, judges of the district and county courts, and justices of the peace are authorized to celebrate the rites of matrimony between persons legally authorized to marry.'"
TEXT OF SENATE AMENDMENT TO H. R. NO. 903
Committee Amendment No. 1

Amend H. R. No. 903 by changing the period at the end of Section 2 to a semicolon and adding the following: provided, however, that nothing in this Act shall affect any pending litigation or the legal rights of parties involved in any litigation pending upon the effective date of this Act.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE
Austin, Texas, May 15, 1957

Hon. Waggoner Carr, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

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

H. R. No. 65, Providing local option elections to determine continuance or abolition of a dual school system in each public school district in the State of Texas; and declaring an emergency.

Respectfully,
CHARLES SCHNABEL,
Secretary of the Senate.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE
Austin, Texas, May 15, 1957

Hon. Waggoner Carr, Speaker of the House of Representatives.
Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed the following on the local, uncontested calendar:

H. B. No. 935. Providing for a closed season in Matagorda, Fort Bend, and Brazoria Counties upon wild turkey until April 30, 1953; providing a penalty; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 256. Amending the Insurance Code of Texas: . . . fixing the annual license fee to agents licensed under Article 21.33 at $15 dollars, prescribing the fund into which the license fee shall be placed; etc., and declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 935. Authorizing and directing the execution and delivery of a right-of-way eeminent in Lubbock County, Texas; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 359. Regulating the taking and killing of deer in Upshur and Wood Counties, Texas; providing penalties; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 653. Establishing and providing for a State Mentally Retarded School; regulating and providing for the operation of same; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 498. Providing certain additional exemptions from jury service; and declaring an emergency. (With Amendments).

H. B. No. 389. Providing that it shall be unlawful to kill or take mink in Gregg, and certain other counties; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 76. Directing the State Highway Commission to erect signs on state highways to acquaint motorists with the provisions of this Section, which relates to the overtaking and passing of school buses; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 551. Authorizing Junior College Districts to issue refunding bonds; prescribing the method of issuing such bonds and prescribing certain limitations upon the right to issue them; and declaring an emergency.

Respectfully,
CHARLES SCHNABEL
Secretary of the Senate.

HOUSE BILL NO. 221 WITH SENATE AMENDMENTS

Mr. Hughes of Dallas called up with Senate Amendments for consideration at this time.

H. B. No. 221. An Act providing more adequate means for "Eligible Cities" to prevent contamination of their water supplies and the water of the Trinity River watershed, thus increasing the amount of water available for domestic and municipal use; to obtain more efficient and economical sewage transportation and disposal (including treatment), and to enable such cities to render adequate water and sewer services and to safeguard the public health; defining eligible cities as those situated wholly or partially within the boundaries of Trinity River Authority of Texas; authorizing such cities to make contracts with the Authority for performance of such service, and to make payments thereunder from the revenues of their waterworks or sanitary sewer systems, or both, prescribing alternative procedure for making such contracts, requiring an election in instances where the city's obligation to the Authority is payable wholly or partially from ad valorem taxes; prescribing further duties of eligible cities after making such contracts; requiring the Attorney General to examine such contracts and prescribing the effect of his approval; ratifying contracts between the Authority and eligible cities, heretofore made; prescribing a severability clause; enacting other provisions related to the subject; and declaring an emergency.

Mr. Hughes of Dallas moved that all necessary rules be suspended for the purpose of considering the Senate Amendments to H. B. No. 221. The motion prevailed by the following vote (having received the necessary two-thirds vote):

Yeas—138
Anderson
Blaine
Armour
Bowers
Atwell
Boyce
Baker
Brubaker
Balloun
Bristow
Bartram
Bryan
Bass
Mullock
Bell
Burkett
Bishop
Byrd
Mr. Sanders moved to reconsider the vote by which the motion to reconsider the motion to table the motion to reconsider the vote by which the motion to reconsider the motion to table the motion to reconsider the motion to table the motion to reconsider the motion to table prevailed.

The motion to table prevailed.

TEXT OF SENATE AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 221

Amend House Bill 221 by striking out the caption and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

An Act providing more adequate means for "Eligible Cities" to prevent contamination of their water supplies and the water within the boundaries of Trinity River Authority of Texas, thus increasing the amount of water available for domestic and municipal use; to obtain more efficient and economical sewage transportation and disposal (including treatment), and to enable such cities to render adequate water and sewer service and to safeguard the public health; defining eligible cities as those situated wholly or partially within the boundaries of Trinity River Authority of Texas; authorizing such cities to make contracts with the Authority for performance of such services, and to make payments thereunder from the revenues of their waterworks or sanitary sewer systems, or both, prescribing alternative procedure for making such contracts, requiring an election in Instances where the city's obligation to the Authority is payable wholly or partially from ad valorem taxes; prescribing further duties of eligible cities and resultant rights and obligations of the Authority after making such contracts; requiring the Attorney General to examine such contracts and prescribing the effect of his approval; ratifying contracts be-
Amend House Bill 221 by striking out all below the enacting clause and substituting in lieu thereof the follow­ing:

Whereas, it is in the public interest that more adequate means be pro­vided to cities for preventing con­tamination of their water supplies and the water within the boundaries of the Trinity River Authority of Texas, thereby greatly increasing the amount of water available for domestic and municipal use, and increasing the efficiency and economy of the treat­ment of water for municipal use and in the transportation, treatment and disposal of municipal sewage, thus enabling Eligible Cities, as defined herein, to render adequate sanitary sewer service for themselves and their inhabitants and to safeguard the public health, all as com­prised by this Act; and

Whereas, It is important that such cities be enabled to attain such services without the necessity of making capital investments. In expen­diture of transportation, treatment and disposal plant and equipment;

Section 1. Each city or town which is situated wholly or partly within the boundaries of Trinity River Author­ity, created by Chapter 518, Acts of the Regular Session of the 54th Legislature, and any amend­ments thereto, (hereinafter called the “Authority”) is an “Eligible City” within the meaning of this Act.

Section 2. An Eligible City, pur­suant to an ordinance passed by its governing body, is hereby authorized to make a contract with the Authority under which the Authority will make available to and provide for the Eligible City, sewage transportation and disposal (including treatment) services or any one or all of such services, and when prescribed therein, provi­sion for standby service. Such con­tract may be upon such terms and for such period of time as the parties may agree, and may provide that it will remain in effect until the bonds issued by the Authority as mentioned therein and refunding bonds issued in lieu thereof, are paid. Such City shall have the right to the continued performance of such services after the amortization of the Authority’s investment in such facilities during the useful life thereof, upon payment of charges reduced to take into con­sideration such amortization.

The revenues received by the Authority from the participating Eligible Cities shall be used only (1) for payment of principal of and interest on, and to provide reserves created for, the bonds to be issued by Authority to finance such trans­portation, disposal (including treat­ment) facilities, and (2) to pay the operation and maintenance expenses (including within the meaning of the term, legal, administrative and man­agement supervision fees and ex­penses) in connection therewith; pro­vided that such part of any surplus accumulated for the benefit of a partic­i­pating Eligible City, as may be pre­scribed in contract between such city and the Authority, may be expended by the Authority for enlargements and betterments of Authority’s facilities which are used to serve, especial­ly, such city.

In consideration of payments made by an Eligible City under such con­tract, and the services performed by the Authority the Authority shall become the owner of sewage accepted by it for transportation and treatment and shall be solely responsible for the proper treatment and disposal of such sewage and the operation and maintenance thereof, and shall be entitled to any rights in, nor shall it be liable for any improper treatment or disposal of, such sewage or effluent.

Section 3. Payments by such city to the Authority shall be made from the City’s waterworks system or its sanitary sewer system or of its combined water and sanitary sewer system, as prescribed in the contract between such city and the Authority, and shall constitute an operating expense of the system or systems whose revenues are thus pledged. Unless the alternative pro­cedure prescribed in Section 4 is fol­lowed, neither the Authority nor the holder of any bonds of the Author­ity shall have the right to demand payment of the city’s obligation out of any funds raised or to be raised by taxation.

Section 4: (a) If an election is held and carried substantially according to...
the procedure prescribed in Chapter 1, Title 22 of the Revised Civil Statutes, as amended, in reference to the issuance of bonds by cities, determining that the governing body of the city is authorized to execute the proposed contract for sewage transportation and disposal (including treatment) or for any of such services, and to levy ad valorem taxes to pay such obligation to the Authority, whether or not the city's obligation is to be credited with application of certain revenues of such system or systems, the contract, In such an event, will constitute an obligation against the taxing power of such city, but may be payable both from taxes and such revenues, as may be prescribed in the contract.

(b) Only qualified electors of the city who own taxable property therein and who have duly rendered the same for taxation shall be entitled to vote at such election. Except as otherwise provided in this Section and in such Chapter 1, Title 22 of the Revised Civil Statutes as amended, the general election laws shall govern such election.

(c) If a majority of the votes cast at said election are in favor of the proposition the governing body shall pass an ordinance prescribing the form and substance of the contract, and directing the proper officers of the city to sign it.

Section 5. Whenever any such city shall have executed a contract with the Authority involving the performance of such duties by the Authority, if the payments thereunder are to be made either wholly or partly from the revenues of the City's waterworks system or sanitary sewer system or from both systems or a combination of both systems, the city is hereby imposed on such city and it is hereby authorized to establish and maintain and from time to time to adjust the rates charged by the city for the services of such system or systems, to the end that the revenues therefrom will be sufficient at all times to pay: the expense of operation and maintenance such system in accordance with current standards and requirements for preventing stream pollution; the city's obligations to the Authority under such contract; and all of such city's obligations under and in connection with revenue bonds therefore issued, or which may be issued thereafter for such system or systems. Any such city may charge the users of the system or systems whose revenues are to be used in paying the city's obligation under the contract rates sufficient to pay such obligation of the city. Any such contract may require the use of consulting engineers and financial experts to advise the city whether and when such service rates are to be adjusted.

Section 6. Any such contract between the Authority and such city may provide for services to be rendered concurrently by the Authority to more than one city through the construction and operation of a multiple city system or plant, the cost for such services to be allocated among the several cities as determined in such contract or group of contracts. It is expressly provided and recognized that all of the compensation to be received by, and all of the security pledged to the Authority by such city and all such cities will be available to the Authority as security for the bonds it will issue to provide necessary construction funds. Any such contract, if to be used by the Authority, as security for Authority's bonds, issued to finance its plant and facilities, must be submitted by Authority to the Attorney General for examination, and when such bonds and contract have been approved by the Attorney General, such contract thereafter shall be incontestable.

Section 7. All contracts herefore executed by and between Cities and the Authority, pursuant to ordinances passed respectively by the governing bodies thereof and pursuant to action of the Board of Directors of the Authority obligating the Authority to render service which includes transportation and disposal (including treatment) of sanitary sewage or any or all of such services, and obligating the city to pay for such services out of its waterworks system revenues or sanitary sewer system revenues, or a combination of its water and sanitary sewer system revenues, are hereby validated. Any such contract for which a tax was levied, when an election has been held resulting favorably to the execution of such contract, including the obligation to make payments from ad valorem taxes, is hereby validated.
Section 8. The provisions of this Act are severable. If any provision of this Act or the application thereof to any person or circumstance shall be held to be invalid or unconstitutional, the remainder of the Act and the application of such provision to other persons or circumstances shall not be affected thereby.

Section 9. The facts that immediate steps should be taken to prevent further pollution of the fresh water supply in the watershed of the Trinity River, and that within the area thereof in which the Trinity River Authority may operate under existing law, cities eligible heretofore should be enabled to obtain the benefits of central sewage transportation and disposal facilities (including treatment), or of any or all thereof, without making capital expenditures, create an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days in each House be suspended, and such rule is hereby suspended, and that this Act take effect and be in force from its passage, and it is so enacted.

Committee Amendment No. 3
Amend Committee Amendment, House Bill No. 221 by striking out all "Whereas" clauses immediately preceding Section 1 of said bill.

Committee Amendment No. 4
Amend House Bill No. 221 by adding a new paragraph at the end of Section 2 of said bill to read as follows:

No city shall be entitled to credit of any type either in the exchange of water, money or other consideration for any effluent delivered to the Authority, and no such exchange or sale can be made a condition to any contract hereunder.

SENATE BILL NO. 53 ON THIRD READING
Mr. Wilson of Potter moved that the Constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 53 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas--126

Anderson
Armour
Atwell
Baker
Barron
Baxby
Ball
Bishop
Blain
Blanchard
Bowers
Boyer
Bradsher
Bratow
Bryan
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MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE
Austin, Texas, May 15, 1957
Hon. Waggoner Carr, Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed the following Local and Uncontested Calendar:

H. B. No. 711, Providing an open season in Wood County for hunting and killing wild pheasants; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 877, Raising the Minimum and Maximum salaries of the secretary or stenographer of the County Judge in counties having a population of fifty thousand and one (50,001) and not more than one hundred thousand (100,000) inhabitants; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 414, Providing for the withdrawal of shares and share accounts of building and loan associations by trustees, beneficiaries, and minors in certain instances; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 539, Providing that it shall be unlawful to sell or offer for sale, any rat poison, or any other preparation which contains thallium sulphate or any other thallium compound, in sufficient quantity to be dangerous to the health or life of a human being; and declaring an emergency.

Respectfully,

CHARLES SCHNABEL,
Secretary of the Senate.

SENATE BILL NO. 55 ON SECOND READING

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Cotton offered the following amendment to the bill:

Add a new section to be known as Section 2.

"Provided that the provisions of this act shall not be applicable if the publisher charges a fee for the publication required."

Mr. Tunnell raised a point of order on further consideration of the amendment by Mr. Cotton on the ground that it is not germane to the bill.

The Chair overruled the point of order.

Mr. Lee moved to table the amendment by Mr. Cotton.

A record vote was requested on the motion to table.

The motion to table prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—69

Nays—90

The bill was laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading.

S. B. No. 55, Dealing with the duties of public officers in regard to the publication of statements and notices required or authorized by law, providing for forfeiture of salary and removal from office for violation thereof; and declaring an emergency.
A record vote was requested on the passage of S. B. No. 55 to third reading.

Senate Bill No. 55 failed to pass to third reading by the following vote:

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Mr. Cotten moved to reconsider the vote by which S. B. No. 55 failed to pass to third reading and to table the motion to reconsider.

The motion to table prevailed.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE
Austin, Texas, May 15, 1957
Hon. Waggoner Carr, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed the following on the local and uncontested calendar:

H. C. R. No. 39, Granting Duval, Sulphur and Potash Company permission to sue the State of Texas.

H. C. R. No. 64, Granting R. Olsen Oil Company permission to sue the State.

C. S. for H. C. R. No. 78, Requesting the Texas Legislative Council to undertake management studies of the Office of the Comptroller of Public Accounts and the Office of the State Treasurer to the end that they may function more efficiently. Committee Substitute.

H. C. R. No. 78, Granting Albert C. Mueller and wife, permission to sue the State.

H. C. R. No. 82, Granting permission to W. A. Mason to sue the State of Texas.

H. C. R. No. 88, Granting permission to C. B. McIver and wife to sue the State of Texas and the State Highway Department.

H. C. R. No. 94, Granting permission to Ethel G. Chapin to bring suit against the State of Texas.
H. C. R. No. 97, Granting Center Land Company, Inc., permission to sue the State of Texas. (With Amendments.)

Respectfully,

CHARLES SCHNABEL,
Secretary of the Senate.

RECESS

Mr. Schwartz of Galveston moved that the House adjourn until 10:00 o’clock a. m. tomorrow.

Mr. Roberts moved that the House recess until 3:00 o’clock p. m. today.

Mr. Kennedy moved that the House recess until 2:30 o’clock p. m. today.

Mr. Hosey moved that the House adjourn until 10:30 o’clock a. m. next Monday.

Mr. Heady raised a point of order on further consideration of the motion by Mr. Hosey at this time on the ground that it is not in order for the House to adjourn until next Monday without the consent of the Senate and that such has not been granted.

The Chair sustained the point of order.

The motion to adjourn until 10:30 o’clock a. m. tomorrow was lost.

The motion to recess until 3:00 o’clock p. m. today prevailed.

The House accordingly, at 12:50 o’clock p. m. took recess until 3:00 o’clock p. m. today.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The House met at 3:00 o’clock p. m. and was called to order by Honorable Reagan R. Huffman.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE GRANTED

The following Member was granted leave of absence for this afternoon on account of important business:

Mr. de la Garza on motion of Mr. Pipkin.

SENATE BILLS ON FIRST READING

The following Senate Bills received from the Senate were today laid before the House read severally first time and referred to the appropriate Committees, as follows:

S. B. No. 198 to the Committee on Conservation and Reclamation.

S. B. No. 234 to the Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. No. 307 to the Committee on Highways and Roads.

S. B. No. 334 to the Committee on Counties.

S. B. No. 458 to the Committee on Counties.

S. B. No. 279 to the Committee on School Districts.

S. B. No. 236 to the Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. No. 239 to the Committee on Public Health.

S. B. No. 76 to the Committee on Judiciary.

APPOINTMENTS ON STANDING COMMITTEES

Speaker Carr requested unanimous consent of the House that the Honorable George Goetz be appointed to the same Standing Committees of the House to which Honorable Charles Heitman, deceased, was assigned.

There was no objection offered and it was so ordered.

The Speaker announced the appointment of the following Committee assignments:

Claims and Accounts: Mr. Goetz.

Common Carriers: Mr. Goetz.

Labor: Mr. Goetz.

Penitentiaries: Mr. Goetz.

Public Printing: Mr. Goetz.

TO GRANT JOHN E. CANNON AND WIFE PERMISSION TO SU$ THE STATE

Whereas, John E. Cannon and wife, Nancy Ellen Cannon have al-
Whereas, the parties contend that the State or of any fact is made in the suit that the facts upon which they seek to recover compensation to the suit shall have the right to appeal as in any other civil case, and be it further resolved.

Resolved, That the sole purpose of this resolution is to grant permission to the above-named John E. Cannon and wife, Nancy Ellen Cannon, to bring suit against the State of Texas, and to admission of liability of the State or of any fact is made in any way by the passage of this resolution, and it is specifically provided that the facts upon which they seek to recover must be proved in court as in other civil cases.

The resolution was referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

TO GRANT HOUSTON TURNER PERMISSION TO SUIT THE STATE

The Chair laid before the House for consideration at this time, May 15, 1957

The resolution

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The resolution was referred to the Committee on State Affairs.
time prior to and subsequent to this resolution; and be it further
Resolved, That service of citation and other legal process shall be
served upon both the Chairman of the State Highway Commission and
upon the Attorney General of the State of Texas. Service of process
upon these two officers shall have the same force and effect as the
service of process upon a defendant in any other civil case, according to
the Rules of Civil Procedure as promulgated and adopted by the
Supreme Court of Texas; and be it further.
Resolved, That any party to the suit shall have the right of appeal
as is provided for in other civil cases; and, be it further.
Resolved, That the sole purpose of this resolution is to grant permis­
sion to the said Houston Turner, to bring suit against the State of Texas.
No admission of liability or of any fact is made in any way by the pas­
 sage of this resolution; but on the contrary, it is specifically provided
that the facts upon which the said Houston Turner seeks to recover must
be proved in court as in other civil cases; and be it further.
Resolved, That any and all defenses which the State of Texas may
have shall be pleaded by the State, and none of the defenses which the
State of Texas may have are in any way affected by the passage of this
resolution.

The resolution was referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

TO GRANT PERRIN COTTER
PERMISSION TO SUE THE STATE

The Chair said before the House for consideration at this time,
S. C. R. No. 17

Whereas, Article 3, Section 51c, of the Constitution of the State of
Texas authorizes the Legislature, under such regulations and limita­
tions as the Legislature may deem expedient, to grant aid and com­
 pensation to any person who has heretofore served a sentence in pri­
sion under the laws of this State for an offense for which he is not
guilty; and

Whereas, There is no machinery set up by the laws of the State of
Resolution, and it is specifically provided that the facts upon which he seeks to recover must be proved in court as in other civil cases.

The resolution was referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

RELATIVE TO CONSIDERING HOUSE BILL NO. 299 AT ANY TIME

Mr. Byrd offered the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 111

Be it Resolved, by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, That the House and Senate may take up and consider at any time House Bill 299.

The resolution was adopted.

Mr. Hughes of Dallas moved to reconsider the vote by which H. C. R. No. 111 was adopted and to table the motion to reconsider.

The motion to table prevailed.

HOUSE BILL NO. 739 WITH SENATE AMENDMENT

Mr. Elliott called up Senate Amendment for consideration at this time,

H. B. No. 739. A bill to be entitled "An Act creating a conservation and reclamation district under the provisions of Section 59, Article 16, of the Texas Constitution, to be known as "Harris County Eastern Oaks Water and Sewer District"; defining the boundaries of the District; conferring upon the District the rights, powers, privileges and duties of the General Laws of Texas governing water control and improvement district where not in conflict with this Act; providing for the governing body of the District; providing for the issuance of negotiable interest bearing bonds and refunding bonds secured by ad valorem taxes, net revenues or by both ad valorem taxes and net revenues; providing for bonds to be approved by the Attorney General of Texas and registered by the Comptroller of Public Accounts of Texas and providing for incontestability and negotiability of such bonds and refunding bonds; adopting the ad valorem plan of taxation for said District; making bonds of the District eligible for investments, and exempting the property of the District and the bonds of the District from taxation; providing certain matters pertaining to eminent domain; authorizing contracts for purchase of water or water supply; finding the benefits to land and property in the District; enacting other provisions related to the subject; providing a severability clause; and declaring an emergency."

Mr. Elliott moved that all the necessary Rules be suspended for the purpose of concurring in the Senate Amendment to H. B. No. 739.

The motion prevailed by the following vote (having received the necessary two-thirds vote):

Yeas—122

Anderson  Hollowell
    Armor   Holman
    Atwall  Holstete
    Ballman  Hooks
    Bertram  Hosier
    Bell    Hubner
    Bishop  Hoffman
    Blaine  Hurfer
    Blanchard  Hughes of Grayson
    Bowes   Hughes of Dallas
    Boyken  Hutchins
    Brashear  Iasaacs, Miss
    Briscoe  Jackson
    Bullock  Jamison
    Byrd    Johnson
    Chapman  Jones
    Cloud   Joseph
    Cole    Kennedy
    Coley   Kilpatrick
    Conley  Kolba
    Cory   Keltch
    Culson  Kothmann
    Cowen   Latimer
    Cox    Laurel
    Crockett  McCoppin
    Day     McDonald
    Dewey   McGregor
    Duff, Miss  McPherson
    Dupas  of El Paso
    Long     Delashaw
    Dunigan  Sisley
    Elliott  Vance
    Farrel  Martin
    Ford    Matthews
    Foreman  McKinnon
    Foreyth  Moore of Harris
    France  Moore of Tarrant
    Gladding  Mullens
    Green   Murray
    Haie    Murlis
    Harrington  Oliver
    Hasty   Ochorn
    Heffin  Patterson
    Phipps
TEXT OF SENATE AMENDMENT  
TO H. B. NO. 739  
Committee Amendment No. 1

Amend H. B. No. 739 by striking out the last sentence of Section 6, changing the period at the end of the first sentence in such Section to a semicolon and adding the following:

provided, however, that before the provisions of this Act shall become effective it shall be necessary that the creation of such district be confirmed by an election to be held in the area described herein under the terms and provisions of the General Law regarding the creation of such districts.

COMMITTEE MEETING

Mr. Cory asked unanimous consent of the House that the Committee on

Rules be permitted to meet at this time.

There was no objection offered.

HOUSE BILL NO. 836 WITH
SENATE AMENDMENTS

Mr. Elliott called up with Senate Amendments for consideration at this time.

H. B. No. 836. A bill to be entitled "An Act regulating fishing and shrimping in the waters of Galveston Bay and Trinity Bay lying within Chambers and Harris Counties, Texas, north of a line extending from Eagle Point to Smith Point; fixing a penalty for the violation of any provision of this Act; providing for a saving clause; repealing all other laws and parts of laws in conflict; and declaring an emergency."

Mr. Elliott moved that all the necessary Rules be suspended for the purpose of considering in the Senate Amendments to H. B. No. 836.

The motion prevailed by the following vote (having received the necessary two-thirds vote):

Yeas—123

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TEXT OF SENATE AMENDMENTS TO H. B. NO. 289

Senate Amendment No. 1
Amend H. B. No. 289, Section 1, by changing the comma at the end of the word “build” in the second sentence to a period and striking out the remaining portion of the sentence.

Adopted, May 14, 1957.

Senate Amendment No. 2
Amend caption to conform to body of bill.

Adopted, May 14, 1957.

H. B. No. 289, A bill to be entitled “An Act requiring the filing of subdivision plats and the recording of same and authorizing the Commissioners Court of any county having a population of not more than one hundred thousand ($100,000), according to the last preceding Federal Census, to regulate the construction of roads and streets in subdivisions situated outside of the boundaries of incorporated towns or cities; authorizing such Court to require minimum right-of-way for such roads or streets and to require minimum roadway; authorizing such Courts to promulgate reasonable specifications for the construction of such roads or streets and drainage of such roads or streets; authorizing such Courts to require a bond for the proper construction of such roads or streets; authorizing such Courts to refuse to approve or authorize maps or plats of subdivisions upon failure to comply with the provisions of this Act; repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict with the provisions of this Act; providing a saving clause; and declaring an emergency.”

Mr. Dugas called up with Senate Amendments for consideration at this time.

H. B. No. 289, as amended, was read and passed without change.

Mr. Dugas moved that all the necessary Rules be suspended for the purpose of concurring in the Senate Amendments to H. B. No. 289.

The motion prevailed by the following vote (having received the necessary two-thirds vote):
TEXT OF SENATE AMENDMENTS TO H. B. NO. 289

Senate Amendment No. 1
Amend House Bill 289, page 1, line 47 by inserting the following between words "and" and "streets": "for the purpose of laying out.

Adopted, May 14, 1957.

Senate Amendment No. 2
Amend House Bill 289, Section 1, line 51 of the printed bill, by deleting the comma after the word "addition" and adding the following:

"by metes and bounds and locate the same with respect to an original corner of the original survey of which it is a part,"

Adopted, May 14, 1957.

Senate Amendment No. 3
Amend House Bill 289, Section 1, by substituting a comma for a period at the end of said section and adding the following:

"provided, however, that no plat of any subdivision or any tract or any addition shall be recorded unless the same shall accurately describe all of said subdivision or addition by metes and bounds and locate the same with respect to an original corner of the original survey of which it is a part giving the dimensions thereof of said subdivision or addition, and dimensions of all streets, avenues, squares,
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parks or other portions of same intended to be dedicated to public use, or for the use of purchasers or owners of lots fronting thereon or adjacent thereto."

Adopted, May 14, 1957.

Senate Amendment No. 4

Amend caption to conform to body of bill.

Adopted, May 14, 1957.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Austin, Texas, May 15, 1957

Hon. Waggoner Carr, Speaker of the
House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed the following on the local and uncontested calendar:

S. B. No. 263, Amending the Insurance Code to provide that if any insurance company is insolvent and any manager, officer or director with knowledge of such insolvency receives, assents to or permits premiums of insurance of any kind or character to be charged or collected or who with knowledge of such insolvency makes or assents to further insurance, he shall be personally liable for any loss on such insurance; and declaring an emergency.

S. C. R. No. 52, Requesting the Texas Legislative Council to make a study concerning all physically handicapped persons in Texas, as to the number of such persons, treatment facilities available and possibilities for their vocational training or rehabilitation.

S. C. R. No. 92, Urging Congress to enact legislation providing for judicial review embodied in S. 1829.

Respectfully,

CHARLES SCHNABEL,
Secretary of the Senate.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Austin, Texas, May 15, 1957

Hon. Waggoner Carr, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed the following on the local and uncontested calendar:

S. B. No. 470, Authorizing the Board of Directors of Texas Technological College to rent or lease not to exceed four acres, a part of the campus and a building, to the City of Lubbock for the sole purpose of maintaining a history and art museum for a sum of money to be determined by the Board of Directors; and declaring an emergency.

S. B. No. 479, Pertaining to the dentistry and the Board of Dental Examiners; and declaring an emergency.

Respectfully,

CHARLES SCHNABEL,
Secretary of the Senate.

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S. B. No. 333, Requiring storage garages and other similar businesses to report the identity of motor vehicles remaining in storage more than thirty days where there is not a continuing contract or agreement for storage; and declaring an emergency.

S. B. No. 394, Permitting the Assessor-Collector of Taxes of each county, and the Sheriff who also performs the duties of Assessor-Collector of Taxes in certain counties, to attend one professional confer-
Whereas, The 56th Legislature desires to promote the modernization of State fiscal operations; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, By the House of Representatives of the State of Texas, the Senate concurring, That the Texas Research League be requested to provide the Legislature with comprehensive information and recommendations concerning the fiscal aspects of the State government as a whole; and be it further

Resolved, That, in performance of this objective, the Research League

Whereas, Among the primary developments of the State government are the direction and control of the policies of the State government; and it's fiscal administration, record keeping, central accounting, payroll preparation, and disbursement of public money is long overdue; and

Whereas, The people of Texas are entitled to expect that their State government will operate according to the best modern developments in public fiscal administration; and

...
The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—117

Anderson
Armer
Atwell
Baker
Ballman
Bartram
Bell
Blanchard
Bowers
Byrd
Chapman
Cloud
Cline
Cloud
Coley
Conley
Cox
Crawford
Day
Day
Dewey
Doff, Miss
Dugan
Ehle
Elliott
Ellis
Ewington
Farrill
Ford
Forrest
Forsyth
Glass
Glusing
Goetz
Hale
Harrington
Hastly
Hedlin
Hobbswell
Holman
House
Huskriner
Hudlar
Hughes of Dallas
Inatuka, Miss
Jackson
Johnson
Joseph
Kelly
Kennard
Kilpatrick
Kolb
Koroth
Kohmann
Welch
Winfrey
Wheeler
White
Yenak
Wilson of Young
Zbranek
Wilson of Porter

Nays—11

Blaine
Boyd
Bromley
Cotten
Cowen
Hoftstein

In The Chair

Huffman

Present—Not Voting

Bristow
Roberts

Absent

Bass
Bryan
Burlock
Burkett
Green
Higden of Grayson
Hutcheson

Absent—Excused

de la Garza
Talasek
Hensley

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 155, Fixing penalties for the failure to pay losses under life, health, and accident policies, and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Sandahl offered the following Committee Amendment to the bill:

Committee Amendment No. 1
To S. B. 155

Amend Senate Bill 155 by striking out Section 1 and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Section 1. In all cases where a loss occurs and the general casualty company, local mutual aid associations, statewide mutual assignment company, mutual liability company, Lloyds organization, reciprocal exchange, and/or corporation operating a non-profit hospital service plan under authority of Chap-
ter 28, Texas Insurance Code, liable therefor under a life health or accident policy issued by any such insurer shall fail to pay the same within sixty days after demand therefor, such insurer shall be liable to pay the holder of such policy, in addition to the amount of the loss, twenty-five (25%) percent damages on the amount of such loss, together with reasonable attorney fees for the prosecution and collection of such loss. Such attorney fees shall be taxed as a part of the costs in the case. The court in fixing such fees shall take into consideration all benefits to the insured incidental to the prosecution of the suit, accrued and to accrue on account of such policy.

Provided however, where for any reason the holder of said policy is unable to furnish the insurer a certified copy of the death certificate of the insured within the sixty day period, then the provisions of this Act relating to attorney's fees shall not apply.

Mr. Sandahl offered the following amendment to the Committee Amendment:

Amend Committee amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 155 by deleting the word "demand" on line 61 of the printed bill and inserting in lieu thereof the following words "filing written proof of loss".

The amendment to Committee Amendment No. 1 was adopted.

Mr. Blaine offered the following amendment to the Committee Amendment:

Amend Senate Bill 155, Section 1, lines 4 and 5, by striking out the following:

"and/or corporation operating a non-profit hospital service plan under authority of Chapter 28, Texas Insurance Code."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Talasek offered the following amendment to the Committee Amendment No. 1:

Amend Senate Bill 155, Section 1, line 2 and 3, by striking out the following:

"statewide mutual assessment company"

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. McGregor of McLennan offered the following amendment to the Committee Amendment:

Amend Committee Amendment No. 1 to S. B. 155 by adding the following words after the comma following the word "health" on line 3 of Section 1, "title insurance."

Mr. Sandahl raised a point of order on further consideration of the amendment by Mr. McGregor of McLennan at this time on the ground that it is not germane to the body of the bill.

The Chair overruled the point of order.

The amendment by Mr. McGregor of McLennan was lost.

Committee Amendment No. 1 as amended was adopted.

S. B. No. 155 was then passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 155 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Sandahl moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 155 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—104

Andersd  Anderson
Armbr  Armbr
Atwell  Atwell
Barram  Barram
Bell  Bell
Bishop  Bishop
Bixler  Bixler
Bowers  Bowers
Brasham  Brasham
Byrd  Byrd
Harpman  Harpman
Cline  Cline
Cole  Cole
Coley  Coley
Conley  Conley
Cox  Cox
Crathwait  Crathwait
Crosthwait  Crosthwait
Day  Day
Duff, Miss  Duff, Miss
Dugan  Dugan
Ehrle  Ehrle
Hughes of Grayson  Hughes of Grayson
Hughes of Dallas  Hughes of Dallas
Isaacks, Miss  Isaacks, Miss
Jackson  Jackson
The Chair then laid Senate Bill No. 155 before the House on third reading and final passage. The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—118
Anderson
Hughes of Grayson
Armour
Hughes of Dallas
Atwell
Jones of Galveston
Baker
Jackson
Bartram
Jamison
Bass
Johnson
Bell
Jones
Bishop
Joseph
Blythe
Kelly
Bland
Kennard
Bowers
Kennedy
Brainard
Kilpatrick
Braddock
Kilpatrick
Byrd
Koroth
Chapman
Kothmann
Chiles
Latimer
Cloud
Laurel
Cole
McCoplin
Coley
McGregor
Cooley
McGregor
Cotenant
McGregor
Cox
of El Paso
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Doerr, Miss
Mays
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Moore of Tarrant
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Parsons
Foreman
Paris
Forsyth
Patterson
Glenn
Patterson
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Patterson
Gohr
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Green
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Richardson
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Nays—14
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In The Chair
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On motion of Mr. Sandahl and by unanimous consent of the House, the Captian of Senate Bill No. 156 was ordered amended to conform with the body of the bill.

Mr. Sandahl moved to reconsider the vote by which S. B. No. 156 was passed and to table the motion to reconsider.

The motion to table prevailed.

Mr. Moore of Harris offered the following Committee Amendment to the bill:

House Committee Amendment No. 1
To Senate Bill No. 447

Amend Senate Bill No. 447 by striking out Section 1 and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Section 1. The Election Code of the State of Texas is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section, designated as Section 186a, reading as follows: "186a. Assessment of candidates in counties of 800,000 or more inhabitants.

"Candidates for any precinct, county or district office and the office of congress in counties which have a population of eight hundred thousand (800,000) or more, according to the last preceding federal census, except candidates for the State Legislature or the State Board of Education, shall not be required to pay a sum in excess of ten per cent (10%) of one year's salary for offices of two-year terms and 20%, for offices of four-year terms to have their names placed upon the ballot in a primary election. Candidates for the State Board of Education shall not be required to pay a sum in excess of the amount stated in Section 186 of this Code.

"Notwithstanding other provisions of law, the county executive committee in any county which has a population of eight hundred thousand (800,000) or more, according to the last preceding federal census, may require candidates for State Senator or State Representative to pay an amount not exceeding Three Hundred Dollars for the purpose of taking up and considering at this time, Senate Bill No. 447.

The motion prevailed by the necessary two-thirds vote.

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 447, Limiting the filing fee of candidates in counties of 800,000 or more, to a sum not to exceed five percent of one year's salary; and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read second time.

(Speaker in the Chair.)

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SECOND READING

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The amendment was adopted.

SENATE BILL NO. 447 was then passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 447 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Moore of Harris moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 447 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—109

Nays—7

Present—Not Voting


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Nays—7

Present—Not Voting

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The Speaker then laid Senate Bill No. 447 before the House on third reading and final passage. The bill was read third time and was passed.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Austin, Texas, May 16, 1967
Hon. Waggoner Carr, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

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

H. C. R. No. 110, Authorizing both Houses to take up and consider at any time, House Bill No. 567 which is the Universal Hunting License Bill for the benefit of the State Game and Fish Commission of the State of Texas.

H. B. No. 376, Relating to gifts of securities and money to minors and to make uniform the law with reference thereto; citing the "Texas Uniform Gifts to Minors Act"; and declaring an emergency.

H. B. No. 448, Requiring Commissioners Courts to provide suitable jails in their respective counties; defining the term "suitable jails"; and declaring an emergency.

Respectfully,

CHARLES SCHNABEL,
Secretary of the Senate.

SENATE BILL NO. 323 ON SECOND READING

Mr. Schwartz of Washington moved that all the necessary rules be suspended for the purpose of taking up and considering at this time Senate Bill No. 323.

There was no objection offered and it was so ordered.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

H. B. No. 323, Requiring a permit for selling certain copyrighted musical compositions; and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 323 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Schwartz of Washington moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 323 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas-110

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Nays-99

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Absent—Excused

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The Speaker then laid Senate Bill No. 447 before the House on third reading and final passage. The bill was read third time and was passed.
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The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

**Yeas—121**

The Speaker announced the appointment of the following Conference Committee on the part of the House on H. B. No. 10:


**MOTION TO RECESS**

Mr. Baker moved that the House recess until 7:30 o'clock p.m. today.

The motion was lost.

**SENATE BILL NO. 457 SET AS SPECIAL ORDER**

Mr. Foreman moved to set S. B. No. 457 as a Special Order for 10:30 o'clock a.m. tomorrow.

The motion prevailed.

**MOTION TO RECESS**

Mr. Cotton moved that the House recess until 10:30 o'clock a.m. tomorrow.

The motion was lost.

**MOTION TO PLACE SENATE BILL NO. 387 ON SECOND READING**

Mr. Hale moved that all the necessary rules be suspended for the purpose of taking up and considering at this time, Senate Bill No. 387.

The motion was lost, not receiving the necessary two-thirds vote, by the following vote:

**Yeas—78**

Anderson Baker Ballman Bass Briscoe Byrd Chapman Clax Cloud

**Nays—55**


Mr. Foreman moved that all the necessary rules be suspended for the purpose of taking up and considering at this time, Senate Bill No. 387.

The motion was lost, not receiving the necessary two-thirds vote, by the following vote:

**Yeas—78**

Anderson Baker Ballman Bass Briscoe Byrd Chapman Clax Cloud
Mr. Oliver moved to reconsider the vote by which H. B. No. 907 was passed and to table the motion to reconsider.

The motion to table prevailed.

REASON FOR VOTE ON H. B. 907
I voted "no" on final passage of H. B. No. 907. I oppose increases in resident hunting licenses when proposed without justification.

HERMAN YEZAK.

The Speaker signed in the presence of the House after giving due notice thereof and their captions had been read severally the following enrolled bills and resolutions:

S. B. No. 93, An Act authorizing the Board of Directors of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas to acquire by purchase in the name of the State of Texas, for the use and benefit of the Texas Forest Service, and to improve the same, a sufficient quantity of land suitable for the operation therein of a forest tree seedling nursery in the reforestation program of the Texas Forest Service and for the production of other forest products; providing that not more than four hundred acres of land may be purchased under the terms of this Act; and declaring an emergency.

S. B. No. 128, An Act declaring it to be illegal to divert waters released from storage and designated for downstream users; authorizing the Board of Water Engineers to promulgate and enforce rules and orders to effectuate the provisions of this Act; providing for the manner of adopting such rules and orders; authorizing appeals from Board rules and orders; providing that the vested rights shall not be affected; providing that pending litigation shall not be affected; providing for penalties for violations; providing a saving clause; and declaring an emergency.

S. C. R. No. 90, Changing the effective date of S. B. No. 263.


H. J. R. No. 30, Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of Texas to require that vacancies in the office of County Judge and J ustices of the Peace be filled by the Commissioners Court only until next General Election.

H. J. R. No. 37, Proposing an amendment to Sub-section (a) of Section 42, Article XVI of the Con-
situation of Texas, relating to establishment of a retirement, disability and death compensation fund for officers and employees of the State.

H. B. No. 721, An Act making it unlawful, except under the provisions of this Act for any person to hunt, take, kill, or possess any game bird or game animal in Comal County at any time; to take, kill, or trap any fur-bearing animal in said County; to take or attempt to take any fresh-water fish in said County and by any means or method; prescribing the legislative policies with respect to the wild-life resources of said County; conferring upon the Game and Fish Commission power and authority to regulate by provision, order, rule, or regulation the taking of wild-life resources of said County; requiring the Game and Fish Commission to make investigations with respect to depletion and waste of the wild-life resources of said County; requiring the Commission to provide an open season or period of time when it shall be lawful to take a portion of the wild-life resources of said County; defining depletion and waste; providing for the issuance of the waterfowl permit; providing for a public hearing to be held in Comal County and for adequate notice of such hearing and for proper conducting of such hearing; providing for the adoption of the proclamations, orders, rules, or regulations of the Game and Fish Commission; providing for the effective period of regulations; providing for the publication of the regulations; providing that the powers of the Commission are not limited; providing venue for suit to test the validity of the proclamations, rules, regulations, or orders of the Commission; providing a penalty for the violation of any of the provisions of this Act as well as any order, rule, or regulation of the Commission; providing for the forfeiture of licenses; making it unlawful to provide a new license and providing a penalty therefor; defining wild-life resources; repealing certain laws; providing for the effective date of this Act; providing a saving clause; and declaring an emergency.

H. J. R. No. 1, Proposing an amendment to Sections 5 and 24 and authorizing a new Section of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas as to provide for annual Sessions of the Legislature; changing the compensation, per diem and travel expense of the Members of the Legislature; authorizing temporary residence of Lieutenant Governor and Speaker of the House in the Capitol; providing for an election; prescribing the form of ballot and providing for the necessary proclamation and publication.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE
Austin, Texas, May 15, 1957
Hon. Waggoner Carr, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has refused to concur in House Amendments to Senate Bill No. 24 and requests the appointment of a Conference Committee to adjust the differences between the two Houses.

The following have been appointed on the part of the Senate:

Senators: Willis, Lane, Smith, Brackwell, and Parkhouse.

Respectfully submitted,
CHARLES SCHNABEL,
Secretary of the Senate.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE
Austin, Texas, May 15, 1957
Hon. Waggoner Carr, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has concurred in House Amendments to Senate Bill No. 437 by the following vote: yeas 28, nays 0.

The Senate has concurred in House Amendments to Senate Bill No. 189 by a voice vote.

The Senate has concurred in House Amendments to Senate Bill No. 449 by the following vote: yeas 28, Nays 0.

Respectfully,
CHARLES SCHNABEL,
Secretary of the Senate.
SENATE BILLS ON FIRST READING

The following Senate Bills received from the Senate were today laid before the House read severally first time and referred to the appropriate Committee, as follows:

S. B. No. 470 to the Committee on Education.
S. B. No. 394 to the Committee on Counties.
S. B. No. 263 to the Committee on Insurance.
S. B. No. 479 to the Committee on Jurisprudence.

HOUSE BILL ON FIRST READING

The following House Bill was today laid before the House, read first time and referred to the appropriate Committee, as follows:

By Mr. Lee:
H. B. No. 952. A bill to be entitled "An Act establishing the Winkler County Juvenile Board; prescribing its membership and powers and providing for compensation of its members; repealing conflicting laws; providing for severability; and declaring an emergency.

Referred to the Committee on Counties.

INTRODUCTION OF HOUSE BILL NO. 953

Mr. Latimer asked unanimous consent of the House to introduce at this time and have placed on first reading, H. B. No. 953.

There was no objection offered and it was so ordered.

COMMENDING CHARLES GREGG

Mr. Woolsey offered the following resolution:

H. S. R. No. 466

Whereas, It has come to the attention of the House of Representatives of the Fifty-Sixth Legislature that a distinguished citizen of Texas has gained recognition throughout his life of service to the youth of our great State; and

Whereas, Charles Gregg will be honored by the people of Corpus Christi for his many years as Principal of Roy Miller High School and for his expected continued success as Principal of Mary Carroll High School; and

Whereas, This fine life belongs to mind the words in the Book of Saint Matthew in the Holy Bible, "Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me."); now therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Texas House congratulate Charles Gregg and that this Resolution be presented to him on May 16, 1957, at the occasion in his honor.

WOOLSEY.
GLOUSING.
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FORSYTH.

The resolution was adopted unanimously.

RECORDER

Mr. Smith of Hays moved that the House recess until 7:30 o'clock p. m. today.

Mr. Hollowell moved that the House adjourn until 10:00 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

Mr. Bass moved that the House recess until 10:00 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

The motion to adjourn until 10:00 o'clock a. m. tomorrow was lost.

The motion to recess until 7:30 o'clock p. m. today was lost.

The Reverend E. C. McDonald, Chaplain, offered the Benediction, as follows:

"Our Father, Thou hast said we are saved by hope; but hope that is seen is not hope: for what a man seeth why does he yet hope for it? But if we hope for that we see not, then do we wait with patience for it. Likewise the Spirit also helpeth our infirmities, for we know not what we should pray for, as we ought, but the Spirit itself maketh intercession for us; by the Holy Ghost we know these men and women have some great problems to solve. Help them to depend upon their intelligent ability, but seek God's help and save mistakes. For in his name we pray.--Amen."
The motion to recess until 10:00 o'clock a. m. tomorrow prevailed.

The House accordingly, at 5:08 o'clock p. m. took recess until 10:00 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

APPENDIX

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

The following Committees have filed favorable reports on bills and resolutions, as follows:

Contingent Expenses: H. S. R. No. 418.
Conservation and Reclamation: S. B. No. 381.
Education: S. R. No. 232.
Game and Fisheries: H. B. No. 884.
Judicial Districts: H. B. No. 808.

REPORTS OF THE COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSED BILLS

Austin, Texas, May 15, 1957

Hon. Waggoner Carr, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills to whom was referred

H. B. No. 59, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing counties to furnish building space for establishing branch crime detection laboratories by the State Department of Public Safety; directing the Department of Public Safety to establish a branch laboratory in El Paso County, Texas, on stated conditions; and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.
HERMAN YEZAK, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, May 14, 1957

Hon. Waggoner Carr, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills to whom was referred


Page 1080, Chapter 494, Article IV, Section 1: providing for an effective date; and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.
HERMAN YEZAK, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, May 14, 1957

Hon. Waggoner Carr, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

The motion to recess until 10:00 o'clock a. m. tomorrow prevailed.

The House accordingly, at 5:08 o'clock p. m. took recess until 10:00 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.
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Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills to whom was referred

H. B. No. 417, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 79 of the Texas Election Code (Article 7,14, Vernon's Texas Election Code) by adding a new subsection authorizing the authority holding an election, in counties where voting machines have been adopted, in its discretion to appoint a special canvassing board to count and make returns on absentee ballots, and prescribing procedures for absentee voting where a special canvassing board is appointed; and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

HERMAN YEZAK, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, May 14, 1957

Hon. Waggoner Carr, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills to whom was referred

H. B. No. 524, A bill to be entitled "An Act requiring all contracts relating to the distribution and licensing of motion pictures or films to be shown in theaters in the State of Texas, shall be construed in accordance with the laws of this State; providing venue of suit arising out of such license agreements; providing a severability clause; and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

HERMAN YEZAK, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, May 14, 1957

Hon. Waggoner Carr, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills to whom was referred

H. B. No. 503, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 2 of Article XV, Chapter 184, Acts, Forty-seventh Legislature, codified as Section 2 of Article 7047m of Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes, so as to provide a fee of ten per cent (10%) of the total value of Stock Transfer and Sales Tax Stamps to be retained by the County Clerk and providing for reports to the Comptroller; and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

HERMAN YEZAK, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, May 15, 1957

Hon. Waggoner Carr, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills to whom was referred

H. B. No. 522, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 6221 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, last amended by Chapter 223, Acts of the Fifty-third Legislature, 1935, Regular Session, to provide for the payment of an increased pension to widows of Confederate Veterans who reside outside the Confederate Home of this State; and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

HERMAN YEZAK, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, May 14, 1957

Hon. Waggoner Carr, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills to whom was referred

H. B. No. 512, A bill to be entitled "An Act enabling the Game and Fish Commission to sell or exchange portions or parcels of land in Brewster, Culberson or Hudspeth Counties; limiting the amount and quality of land that may be sold or exchanged; prescribing the manner of exchange; providing for a minimum price that may be accepted in case of sale; providing for disposition of moneys received as a result of land sales; and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

HERMAN YEZAK, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, May 14, 1957

Hon. Waggoner Carr, Speaker of the House of Representatives.
the Texas Election Code (Article 13.16, Vernon's Texas Election Code), so as to fix a filing fee for candidates for nomination for State Representatives in primary elections in counties having a population of more than four hundred and five thousand (405,000); providing conditions for payment; repealing conflicting laws; and declaring an emergency.

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

HERMAN YEZAK, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, May 15, 1957
Hon. Waggoner Carr, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills to whom was referred

H. B. No. 651, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 177, Acts of the Forty-second Legislature, Regular Session, 1951, as amended by Section 5, of Chapter 349, Acts of the Fifty-second Legislature, Regular Session, 1951, (codified as Section 9 of Article 9 of Article 36a, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes), relating to the status of adopted children for inheritance and other purposes; providing a severability clause; and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

HERMAN YEZAK, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, May 15, 1957
Hon. Waggoner Carr, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills to whom was referred

H. B. No. 754, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Chapter 8, Page 172, of the Acts of the Forty-first Legislature, Second Called Session, 1959, as amended, by adding a new Section 6a so as to provide for registration of automobiles manufactured prior to 1921; providing for method of application for such registration; fixing amount of fee for such registration; providing for license plates; defining an offense and prescribing a penalty; and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

HERMAN YEZAK, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, May 15, 1957
Hon. Waggoner Carr, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills to whom was referred

H. B. No. 764, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Chapter 2, Sections 416, 418, 419, 419a, 421, 422 of the Acts of the Fifty-first Legislature, Regular Session, 1951, (codified as Article 2615d, Vernon's Civil Statutes), adding Chapter 423, Article 2615d, Vernon's Civil Statutes, providing for a filing fee for each vehicle, providing for renewing a license, providing for an offense and prescribing a penalty, and declaring an emergency.

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

HERMAN YEZAK, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, May 15, 1957
Hon. Waggoner Carr, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills to whom was referred

H. B. No. 78, House Bill No. 64, Acts, Fifty-first Legislature, Regular Session, 1949 (codified as Article 2615d, Vernon's Civil Statutes), increasing the amount of funds that the Board of Directors of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas is authorized to expend from available plant funds for buildings and improvements at the adjunct of the College in Kimble County without specific authorization of the Legislature; and declaring an emergency.

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

HERMAN YEZAK, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, May 15, 1957
Hon. Waggoner Carr, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills to whom was referred

H. B. No. 756, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Chapter 78, House Bill No. 64, Acts, Fifty-first Legislature, Regular Session, 1949 (codified as Article 2615d, Vernon's Civil Statutes), providing for an offense and prescribing a penalty; and declaring an emergency.

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

HERMAN YEZAK, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, May 15, 1957
Hon. Waggoner Carr, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills to whom was referred

H. B. No. 739, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing the Governor to transfer certain funds; and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

HERMAN YEZAK, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, May 15, 1957
Hon. Waggoner Carr, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills to whom was referred

H. B. No. 755, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Chapter 18, Page 14 of the Acts of the Forty-first Legislature, Second Called Session, 1959, as amended, by providing for method of application for such registration; fixing amount of fee for such registration; providing for license plates; defining an offense and prescribing a penalty; and declaring an emergency."
An Act authorizing and directing the Commissioner of the General Land Office to furnish without cost to any governmental agency copies of data on file in, or compiled by, the General Land Office and to furnish other facilities of his office in matters affecting the determination of boundaries and/or the exploration and development of minerals in submerged areas; provided that field notes, maps, or other documents compiled as a result of survey authorized herein shall be permanent records and archives of the General Land Office; providing that such documents or certified copies thereof shall be admissible in evidence; requiring the Commissioner of the General Land Office to report the results of the survey herein authorized to the Fifty-sixth Legislature; and declaring an emergency.

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

HERMAN YEZAK, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, May 14, 1957

Hon. Waggoner Carr, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills to whom was referred

H. B. No. 859, A bill to be entitled "An Act relating to special venues in certain counties using the jury wheel; amending Article 191, Vernon's Revised Code of Criminal Procedure of the State of Texas, as amended, Acts, 1955, Fifty-fourth Legislature, Page 572, Chapter 188, Paragraph 1; relating to drawing of names from the jury wheel, preparation and delivery of lists by the clerk, the distribution of cards containing the names of jurors, providing for the return of cards to the jury wheel in certain cases, providing for certain exceptions and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

HERMAN YEZAK, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, May 15, 1957

Hon. Waggoner Carr, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills to whom was referred

H. B. No. 864, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing the Texas Board of Water Engineers to study the causes of natural pollution to the tributaries of the Red River and to study means to eliminate such pollution; and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

HERMAN YEZAK, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, May 15, 1957

Hon. Waggoner Carr, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills to whom was referred

H. B. No. 858, A bill to be entitled "An Act changing the name of East Texas Teachers College to East Texas State College; fixing an effective date; and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

HERMAN YEZAK, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, May 15, 1957

Hon. Waggoner Carr, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills to whom was referred

H. B. No. 862, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Chapter 352, Acts of the Regular Session of the Fifty-ninth Legislature, as heretofore amended, pertaining to the Employees Retirement System of Texas; prescribing the conditions upon which this Act shall become effective as a law; declaring the Act to be severable; and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

HERMAN YEZAK, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, May 15, 1957

Hon. Waggoner Carr, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills to whom was referred

H. B. No. 861, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 591, Vernon's Revised Code of Criminal Procedure of the State of Texas, as amended. Acts, 1955, Fifty-fourth Legislature, Page 572, Chapter 188, Paragraph 1; regarding the return of the jury wheel, the preparation and delivery of lists by the clerk, the distribution of cards containing the names of jurors, provision for the return of cards to the jury wheel in certain cases, providing for certain exceptions and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

HERMAN YEZAK, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, May 15, 1957

Hon. Waggoner Carr, Speaker of the House of Representatives.
Texas Prison Board, acting by the Chairman thereof, to execute and deliver to the State Highway Commission of Texas a right-of-way easement to certain lands of Walker County, Texas, for the construction and maintenance of U. S. Highway 75 Bypass Loop extending along and across certain State properties known as the Wynne Prison Farm and the Goree Prison Farm; and declaring an emergency.

H. C. R. No. 107, Granting permission to the North Plains Telephone Company, Inc., to bring suit against the State of Texas.

Herman Yezak, Chairman.

Hon. Waggoner Carr, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sirs: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills to whom was referred

H. C. R. No. 107, Granting permission to the North Plains Telephone Company, Inc., to bring suit against the State of Texas.

Herman Yezak, Chairman.

Hon. Waggoner Carr, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sirs: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills to whom was referred

H. C. R. No. 107, Granting permission to the North Plains Telephone Company, Inc., to bring suit against the State of Texas.

Herman Yezak, Chairman.

Hon. Waggoner Carr, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sirs: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills to whom was referred

H. C. R. No. 110, Suspending the Joint Rules so that they may take up and consider House Bill No. 907.

Herman Yezak, Chairman.

Hon. Waggoner Carr, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sirs: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills to whom was referred

H. C. R. No. 111, Suspending the Joint Rules so that they may take up and consider House Bill No. 299.

Herman Yezak, Chairman.

**SIXTY-FOURTH DAY**

(Continued)

(Thursday, May 14, 1957)

The House met at 10:00 a. m. and was called to order by the Speaker.

The Invocation was offered by the Reverend E. C. McDonald, Chaplain, as follows:

"Our Father, as we remember the great men who by their trust in Thee helped to give us this nation, its glorious heritage, remind us that we follow them best when we follow their example. Help us to acknowledge our dependence upon Thee. If our Lord had thought about Himself, we would not now be hewed to prayer, nor have the liberty in which and for which we now pray. Help us to see O Lord that "I" is in the middle of sin, and let no man think more highly of himself than he ought to think, to the end that we may be used of Thee in this Thy service for the good of all mankind. Through Jesus Christ our Lord.—Amen."

**REQUEST OF SENATE GRANTED**

On motion of Mr. Hals the House granted the request of the Senate for the appointment of a Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 14.

**BILL ORDERED NOT PRINTED**

Mr. Cogg moved to suspend all necessary rules for the purpose of not printing S. B. No. 434.

There was no objection offered and it was so ordered.

**COMMENDING CHAIRMAN AND MEMBERS OF THE BATTLESHIP TEXAS COMMISSION**

The Speaker laid before the House for consideration at this time the following resolution:

S. C. R. No. 89

Whereas, The Battleship Texas, which was berthed at San Jacinto Battlegrounds near Houston with appropriate ceremony on April 21, 1948, has become a national shrine, having attracted more than two million visitors since that date; and