Mississippi, therefore,
Be It Resolved, That the House of Representatives, Third Called Session of the Fifty-Seventh Texas Legislature, join in the accolade and give tribute, and our collective congratulations to Darrell Royal, that he be invited to address the House briefly on Tuesday, January 9, 1962, at ten-thirty a.m. and that a copy of this Resolution be furnished to Coach Royal with our wishes for many more returns.

Caldwell, Ehrle.
The resolution was referred to the Committee on Rules.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. Lewis moved that the House adjourn until 11:00 o'clock a.m. next Monday.
The motion prevailed.

RECORD OF VOTE

Mr. Watson requested to be recorded as voting "nay" on the motion to adjourn until next Monday.
The Benediction was offered by the Reverend Clinton Kersey, Chaplain.
In accordance with the motion to adjourn, the House at 11:44 o'clock adjourned until 11:00 o'clock a.m. next Monday.

APPENDIX

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSED BILLS

Austin, Texas, January 3, 1962
Hon. James A. Turman, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills to whom was referred H. C. R. No. 1, Providing for a Joint Session for the two Houses to meet at 11:00 a.m. Wednesday, January 3rd, 1962, for Governor Price Daniel to make an address.

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

H. G. WELLS, Chairman.
House Journal

A quorum of the House was announced present.

The Invocation was offered by the Reverend Clinton Kersey, Chaplain, as follows:

"Whosoever shall exalt himself shall be abased; and he that shall humble himself shall be exalted." Matthew 23:12.

Heavenly Father, we are thankful today for the opportunity of being of service to others. Keep us humble that we might be exalted. We ask Thee to give each Member wisdom and courage. Help us to know what is right so that our beloved State might advance and the work that is done here today might be pleasing unto Thee. In Jesus' Name—Amen.

Leaves of Absence Granted

The following Members were granted leaves of absence on account of important business:

- Mr. McLhany for today and tomorrow to attend the Southern Regional Education Conference in Atlanta, Georgia, on motion of Mr. Gladden.
- Mr. Niemeyer for today on motion of Mr. Dungan.
- Mr. Lary for today on motion of Mr. Kennard.

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

- Mr. Snelson for today on motion of Mr. Johnson of Bell.
- Mr. Atwell for today on motion of Mr. Shipley.

Message from the Senate

Austin, Texas, January 8, 1942

Hon. James A. Turman, 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. S. R. No. 3, In memory of Boyce House.

Respectfully,

CHARLES A. SCHNABEL, Secretary of the Senate.

Memorial Resolutions Adopted

H. S. R. No. 22, By Messrs. Jones of Travis, Sandahl and Foreman: In memory of Mrs. Irene Horton Smith.

H. S. R. No. 20, By Mr. Bailey: In memory of Boyce House.

On the motion of Mr. Green the names of all Members of the House were added to the resolution as signers thereof.
ADDRESS BY THE HONORABLE
SCOTT BAILEY

The Speaker recognized the Honorable Scott Bailey, who addressed the House as follows:

Mr. Speaker:

During the course of our legislative work we pass a number of Resolutions concerning almost every subject. H. S. R. No. 20, however, I believe deserves a few words of special consideration. H. S. R. No. 20 is in memoriam of the late Boyce House, who passed away in Ft. Worth on December 30, 1961.

Mr. House was probably the most able spokesman that Texas ever had. We as Texans will never be able to praise him highly enough. As a newspaper man, poet and speaker, his every word was of praise for his dearly beloved Texas. He edited newspapers in Brady, Olney, Cisco, Eastland and Ranger. We are talking about spending $300,000 dollars to advertise Texas; Boyce House gave Texas more publicity than that in one news story. He took a lowly horned toad named "Old Rip" and made him into a national celebrity. He covered the story of the "Santa Claus bank robbery" in Cisco in such a manner that it continues to be in the news even though it happened over 30 years ago.

The City of Eastland is planning a memorial in his memory. I ask your help and advice on this project and I move that when the House stands adjourned today, we do so in the honor of Boyce House.

ADDRESS BY THE HONORABLE
HOWARD GREEN

The Speaker recognized the Honorable Howard Green, who addressed the House as follows:

Mr. Speaker, Members of the House:

I should like to make a few remarks about my friend Boyce House. I don't believe it has been previously related in the many eulogies that he had a long and active association with politics.

Boyce House was probably the only man who has served as a Capitol correspondent of a metropolitan Texas newspaper, as a state-wide campaign manager in a race for major political office and as a candidate himself for major office. In 1932, Boyce House covered the affairs of this legislature for the Ft. Worth Star-Telegram. In 1938, he managed the campaign for Attorney General of the present U. S. Senator Ralph Yarbrough and in 1941 and again in 1946 made strong, even if unsuccessful, campaigns for Lieutenant-Governor. In 1946 he entered the runoff with the then State Senator Allan Shivers and lost after a close, hard-fought campaign. Years later a lady in Ft. Worth remarked to him, "Mr. House, you would have been a wonderful Governor." In characteristic good humor, Boyce replied, "And I shall never do anything to change your opinion."

Boyce House never wavered in his fidelity to the Democratic party. Once when a guest in our home, he remarked that in his opinion Franklin Roosevelt was the greatest man of his generation and William Jennings Bryan of his father's generation. It isn't just a coincidence that national leaders whose lives were associated with human dignity were the idols of Boyce House.

Not only has Texas lost a great humorist, a great author, but a very warm and generous human being. To paraphrase the words of the late Will Rogers: "Boyce House never met a man he didn't like."

REMARKS ORDERED PRINTED

On motion of Mr. Struve, the remarks of Mr. Bailey, made in addressing the House in tribute to the late Boyce House, were ordered printed in the Journal.

On motion of Mr. Ward, the remarks of Mr. Green, made in addressing the House in tribute to the memory of the late Boyce House, were ordered printed in the Journal.

ASSIGNMENTS ON STANDING COMMITTEES

The Speaker announced the following assignments on Standing Committees:

COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS FOR NEW MEMBERS

Esquivel, Rudy
Common Carriers
Criminal Jurisprudence  
Education  
Judiciary  
Local and Uncontested Bills  
Hefton, Don  
Claims and Accounts  
Conservation and Reclamation  
Criminal Jurisprudence  
Judicial Districts  
Public Lands and Buildings  
Kohler, Kenneth  
Counties Penitentiaries  
Public Lands and Buildings  
Revenue and Taxation  
Korkman, George  
Counties  
Aeronautics  
Revenue and Taxation  
Rules  
CHANGES IN COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS  
Leaverton, H. A.–Changes from Vice-Chairman to Chairman of Public Health. Drops Education and adds Judiciary.  
Huebner, John A.–Becomes Vice-Chairman of Public Health.  
Duff, Virginia–Becomes Vice-Chairman of Common Carriers.  
Osborn, Jesse–Becomes Vice-Chairman of Conservation and Reclamation.  
Mutcher, Gus–Becomes Vice-Chairman of Local and Uncontested Bills.  
Chapman, Joe–Changes from Vice-Chairman to Chairman of Interstate Cooperation.  
Price, Rayford — Becomes Vice-Chairman of Interstate Cooperation.  
Springer, Ted—Changes from Vice-Chairman to Chairman of Interim Committee to Study Escheat Laws.  
Cannon, Joe—Adds Interim Committee to Study Escheat Laws (replaces Senator Spears as a Member).  

HOUSE BILLS ON FIRST READING  
The following House Bills were today laid before the House, read severally first time and referred to the appropriate Committees, as follows:  

By Measures. Ratcliff and Hinson:  
H. B. No. 9, A bill to be entitled "An Act appropriating Three Hundred Thousand Dollars ($300,000) out of the General Revenue Fund to the State Highway Department for advertising tourist attractions in Texas, and declaring an emergency." Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.  

By Mr. Richards:  
H. B. No. 10, A bill to be entitled "An Act making certain appropriations out of the unexpended balances in the Special Mineral Lease Fund to the Department of Corrections for emergency purposes; and declaring an emergency." Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.  

Mr. Bartram offered the following resolution:  

CONGRATULATORY RESOLUTION ADOPTED  
H. S. R. No. 18, By Mr. Garrison:  
Commending the Bellaire High School for achieving high national rank in National Merit Competition.  

TO REQUEST CERTAIN STUDY RELATIVE TO STATE AD VALOREM TAXES  

Mr. Bartram offered the following resolution:  

H. S. R. No. 22  

Whereas, In 1948 the voters of Texas approved a constitutional amendment abolishing the State ad valorem tax for general revenue purposes; and  

Whereas, The State presently levies three ad valorem taxes amounting to a total of forty-two cents (42¢) on the One Hundred Dollars ($100) valuation; namely, two cents ($2) for payment of Confederate
WHEREAS, The total revenue from ad valorem taxes, levied by the State of Texas in 1960, was $44,557,134.45; and

WHEREAS, The cities, counties and independent school districts of the State are in great need of additional revenue; and

WHEREAS, Any increase in local ad valorem taxes falls most heavily upon our senior citizens, most of whom own homes and live on fixed incomes, and already pay a disproportionate share of the local taxes; and

WHEREAS, A transfer of the revenue derived from the above mentioned State ad valorem taxes to the cities, counties and/or school districts would provide these local units with much-needed additional revenue without increasing the already disproportionate and burdensome tax load upon our home-owning, fixed-income senior citizens; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, by the House of Representatives of the State of Texas, That the Texas Legislative Council is hereby requested to conduct a study of the problems which would be encountered in abolishing the State ad valorem taxes and transferring the power to levy same to the local units of government; and be it further

Resolved, That the Council be and it is hereby requested, in addition, to study possible ways of making up the loss of revenue which would be sustained by the State if the State ad valorem tax is abolished; and that the Council report its findings and make specific recommendations to the Regular Session of the Fifty-eighth Legislature.

The resolution was referred to the Committee on Rules.

TO PROVIDE FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF THE COMMITTEE ON SPECIAL DISTRICTS

Mr. Watson offered the following resolution:

H. S. R. No. 24

WHEREAS, Each session of the Legislature sees the introduction and passage of many bills for the creation of special districts with authority and provisions outside the sphere of existing general law; and

WHEREAS, The Constitution authorizes the creation of conservation and reclamation districts and such constitutional authorization has been implemented by general laws providing the methods and procedures whereby such districts may be created without the necessity of special legislative enactments; and

WHEREAS, Texas statutes have become cluttered with these special laws creating individual districts and most if not all of these specially created districts could have been brought into existence by merely following the procedures prescribed by the existing general law; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, by the House of Representatives of the State of Texas:

(1) That there is hereby created a Committee of the House of Representatives, to be known as the Committee on Special Districts, to investigate and make a study of constitutional provisions relative to creation of special districts and what can be done to restrict their creation to methods already provided, or as may be provided, by general law.

The Committee shall serve during the interim prior to the next Regular Session and shall consist of five (5) members appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives from the membership of the House. The Speaker shall designate the chairman, and all members shall serve for a term beginning with the respective dates of their appointment and ending with the convening of the Regular Session of the Fifty-eighth Legislature. Members shall be appointed within ten (10) days after the effective date of this Resolution. In case of a vacancy in the Committee membership, the Speaker shall appoint a successor.

The Committee may begin its work when all members are appointed and shall select from among its members a vice chairman and a secretary.

Three (3) or more members of the Committee shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.
(3) That the Committee shall make its report, including the study of constitutional provisions relative to creation of such districts and changes needed therein to preclude enactment of special laws in this area, and to restrict creation of special districts to methods provided by general law, to the House of Representatives at the next Regular Session of the Legislature.

The resolution was referred to the Committee on Rules.

TO PROVIDE FOR THE HOUSE COMMITTEE TO INVESTIGATE THE FEASIBILITY OF A STATE BUILDING CODE

Mr. Watson offered the following resolution:

H. S. R. No. 25

Whereas, Standards of construction for both public and private buildings throughout this State vary from city to city and from contractor to contractor; and

Whereas, No State-wide uniform building code has been established whereby contractors may have the guidance of specific rules and principles in undertaking construction projects; and

Whereas, Ethical contractors often fall to obtain contracts in their community efforts to bid in accordance with reliable construction practices, including the use of quality materials and workmanship, while less ethical builders may foist upon the unsuspecting buyer structures hiding multiple weaknesses since their low bids are often made possible through the use of shoddy materials and haphazard construction procedures; and

Whereas, Building codes established and employed in some Texas cities do much to protect both the builder and the buyer but, in many instances, such codes have been in use for many years and have become outmoded in their failure to keep abreast of innovations in construction practices and changed needs and living conditions; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, by the House of Representatives of the State of Texas, That there is hereby created a Committee of the House of Representatives, consisting of five (5) members appointed by the Speaker of the House, who shall also designate the Chairman, to serve for a term beginning with the respective dates of their appointment and ending with the convening of the next Regular Session of the Legislature.

The Committee shall make a study of the feasibility of providing by law for a State uniform building code setting forth standards of construction for both public and private buildings, which may be adopted by Texas municipalities; and be it further

Resolved, That such Committee shall be known as the House Committee to Investigate the Feasibility of a State Building Code and shall be given the following authority and directions:

(1) The Committee may begin its work when the members are appointed and shall select from among its members a vice chairman and a secretary. Three (3) or more members shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

(2) The Committee shall have full authority to continue or initiate any and all inquiries and hearings into matters pertaining to local building codes within this State and shall, also, investigate the use of such codes as may have been adopted in other states.

(3) The Committee, in its investigations, may seek the assistance and advice of the State Building Commission or some other appropriate agency in the drafting of a statute to include a building code to be adopted and administered by municipalities; and be it further

Resolved, That the Committee shall make its full report including any legislation proposed, to the Regular Session of the Fifty-eighth Legislature.

The resolution was referred to the Committee on Rules.

TO PROVIDE FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF A COMMITTEE TO STUDY ALL ASPECTS OF CONDOMINIUMS...
Mr. Watson offered the following resolution:

H. S. R. No. 26

Whereas, Congress by a recent amendment to the National Housing Act has authorized the Federal Housing Authority to insure mortgages on condominiums; and

Whereas, Condominium is a statutory system of ownership in fee of individual units in multiple-unit buildings, the individual units being freely and separately subject to conveyance and subject to being separately mortgaged; and

Whereas, Such a statutory system of ownership could assure sound and rapid growth in our metropolitan areas, provide housing for many individuals who cannot now afford it, and encourage the prosperity and growth of the Texas economy; and

Whereas, Condominium is concerned with the division of ownership into horizontal layers, and is a new concept of ownership in Texas, now therefore be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Texas, That a Committee of the House of Representatives to study all aspects of condominium ownership is hereby authorized and provided to consist of five members to be appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives; and be it further

Resolved, That said Study Committee make a complete study of all aspects of condominium ownership of property and report its findings and recommendations to the 58th Legislature.

The resolution was referred to the Committee on Rules.

RELATIVE TO IMPRINTING “VACATION STATE” ON MOTOR VEHICLE LICENSE PLATES

Mr. Bass offered the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 4

Whereas, Nationally tourism is the third ranking industry, trailing only manufacturing and agriculture, while in Texas the tourist industry ranks not third, but thirteenth, and for the third consecutive year has declined, while increasing rapidly in most other States; and

Whereas, Other states, by every available means have been actively advertising for years, and each year are bringing new tax revenues into their states and channeling millions of new dollars into their economy at an ever increasing rate at the expense of the Texas tourist industry; and

Whereas, A large number of these states have imprinted upon their motor vehicle license plates slogans which advertise and promote their states and which have proven their value in bringing tourists into their states by projecting a favorable public image; and

Whereas, There are approximately five million registered motor vehicles in Texas, each carrying two Texas license plates, and of these five million vehicles an estimated two and one-half million annually leave the borders of the State of Texas to travel the roads and highways of other states; and

Whereas, Motor vehicle license plates suitably designed can aid in creating a vacation-land image of Texas in people throughout the entire United States at no expense to the State of Texas thereby helping to protect and expand the Texas tourist market; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, That the State Highway Department be requested to design motor vehicle license plates which have the words “VACATION STATE” imprinted across the top thereof, and that such license plates be available and in use by the year 1963.

BASS,
WHITFIELD.

The resolution was referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

TO REQUEST CERTAIN STUDY RELATIVE TO PROPOSED OR PROSPECTIVE CHANGES IN THE TEXAS LIMITED SALES, EXCISE AND USE TAX
Mr. Ballman offered the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 6

Whereas, The Limited Sales, Excise and Use Tax enacted by Chapter 24, Acts of the 57th Legislature, First Called Session, is now the major source of revenue for the General Revenue Fund; and

Whereas, This tax involves thousands of taxpayers in problems of interpretation and compliance with which they were heretofore unfamiliar; and

Whereas, There have been some criticisms of specific provisions and interpretations of provisions of the Limited Sales, Excise and Use Tax and such criticisms can be expected to form the basis for legislation to be submitted to the Regular Session of the 58th Legislature; and

Whereas, The revenue impact of proposed changes in the Limited Sales, Excise and Use Tax could have a significant effect upon the financial soundness of Texas State Government; now, therefore,

Resolved, That the Commission shall make every effort to study and report upon all proposed changes submitted to it but if the volume of such proposals is such as to preclude a complete study, the Commission may assign a priority to certain proposals and exclude others from complete study. Any proposal thus excluded shall be outlined in the Commission’s Report together with a notation to the effect that the proposal was not studied because of the limitations in time.

BALLMAN, SANDAHL, WILSON of Trinity.

BOYSEN

The resolution was referred to the Committee on Rules.

TO INVITE COACH DARRELL ROYAL TO ADDRESS THE TEXAS HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

The Speaker laid before the House for consideration at this time,

H. S. R. No. 19, To invite Coach Darrell Royal to address the Texas House of Representatives.

The resolution having heretofore been referred to the Committee on Rules and reported favorably by the Committee.

On the motion of Mr. Townsend the names of all Members of the House were added to the resolution as signers thereof.

The resolution was unanimously adopted.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1 ON SECOND READING

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

H. B. No. 1, A bill to be entitled “An Act to amend Title 53, Revised Civil Statutes, 1925, relating to escheat, by adding Article 3272b to protect and preserve dormant deposits and inactive accounts of owners whose whereabouts are unknown to the depository; defining terms, prohibiting the conversion or reduction of such accounts while in dormant or inactive status; requiring
advertising for lost owners and reporting to the State of certain accounts of owners who cannot be located; providing for conservation and disposition of funds delivered to the State; procedures for payments to owners at any time thereafter discovered; and other related rules and procedures; providing for presumptions and prima facie evidence, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Hinson offered the following committee amendment to the bill:

Committee Amendment No. 1

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

"Section 1. Title 53, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, is hereby amended by adding a new Article to be designated Article 3272b, to read as follows:

'Article 3272b. Duties of Depositories of Dormant or Inactive Accounts.

'Section 1. Every depository holding dormant deposits or inactive accounts of depositors or owners whose existence and whereabouts are unknown to the depository, shall preserve intact the deposits and accounts so long as they remain in a dormant and inactive status.

'a. The term "depository" as used in this Article means any bank, savings and loan association, banking institution or organization which receives and holds for others deposits of money or its equivalent in banking practice or other personal property in this State, or in other States for residents last known to have resided in this State.

'b. The terms "dormant deposits" and "inactive accounts" mean those demand, savings, or other deposits of money or its equivalent in banking practice, including but not limited to sums due on certified checks, dividends, notes, accrued interest, or other evidences of indebtedness, held by a depository for repayment to the depositor or creditor, or his order, which have continuously remained inactive for a period of more than one (1) year without credit or debit whatsoever through the act of the depositor, either in person or through an authorized agent other than the depository itself. "Dormant deposits" and "inactive accounts" lose their status as such when a deposit is made by the depositor, or a check is drawn or withdrawal is made therefrom by such depositor, either in person or through an authorized agent other than the depository itself.

'Sec. 2. Conversion or Reduction Prohibited.

'It shall be unlawful for any depository, without the written consent of the depositor, to transfer, convert or reduce any dormant deposit or inactive account to the profits or assets of the depository, either through book transfer, assessments, service charges or any other procedure so long as the deposit or account remains in a dormant or inactive status. This shall not apply to the charges hereinafter specifically authorized for efforts to locate the depositors.

'a. The provisions of Section 2 of this Act shall be applicable to any account or deposit which at the date this Act becomes effective is covered by the definition of dormant accounts or inactive accounts as set out in this Act.

'Sec. 3. Advertising for Owners.

'When dormant deposits or inactive accounts have remained in such condition for more than seven (7) years, and the depository does not know the whereabouts of the depositors or any owners thereof, the depository, during the first month of May following the seven (7) year period, shall cause to be published once in a newspaper, published in the city or county in which the depository is located, a notice entitled "Notice of the names of persons appearing as the owners of unclaimed amounts held by (name and address of depository)" which shall list the names, in alphabetical order, and the last known address, if any, of such missing depositors, but not the amount of such deposits. Newspapers eligible for such publications shall be those
Or accounts may be subject to the
adjoining county.

The names of such depositors or
creditors whose deposits or ac-
counts have not been reported and
delivered to the State in accordance
with Section 4 hereof, if the where-
abouts of any owner thereof still
remains unknown to the depository
and their deposits or accounts still
remain in a dormant or inactive
status as herein defined.

Each of such publications shall
state that the unclaimed amounts
will be paid upon proof of owner-
ship at the office of the depository
within nine (9) months, and that
if unclaimed thereafter they may be
subject to report to and conserva-
tion by the State Treasurer in accordance
with Article 28a. A copy of each
publication shall be mailed to the
State Treasurer together with sworn
proof of publication, and the pub-
ication thereof shall constitute
depository in the State that the listed deposits
or accounts may be subject to the
provisions of this Article.

Newspapers shall charge for such
publications not to exceed the rate
for legal notice publications fixed in
Article 29, Revised Civil
Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended. The amount
paid to a newspaper for such
publications may be charged equally
against the accounts owing to the
persons whose names are published.

Sec. 4. Report to State Treasurer.

On or before May 1 of the year
following the first publication re-
quired by this Article, the depository
shall submit in duplicate copies a
report to the State Treasurer listing
the names of all such depositors or
creditors whose names were pub-
lished, whose whereabouts and the
whereabouts of any owner of such
deposit or credit still remain un-
known, and each of whose deposits
or accounts are $25.00 or less and
still remain in a dormant or inactive
status. Under the same conditions
the depository may include in the
report the same information with
respect to any deposit or account
in excess of $25.00 if it should con-
clude that further cost and effort
to locate the depositor or creditor
would be unwarranted. Such report
shall set forth in alphabetical order
the name and last known address
of the depositor or creditor, the date
and amount appearing to be due
each depositor or creditor when the
account first became dormant or
inactive, the amount credited to
such account at the time of the
report, the date of the last trans-
action with the depositor or creditor,
and its identification number. If
any, if the amount then credited to
an account is less than the amount
of the initial dormant deposit or
inactive account, except for its share
of publication costs, the reason for
such reduction shall be stated.

The subscribing officer shall
certify under oath that the report
is a complete and correct statement
of all dormant deposits and inactive
accounts held by the depository sub-
ject to the reporting provisions of
Section 4 of Article 28a; that the
existence and whereabouts of the
listed depositors or creditors are
unknown to the depository; and that
the listed depositors or creditors
have not asserted any claim or exer-
cised any act of ownership with
respect to the reported accounts
during the past seven (7) years.

Together with the foregoing re-
port, the depository shall deliver to
the State Treasurer a sum equal to
the total amount of all deposits,
inactive accounts. The subscribing
officer shall sign a receipt there-
for and shall assume any duty there-
of. The State shall be responsible
for the safekeeping thereof, and any
depository delivering such deposits
or accounts to the State Treasurer
under this Act is relieved of all lia-
(bility for any claim which then exists
or which may thereafter arise or be
made in respect to the property.

Sec. 5. Conservator Fund.

All funds received by the State
Treasurer under the provisions of
this Act or from the sale of any
deposit, credit, account or other
property held by any bank or other
institution covered by Section 1(a)
hereof shall be deposited into a
separate fund to be known as the
"State Conservator Fund," in which
they shall be retained for a period of five (5) years after receipt, and thereafter any amounts remaining unpaid to owners shall be transferred to the General Fund; provided that the State Conservator Fund shall never be reduced below One Quarter of One Million Dollars. This sum shall remain available for payments to those who may at any time in the future establish their ownership or right as herein provided; and is valid, the depository may pay the same, and if the amount is in excess of One Hundred Dollars ($100), the claim and any supporting affidavit or evidence thereof shall be examined, approved, and signed by the State Treasurer and the Attorney General, after which reimbursement shall be made to the depository. Any such reimbursements shall be made by the State Treasurer out of the State Conservator Fund.

'Sec. 7. Presumption.

"Any person or persons who shall have dormant deposits or inactive accounts held by any depository for seven (7) years or more, whose existence and whereabouts are reported under oath to be unknown to the depository after advertising therefor, and who shall not have asserted any claim thereto or exercised any act of ownership thereof for a period of seven (7) years, shall be presumed, unless shown to the contrary, to have died intestate and without heirs. The sworn report of any depository filed under Section 7 of this Article or any evidence thereof adduced under oath shall constitute prima facie evidence of the facts stated therein.

'Sec. 8. Rules and Regulations.

The State Treasurer is hereby authorized to make necessary rules and regulations to carry out the provisions of this Act, provided such rules and regulations shall not become operative until and unless they have been filed with the Secretary of State as provided by law. The State Treasurer is hereby authorized to examine the records of any depository to determine that this law is being complied with.

'Sec. 9. Penalties.
Any depository or person who wilfully fails to publish the list of depositors or creditors, or who fails to file a report as required by this Article, or who violates any provision of this Article, shall be punished by a fine of not less than Five Hundred Dollars ($500), nor more than One Thousand Dollars ($1,000), or by confinement for not more than six (6) months in the county jail, or both, and in addition, shall be subject to civil penalties of not exceeding One Hundred Dollars ($100) for each day of such failure or refusal or other violation, said civil penalties to be collected by suit in a district court of Travis County, Texas, by the Attorney General in the name of the State of Texas.

Sec. 10. Article Supplementary.

The provisions of this Article 3272b are in addition and supplementary to and shall not be construed to repeal, alter, change, or amend any of the provisions of Articles 3272a to 3289, inclusive, Title 63, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925.

"Sec. 1. If any provision of this Act or the application thereof to any person, situation or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of the Act which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this Act are declared to be severable.

"Sec. 3. The fact that there is no statute at the present time to protect and preserve dormant deposits and inactive accounts of owners whose whereabouts are unknown to the depository 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 take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted." Mr. Hughes of Grayson offered the following amendment to Committee Amendment No. 1:

Amend the Committee Amendment to House Bill No. 1 by striking the first word, "When" in Section 3 (line 42, page 1 of Committee Amendment No. 1) and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"When, on or after the effective date of this Article,"

The amendment was adopted without objection.

Mr. Hughes of Grayson offered the following amendment to Committee Amendment No. 1:

Amend the Committee Amendment to House Bill No. 1 by adding a new sentence at the end of the third paragraph in Section 3 (line 5, page 2 of Committee Amendment No. 1) to read as follows:

"The depository shall certify under oath of the subscribing officer that the attached list is a full and complete list of the names of all depositors and creditors for whom dormant deposits or inactive accounts have been held by the depository for more than seven (7) years and whose existence and whereabouts are unknown to the depository, and that such listed depositors and creditors have not asserted any claim or exercised any act of ownership with respect to their deposits or accounts during the past seven (7) years."

The amendment was adopted without objection.

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

Amend committee amendment to H. B. No. 1 by striking out the following words in the first line of Section 2 (line 32, Page 1, of Committee Amendment No. 1):

"without the written consent of the depositor"

SPRINGER, HARING, BARLOW.

The amendment was lost.

Mr. Hughes of Grayson offered the following amendment to Committee Amendment No. 1:

Amend Committee Amendment to House Bill No. 1, Section 2 (line 33, page 1 of Committee Amendment No. 1) by striking out the words "without the written consent
The above amendment by Mr. Hughes of Grayson to Committee Amendment No. 1 was lost by the following vote:

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REASON FOR VOTE

Record Vote No. 2 on H. B. 1.

Reasons for vote. In my opinion this will open the door for more exorbitant service charges by State banks which they do not now have.

JOHN C. ALANIZ.

Mr. Hughes of Grayson offered the following amendment to Committee Amendment No. 1:

Amend the Committee Amendment to House Bill No. 1 by adding a new paragraph at the end of Section 4, to read as follows:
"The depository shall also attach a list certified under oath of the subscribing officer of the names and amounts then due on all other dormant deposits or inactive accounts in excess of twenty-five dollars ($25.00) each which were advertised under Section 3 hereof but which have been retained by the depository for further advertising, and the depository shall be responsible for the safekeeping thereof until such sums are finally delivered to the owners or to the State Treasurer under Section 4 of this Article, or until otherwise directed by escheat proceedings filed under other Articles of this Title."

The amendment was adopted.

RECESS

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

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

Mr. Haring moved to reconsider the vote by which the amendment offered by Mr. Springer to Committee Amendment No. 1 was on this morning lost.

A record vote was requested.

The motion to reconsider the vote was lost by the following vote:

Year—46

Adams of Lubbock
Johnson of Bexar
Alama
Kerr
Bangs
Keifman
Berry
Longoria
Caldwell
McCoppin
Carrillo
of El Paso
Collins
Markgraf
Curington
Mullen
Dewey
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Bickhardt
Espana
Blaine
Haynes
Ward
Hughes
of Grayson
Isaacs, Miss
Jamison

Nays—96

Adams of Titus
Johnson of Bell
Allen
Glusack
Andrews
Guer
Ballman
Guffey
Bassfield, Mrs.
Hale
Barnes
Hart
Bartram
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Hollowell
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Hughes of Dallas
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James
Butler
Chapman
Johnson of Dallas
Cole of Harris
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"Eleven (11) years and "eleven (11) year," as appropriate wherever the former may appear.

The amendment by Mr. Whitfield was lost by the following vote:

**Yeas—50**

- Adams of Lubbock
- Kohler
- Andrews
- Sleeman
- Leaverton
- Burress
- Longoria
- Butler
- Cole of Harris
- Moore
- Cole of Hunt
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- Petty
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- Heyburn
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- Heaber
- Townsend
- Johnson of Bell
- Whitfield

**Nays—89**

- Barnes
- Parson
- Cowen
- Spilman
- Harding

Mr. Andrews was granted leave of absence for the remainder of the day.

Mr. Adams of Lubbock offered the following amendment to Committee Amendment No. 1:

Amendment to Committee Amendment No. 1 to H. B. 1 by striking on page 6, line 3, the sentence which begins "The record shall be" and continues line 4 and ends on line 8 adding instead the following:

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- Cowen
- Spilman
- Harding

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Amendment to Committee Amendment No. 1 to H. B. 1 by striking on page 6, line 3, the sentence which begins "The record shall be" and continues line 4 and ends on line 8 adding instead the following:
“The record or a copy thereof shall be available for inspection at all reasonable business hours.”

The amendment was adopted.

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

Amend Committee Amendment to H. B. No. 1 as follows:

Change the word “shall” on page 5, line 39 to the word “may.”

Mr. Hughes of Grayson moved to table the amendment offered by Mr. Cotten.

The motion to table prevailed.

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

Amend Committee Amendment No. 1 to H. B. No. 1 by striking all after the word “unknown” on line 19 and all of line 20, page number 5, of Committee Amendment No. 1.

Mr. Hughes of Grayson moved to table the amendment offered by Mr. Lewis.

The motion to table prevailed.

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

Amend Committee Amendment to H. B. No. 1 by adding at the end of Section 2 (after line 47 on page 4 thereof) the following sentences:

“Any written consent of the depositor to so transfer, convert or reduce an account as permitted above shall be effective only if the same is made in a separate instrument in writing, for such purpose only, which instrument shall contain in clear type of at least twelve point the following statement at the top of such instrument: ‘The laws of this State prohibit the assessment of service charges against an account which has been inactive, without debit or credit, for more than one year, unless the written consent of the depositor has been obtained; and this agreement affects the depositor’s rights under the law by giving such written consent in advance, in accordance with its terms.’ No bank shall require the execution of such an instrument as a condition for establishing an account. It is not the intent of this section in anywise to diminish any authority that the State Banking Commissioner or the State Banking Board may have to prohibit or regulate bank charges under any other provision of law.”

ECKHARDT, QUILLIAM, NUGENT.

The amendment was adopted.

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

Amend Committee Amendment No. 1 of H. B. 1 by striking out on line 45 on page 4 the words “or any owners thereof.”

The amendment was lost.

Mr. de la Garza offered the following amendment to Committee Amendment No. 1:

Amend Committee Amendment No. 1, Section 1, subsection “b” on page 4, line 23 of the printed bill by adding after the words “or his order,” and before the words “which have,” the following: “the whereabouts of the depositor or his legal heirs are unknown to the depositor, and,” and continue with the balance of that subsection.

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Oliver moved the previous question on the passage of H. B. No. 1 to engrossment and the motion was not seconded.

Mr. de la Garza offered the following amendment to Committee Amendment No. 1:

Amend Committee Amendment No. 1, Section 3 on page 4, line 48 of the printed bill after the words “depository is located,” and before the words “a notice entitled,” inserting the following: “and also in a newspaper located in the city or county of the last known address of the depositor” and continue with the rest of said section.

Mr. Hughes of Grayson moved to table the amendment offered by Mr. de la Garza.
The motion to table was lost.

The amendment offered by Mr. de la Garza was then adopted.

Mr. Jones of Dallas offered the following amendment to Committee Amendment No. 1:

Amend Committee Substitute No. 1 for H. B. No. 1, Section 7, by striking lines 32 through 37 inclusive.

Mr. Hughes of Grayson moved to table the amendment offered by Mr. Jones of Dallas.

The motion to table prevailed.

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

Amend Committee Amendment No. 1 of H. B. No. 1 by striking the words "General Fund" in line 53, Sec. 5, of the printed bill and place in lieu thereof the following: "Permanent School Fund."

PRICE, COTTEN.

A record vote was requested on the above amendment.

The amendment offered by Mr. Price was adopted by the following vote:

Year—89

Adams of Lubbock Ehrl
Adams of Titus Brown
Allen Fletcher
Bailey Floyd
Ballman Foreman
Bangered, Mrs. Garrison
Barlow Gibson
Barnes Glass
Barron Glaz
Bass Groover
Blinn Guffey
Burgess Hale
Butler Harrel
Cole of Hunt Harrington
Cook Healy
Cory Hughes of Dallas
Cotter Jarvis
Cowen Johnson of Dallas
Cowles Johnson of Bexar
Craig Johnson of Bell
Craw Kohler
Crews Koliba
Curington Koliba
De la Garza Korkman
Dungan Korthmann
Lack Sandahl
Latimer Schram
Leaverton Shipley
Longoria Black
McCoppin slider
Moore Smith of Bexar
Mullen Smith of Jefferson
Muncher Stewart
Munoz of Galveston
Oliver Stewart
Osborn of Victoria
Parsons Thurman
Perry Thurgood
Petty Townsend
Pike Walker
Price Ward
Read Wheatley
Roberts of Hill Wilson
Roberts of Dawson Yezak
Rosson

Nays—45

Alamet Jones of Dallas
Berry Kennard
Boyce Lewis
Bridges McGregor
Buchanan of McLennan
Caldwell McGregor
Cannon El Paso
Carriere Markgraf
Chapin Martin
Cole of Harris Miller
Collins Murray
Dewey Peeler
Duff, Miss Preston
Eckhardt Quillian
Fairchild Rapp
Gaddes Richards
Green Richardson
Haynes Ross
Heflin Springer
Hinson Watson
Hollowell Wells
Hubbard Whitefield
Jones, Miss Woods
James

Present—Not Voting
Hughes of Grayson Tresvant

Absent

Harding Shannon
Jamison Spellman
Kilpatrick Struve
Pieratt

Absent—Excused

Andrews Melblany
Atwell Nenmr
Lary Sallan
Mr. Wells moved the previous question on the passage of H. B. No. 1 to engrossment and the main question was ordered.

Committee Amendment No. 1, as amended, was adopted.

A record vote was requested on the passage of H. B. No. 1 to engrossment.

H. B. No. 1 was passed to engrossment by the following vote:

**Yeas**—79

Alaniz
Ballman
Barlow
Bartram
Bass
Berry
BoySEN
Bridges
Buchanan
Caldwell
Canon
Carriker
Chapman
Cole of Harris
Collins
Cowman
Curmington
de la Garza
Dewey
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Harling
Harrington
Haynes
Hines
Hollower
Huebner
Hughes of Grayson
Imaekos, Miss
Johnson of Bexar
Jones of Travis
Kennard

**Nays**—62

Adams of Lubbock
Adams of Titas
Allen
Baird
Baines
Butler
Cole of Hunt
Connell
Cook
Cory
Cotten
Cowles
Cray
Crews
Duff, Miss
Ehrle
Fairchild
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Floy
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Garrison
Gibbons
Guffey
Healy
Heflin
Hughs of Dallas
James
Jarvis
Johnson of Dallas
Johnson of Bell
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Koliba

**Absent**

Harding
Spilman

**Absent—Excused**

Andrews
Atwell
Lary

On motion of Mr. Hughes of Grayson and by unanimous consent of the House, the caption of House Bill No. 1 was ordered amended to conform with the body of the bill.

Mr. Hughes of Grayson moved to reconsider the vote by which H. B. No. 1 was passed to engrossment and to table the motion to reconsider.

The motion to table prevailed.

H. B. NO. 1 ORDERED PRINTED

Mr. Hughes of Grayson moved that H. B. No. 1, as passed to engrossment, be printed and placed on the Members' desks.

The motion prevailed without objection.
REASONS FOR VOTE
Reasons for Voting Against House Bill Number 1
Changes in the burden of proof, the burden of persuasion or the burden of going forward with the evidence in lawsuits should be rare and jealously guarded. Many times lawsuits are won or lost based on this one fact—who has to prove the allegations that the lawsuit is all about. Just as I would not vote to change the burden of proof in civil cases affected by this bill from the State to the defendant, so I will not vote to change the burden of proof in other cases affected by this bill from the Treasury but to the defendant. This shift of burden of proof in the present bill is not only unnecessary, but a real and present danger to all the citizens of Texas.

The above bill, which I voted against, is such a real and present danger.

PAUL FLOYD.

REASONS FOR VOTE
I voted against the so-called "Exchequer Bill" because, in my opinion, it violates the United States Constitution, namely the Fourteenth Amendment, which provides that no person shall be deprived of his property without due process of law, and this bill does not provide for a lawsuit or a court judgment in the taxing of the property. Secondly, in my opinion, it also violates the Texas Constitution, Article VIII, Section 3. "No money shall be drawn from the Treasury but in pursuance of specific appropriations made by law." In other words, if your money ever gets into the State Treasury, the only way you can get it out is by an Act of the Legislature, nor can you sue the State without its permission. In my opinion, if any of your money ever goes to the State Treasury, it will never be redeemed. I feel that we should uphold our National and State Constitutions.

W. S. (Bill) HEALTY, GEORGE H. COOK.

REASONS FOR VOTE
I voted against engrossment of H. B. 1 for the following reason:
1. The Previous Question was ordered in spite of the fact that there were 5 amendments on the Speaker's desk and;
2. For the reason that the House now in its second week has only debated this or any other major bill for less than 3 hours total time;
3. Further, this is a major item under the Governor's call and it is entitled to more careful consideration than it received.

J. C. WHITFIELD
Harris County

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE
Austin, Texas, January 8, 1961
Hon. James A. Turner, 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. C. R. No. 5, Commending the Institute of Certified Texas Assessors of the Texas Association of Assessing Officers.
S. B. No. 4, Validating all proceedings in connection with county bonds hereafter favorably voted for the purpose of erecting, repairing and equipping courthouse and jail buildings and county branch office buildings and declaring an emergency.
S. B. No. 1, Providing for the maintenance of Farm to Market Roads; and to require the expenditure of certain amounts for the construction of newly designated Farm to Market Roads; and declaring an emergency.

Respectfully,
CHARLES A. SCHNABEL, Secretary of the Senate.

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. 1 to the Committee on Appropriations.

TO INVITE MISS ANITA KOOP TO APPEAR BEFORE THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Mr. Huebner offered the following resolution:
Whereas, Miss Anita Koop of Edna, Texas, was honored by being selected as Queen of The Texas Farm Bureau for 1962, at the 28th Annual Farm Bureau Convention in Galveston on November 13th, 1961; and

Whereas, Miss Koop was chosen from twelve other District Queens for this outstanding honor; and

Whereas, Miss Koop was graduated from Edna High School and is now a sophomore student at Del Mar College in Corpus Christi, Texas, where she is majoring in Music; and

Whereas, Miss Koop is the lovely daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Koop of Edna, Texas; therefore, be it

Resolved, That Miss Anita Koop be cordially invited to appear before the House of Representatives on Monday, January 15, 1962, at 10:30 a.m. to be introduced to the Members of the House; and, be it further

Resolved, That an official enrolled copy of this Resolution be mailed to Miss Koop with our heartfelt congratulations and best wishes for continued success and happiness.

The resolution was referred to the Committee on Rules.

ADJOURNMENT

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

Mr. Collins moved that the House adjourn until 10:00 o'clock a.m. to-morrow.

The motion to adjourn prevailed.

The Benediction was offered by the Reverend Clinton Kersey, Chaplain.

In accordance with the motion to adjourn, the House at 4:55 o'clock p.m. adjourned until 10:00 o'clock a.m. tomorrow.

APPENDIX

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

The following Committees have filed favorable reports on a bill and resolutions as follows:

Revenue and Taxation: H. B. No. 1.
Rules: H. S. R. No. 19.
State Affairs: H. C. R. No. 2.