ELEVENTH DAY
(Monday, January 30, 1967)

The Senate met at 10:30 o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by the President.

The roll was called and the following Senators were present:

Aikin
Bates
Bernal
Berry
Blanchard
Brooks
Christie
Cole
Connally
Creighton
Grover
Hall
Hardeman
Harrington
Hazenwood
Herring
Hightower
Jordan
Mauzy
Moore
Parkhouse
Patman
Ratli
Reagan
Schwartz
Strong
Wade
Watson
Word

Absent—Excused
Kennard
Wilson

A quorum was announced present.

Reverend W. H. Townsend, Chaplain, offered the invocation.

On motion of Senator Aikin, and by unanimous consent, the reading of the Journal of the proceedings of Thursday, January 26, 1967 was dispensed with and the Journal was approved.

Leaves of Absence

Senator Kennard was granted leave of absence for today on account of important business, on motion of Senator Hightower.

Senator Wilson was granted leave of absence for today on account of important business, on motion of Senator Patman.

Message From the House

Hall of the House of Representatives
Austin, Texas,

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

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

S. C. R. No. 7, In commendation of Wayne Stroud of Pasadena.

Respectfully submitted,

DOROTHY HALLMAN,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

Report of Standing Committee

Senator Herring submitted the following report:

Austin, Texas,

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Jurisprudence, to which was referred S. C. R. No. 6, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

HERRING, Chairman.

Senate Bills and Resolution on First Reading

The following bills and resolution were introduced, read first time and referred to the Committee indicated:

By Senator Herring:
S. B. No. 111, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 655, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended, eliminating the affidavit requirement on seller of merchandise; and declaring an emergency."

To the Committee on Jurisprudence.

By Senator Herring:
S. B. No. 112, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 635, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, to eliminate the requirement that a contract bidder file an antitrust affidavit each time he submits a contract bid and to require a bidder to file, and to renew, the affidavit with his bid list application; and declaring an emergency."

To the Committee on Jurisprudence.

By Senator Herring:
S. B. No. 113, A bill to be entitled "An Act relating to unemployment compensation in this state; providing benefits, benefit eligibility conditions, disqualification for benefits, claims for benefits, contributions, collection of
contributions, and reciprocal arrangements; adding a new Subsection (e) to Section 7 and new Subsections (n) and (o) to Section 14 and Subsection (p) to Section 19; amending Subsections (b) and (e) of Section 3, Subsection (d) and (e) of Section 4, Subsection (e) of Section 5, Subsection (b) of Section 6, Subsections (a), (c), and (d) of Section 7, Subsections (a), (b), (c), and (f) of Section 14, Subsections (b) and (d) of Section 17A, Subsection (n) of Section 19 of Chapter 482, Acts of the 44th Legislature, Third Called Session, 1966, as amended (Article 5221b, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes); and declaring an emergency."

To the Committee on Jurisprudence.

By Senator Cole:

S. B. No. 114, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 310, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, to provide that the maximum fee which may be charged for taking an examination from the Board of Legal Examiners is $40; and declaring an emergency."

To the Committee on State Affairs.

By Senators Brooks, Jordan, Cole, Grover and Schwartz:

S. B. No. 115, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing and directing the Board of Regents of The University of Texas to establish a medical branch of The University of Texas within the City of Houston, Harris County, Texas, to be known as The University of Texas Medical School at Houston; providing that the Board of Regents shall take no action pursuant to the terms of this Act except for planning until an appropriation has been made for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this Act and until teaching facilities are available and a construction site provided; authorizing the Board to prescribe courses and to make rules and regulations for the operation, control, and management of the University of Texas Medical School at Houston; authorizing the Board to execute affiliation or coordinating agreements with any entity or institution; providing for the utilization of the facilities and staffs of the other medical component units of The University of Texas System or other biomedical units with joint appoint-
spection of certain equipment on motor vehicles, trailers, semi-trailers, pole trailers, and mobile homes registered in this State; increasing the fees for motor vehicle inspections and for certification of appointment for State-appointed inspection stations; amending Subsections (a) and (b) of Section 140, Subsections (a), (b), (d), and (e) of Section 141, and Subsection (a) of Section 142, Chapter 421, Acts of the 50th Legislature, Regular Session, 1947, as amended (Article 4701d, Sections 140, 141, and 142, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes); and declaring an emergency."

To the Committee on State Affairs.

By Senator Blanchard:

S. B. No. 119, A bill to be entitled "An Act relating to raising the standards for issuance and renewal of operators', commercial operators', and chauffeurs' licenses; increasing the penalties for violation of certain traffic laws; requiring license applicants to be examined in the types of vehicles which they will be licensed to operate; broadening the grounds for license suspension and revocation and increasing the period of suspension in certain instances; changing the procedure for revocation and suspension and for judicial review; providing for motorcycle operator's license; providing for a provisional license; establishing driver training schools for rehabilitation of problem drivers; amending Chapter 173, Acts of the 47th Legislature, Regular Session, 1941, as amended (Article 6687b, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes), as follows: amending Sections 2(a), 4, 10, 21(b), 22(a) and (b), 24(b), and 34, and adding new Sections 5B, 11A, 24A, and 30A; and declaring an emergency."

To the Committee on State Affairs.

By Senator Blanchard:

S. B. No. 120, A bill to be entitled "An Act relating to the duty of the State Department of Health to recommend policies relating to medical aspects of driver licensing, traffic safety, and accident investigation; and declaring an emergency." To the Committee on State Affairs.

By Senators Bates, Jordan, Mauzy, Ratliff, Herring, Word and Cole:

S. B. No. 121, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for the payment of assistance by the State of Texas to the surviving spouse and minor children of law enforcement officers, custodial personnel of the Texas Department of Corrections or full-paid firemen who suffer violent death in the course of the performance of their duties as law enforcement officers, custodial personnel of the Texas Department of Corrections or as full-paid firemen; defining law enforcement officer or fireman; providing for hearings before the Commissioners of the Texas Department of Public Safety; providing for appeals from decisions of the Commissioners of the Texas Department of Public Safety; providing that this act shall not apply to death occurring before the effective date of this act; and declaring an emergency."

To the Committee on State Affairs.

By Senator Reagan:

S. B. No. 122, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 342-104 of the Texas Banking Code of 1943, same being Acts of the 48th Legislature, Chapter 97, by changing the qualifications of certain members of the Finance Commission; and declaring an emergency."

To the Committee on Banking.

By Senators Word, Hall, Mauzy, Parkhouse, Kennard, Wade, Strong, Reagan, Grover, Brooks, Cole, Jordan, Schwartz and Harrington:

S. B. No. 123, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for the administration of family law by replacing all functioning domestic relations courts and the juvenile courts of Dallas and Harris counties with district courts of general jurisdiction, to be called family district courts; providing for these courts' jurisdiction, terms, personnel, facilities, and administration; restructuring existing juvenile boards in certain counties and providing for the future creation and organization of juvenile boards in other counties; repealing the laws creating and providing for the replaced courts; repealing the laws providing for creation of domestic relations courts in Lubbock and Starr counties; and declaring an emergency."

To the Committee on Jurisprudence.
By Senator Hightower:

S. B. No. 124, A bill to be entitled “An Act relating to the permissible tax rate in certain common school districts; amending Chapter 226, Acts of the 52nd Legislature, 1951 (Article 2802i-29, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes), by adding a new Section 1A; and declaring an emergency.”

To the Committee on Counties, Cities, and Towns.

By Senator Aikin:

S. B. No. 125, A bill to be entitled “An Act amending paragraph (b) of Article 1.05 of the Insurance Code to provide that compensation to be paid the members of the State Board of Insurance shall be such sums as are provided for by the Appropriation Acts.”

To the Committee on Finance.

By Senators Hall, Harrington and Word:

S. B. No. 126, A bill to be entitled “An Act relating to the certification and regulation of shorthand reporters; providing an appropriation; providing penalties for violation; amending Article 2321, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925; and declaring an emergency.”

To the Committee on Counties, Cities, and Towns.

By Senator Hall:

S. J. R. No. 6, Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing each county in the State of Texas to pay all medical expenses, all doctor bills and all hospital bills for Sheriffs, Deputy Sheriffs, Constables, Deputy Constables and other county and precinct law enforcement officials who are injured in the course of their official duties; providing that while said Sheriff, Deputy Sheriff, Constable, Deputy Constable or other county or precinct law enforcement official is hospitalized or incapacitated that the county shall continue to pay his maximum salary; and providing that said salary payment shall cease on the expiration of the term of office to which such official was elected or appointed.

To the Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Co-Author of Senate Bill 121

On motion of Senator Bates and by unanimous consent Senator Cole will be shown as Co-author of S. B. No. 121.

Co-Author of Senate Bill 23

On motion of Senator Schwartz and by unanimous consent he will be shown as Co-author of S. B. No. 23.

Co-Author of Senate Bill 87

On motion of Senator Aikin and by unanimous consent Senator Mauzy will be shown as Co-author of S. B. No. 87.

Co-Author of Senate Bill 71

On motion of Senator Watson and by unanimous consent Senator Kennard will be shown as Co-author of S. B. No. 71.

Co-Author of Senate Bill 72

On motion of Senator Watson and by unanimous consent Senator Kennard will be shown as Co-author of S. B. No. 72.

Co-Author of Senate Joint Resolution 4

On motion of Senator Watson and by unanimous consent Senator Kennard will be shown as Co-author of S. J. R. No. 4.

Co-Author of Senate Bill 89

On motion of Senator Hightower and by unanimous consent Senator Grover will be shown as Co-author of S. B. No. 89.

Co-Author of Senate Bill 101

On motion of Senator Patman and by unanimous consent Senator Creighton will be shown as Co-author of S. B. No. 101.

Co-Author of Senate Bill 109

On motion of Senator Brooks and by unanimous consent Senator Harrington will be shown as Co-author of S. B. No. 109.

Senate Concurrent Resolution 12

Senator Moore offered the following resolution:
S. C. R. No. 12, Petitioning Congress of the United States to call a Constitutional Convention to provide for remittance to the states a portion of individual and corporate income taxes.

Whereas, The relationship that exists between the Federal Government and the government of the states is a matter of vital concern; and

Whereas, The states play an indispensable role in our Federal system of government; and

Whereas, Unless the trend toward restrictive categoric federal grants is reversed, these grants will so entwine themselves that a state's freedom of movement will be significantly inhibited; and

Whereas, There is a need and a justification for broader unfettered grants that will give states and localities more freedom of choice, more opportunity to express their own initiative which reflects their particular needs and preferences, all within the overall direction of national purpose; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, by the Senate of the State of Texas, the House of Representatives concurring, That this Legislature respectfully petitions the Congress of the United States to call a convention for the purpose of proposing the following Article as an amendment to the Constitution of the United States:

"Article

"Beginning with the first full fiscal year after ratification of this amendment by the requisite number of states, there shall be remitted to all of the states of these United States, an amount determined by the Secretary of the Treasury to be equal to not less than 5% of the aggregate total of individual and corporate income taxes paid to the United States during the preceding calendar year.

"Such funds shall be remitted to the States without restriction, and this remission of funds shall be in addition to any other federal grant programs which may be enacted by the Congress.

"Each state shall share in such remission in proportion as the population of such State bears to the total population of all the States, according to the last preceding Federal census; and, be it further

"Resolved, That if Congress shall have proposed an amendment to the Constitution identical with that contained in this resolution prior to July 1, 1969, this application for a convention shall no longer be of any force or effect; and, be it further

"Resolved, That a duly attested copy of this resolution be immediately transmitted to the Secretary of the Senate of the United States and the Clerk of the House of Representatives of the United States and to each Member of Congress from this State."

The resolution was read and was referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Senate Resolution 60

Senator Strong offered the following resolution:

Whereas, On January 1, 1967, former Senator Galloway Calhoun of Tyler, had to leave the half-time show of the NFL play-off between the Packers and the Cowboys to be present at a more exciting extravaganza; and

Whereas, The Senator didn't even get back to see the thrilling plays of the second half, but during his absence from the TV screen he met one of the newest and most promising possible recruits for the 1987 game; and

Whereas, Young William Waterson Calhoun, who made a lusty entrance into the Texas scene, was welcomed by his happy parents—his father and our former colleague, Galloway, and his mother, Sue—and two sisters and a brother; and if sports' fan Dad has his way, a new football star has appeared on the Texas horizon; and

Whereas, The Senate of Texas wishes to welcome this young man to a state already famed for the prowess of its athletes, and to congratulate the members of his family on this new arrival; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Senate of the 60th Legislature extend greetings and good wishes to Mr. William Waterson Calhoun, who was born on New Year's Day, 1967; and, be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this
Resolution, under the Seal of the Senate, be prepared for him and his happy parents, his sisters and his brother, to serve as a reminder of the great expectations we have for his success in football and his life's career.

STRONG
CREIGHTON
HAZLEWOOD
HERRING


The resolution was read and was adopted.

Senate Bill 22 on Second Reading

Senator Ratliff moved that Senate Rules 116 and 13, and Section 5 of Article III of the State Constitution be suspended and that S. B. No. 22 be taken up for consideration at this time.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29
Aikin  Herring
Bates  Hightower
Bernal  Jordan
Berry  Mauzy
Blanchard  Moore
Brooks  Parkhouse
Christie  Patman
Cole  Ratliff
Connally  Reagan
Creighton  Schwartz
Grover  Strong
Hall  Wade
Hardeman  Watson
Harrington  Wilson
Hazlewood

Absent—Excused
Kennard  Wilson

The President laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 22, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing creation of the Merkel Hospital District; etc., and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Ratliff offered the following Committee Amendment to the bill:

Amend Senate Bill 22 by changing the period at the end of the second sentence in the first paragraph of Section 7, after the words "of taxable property in any one year," to a comma and adding the following: "within such District subject to District taxation."

The Committee Amendment was read and was adopted.

On motion of Senator Ratliff, and by unanimous consent, the caption was amended to conform to the body of the bill as amended.
The bill as amended was passed to engrossment.

**Senate Bill 22 on Third Reading**

Senator Ratliff moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 22 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

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Absent—Excused

Kennard   
Wilson

The President then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

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

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Absent—Excused

Kennard   
Wilson

The President laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 74, A bill to be entitled "An Act relating to the appointment, compensation, and duties of a shorthand reporter for the 27th Judicial District of Texas; and declaring an emergency."

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

**Senate Bill 74 on Third Reading**

Senator Watson moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 74 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

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Absent—Excused

Kennard   
Wilson

Senator Watson moved that Senate
The President then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

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

Yeas—30


Absent—Excused

Kennard Wilson

Senate Bill 76 on Second Reading

Senator Watson moved that Senate Rules 116 and 13, and Section 5 of Article III of the State Constitution be suspended and that S. B. No. 76 be taken up for consideration at this time.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—30


Absent—Excused

Wilson

The President laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 76, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 2b, Chapter 206, Acts of the 50th Legislature, 1947, as amended (Article 326k-12, Vernon’s Texas Civil Statutes); relating to the salary of investigators and assistant district attorneys of McLennan County; and declaring an emergency."

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

Senate Bill 76 on Third Reading

Senator Watson moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 76 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—30


Absent—Excused

Wilson

The President laid before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

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

Yeas—30

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

Senate Bill 73 on Third Reading

Senator Watson moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 73 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin Herring
Bates Hightower
Bernal Jordan
Berry Kennard
Blanchard Mauzy
Brooks Moore
Christie Parkhouse
Cole Patman
Connally Ratliff
Creighton Reagan
Grover Schwartz
Hall Strong
Harrington Wade
Hazlewood Watson
Herring Word

Absent—Excused
Wilson

The President then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed.

Senate Bill 75 on Second Reading

Senator Watson moved that Senate Rules 116 and 13, and Section 5 of Article III of the State Constitution be suspended and that S. B. No. 75 be taken up for consideration at this time.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin Creighton
Bates Grover
Bernal Hall
Berry Hardeman
Blanchard Harrington
Brooks Hazlewood
Christie Herring
Cole Hightower
Connally Jordan
Kennard  Reagan
Mauzy    Schwartz
Moore    Strong
Parkhouse  Wade
Patman    Watson
Ratliff    Word

Absent—Excused

Wilson

The President laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 75, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Subsection (c), Section 1, Chapter 716, Acts of the 59th Legislature, Regular Session, 1965 (Article 326k-56, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes); providing an increase in the maximum salary of the district attorney of the 19th, 54th, and 74th Judicial Districts; and declaring an emergency."

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

Senate Bill 75 on Third Reading

Senator Watson moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 75 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—30
Aikin  Herring
Bates    Hightower
Bernal    Jordan
Berry    Kennard
Blanchard    Mauzy
Brooks    Moore
Christie    Parkhouse
Cole    Patman
Connally    Ratliff
Creighton    Reagan
Grover    Schwartz
Hall    Strong
Hardeman    Wade
Harrington    Watson
Hazlewood    Word

Absent—Excused

Wilson

The President then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

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

Yeas—30
Aikin    Herring
Bates    Hightower
Bernal    Jordan
Berry    Kennard
Blanchard    Mauzy
Brooks    Moore
Christie    Parkhouse
Cole    Patman
Connally    Ratliff
Creighton    Reagan
Grover    Schwartz
Hall    Strong
Hardeman    Wade
Harrington    Watson
Hazlewood    Word

Absent—Excused

Wilson

Message From the House
Hall of the House of Representatives
Austin, Texas,
Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.
Sir: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed the following:

H. C. R. No. 15, In memory of Joe S. Bridwell.

Respectfully submitted,
DOROTHY HALLMAN,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

Resolutions Signed

The President signed in the presence of the Senate after the caption had been read, the following enrolled resolutions:

H. C. R. No. 10, In memory of R. W. Fair.

H. C. R. No. 13, In memory of John W. Runyon.

H. C. R. No. 14, Inviting the Honorable Dean Rusk to address a Joint Session of the 60th Legislature in the House of Representatives at 12 noon on January 26, 1967.

Senate Bill 91 on Second Reading

Senator Parkhouse moved that Senate Rules 116 and 18, and Section...
5 of Article III of the State Constitution be suspended and that S. B. No. 91 be taken up for consideration at this time.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin  Herring
Bates  Hightower
Bernal  Jordan
Berry  Kennard
Blanchard  Mauzy
Brooks  Moore
Christie  Parkhouse
Cole  Patman
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Creighton  Reagan
Grover  Schwartz
Hall  Strong
Hardeman  Wade
Harrington  Watson
Hazlewood  Word

Absent—Excused

Wilson

The President laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 91, A bill to be entitled "An Act relating to the compensation of district judges assigned to sit for judges of the Court of Domestic Relations, the Court of Domestic Relations No. 2, and the Juvenile Court of Dallas County; amending Section 21, Chapter 511, Acts of the 55th Legislature, Regular Session, 1957, as amended (Article 2338-9, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes), and Chapter 13, Acts of the 56th Legislature, 3rd Called Session, 1959 (Article 2338-9a, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes); and declaring an emergency."

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

Senate Bill 91 on Third Reading

Senator Parkhouse moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 91 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin  Herring
Bates  Hightower
Bernal  Jordan
Berry  Kennard
Blanchard  Mauzy
Brooks  Moore
Christie  Parkhouse
Cole  Patman
Connally  Ratliff
Creighton  Reagan
Grover  Schwartz
Hall  Strong
Hardeman  Wade
Harrington  Watson
Hazlewood  Word

Absent—Excused

Wilson

The President then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

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

Yeas—30

Aikin  Herring
Bates  Hightower
Bernal  Jordan
Berry  Kennard
Blanchard  Mauzy
Brooks  Moore
Christie  Parkhouse
Cole  Patman
Connally  Ratliff
Creighton  Reagan
Grover  Schwartz
Hall  Strong
Hardeman  Wade
Harrington  Watson
Hazlewood  Word

Absent—Excused

Wilson

House Concurrent Resolution 15 on Second Reading

The President laid before the Senate on its second reading the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 15, In memory of Joe S. Bridwell.

The resolution was read.

On motion of Senator Hightower and by unanimous consent the resolution was considered immediately and was adopted by a rising vote of the Senate.
**Senate Bill 101 on Second Reading**

Senator Patman moved that Senate Rules 116 and 13, and Section 5 of Article III of the State Constitution be suspended and that S. B. No. 101 be taken up for consideration at this time.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yea—30

Aikin  Bates  Bernal  Berry  Blanchard  Brooks  Christie  Cole  Connally  Creighton  Grover  Hall  Harrington  Hazlewood  Herring  Herring

Absent—Excused

Wilson

The President laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 101, A bill to be entitled “An Act creating and establishing the Texas Veterinary Medical Diagnostic Laboratory as a State Agency under the jurisdiction and supervision of the Board of Directors of Texas A&M University, such Agency not to be any part or unit of any institution or system of higher education of the state; providing for the staffing of the Agency by said Board of Directors; providing for the construction and equipping of a veterinary medical diagnostic laboratory building and related animal building on state land in Brazos County made available to the State Building Commission by said Board of Directors; and declaring an emergency.”

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

**Senate Bill 101 on Third Reading**

Senator Patman moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 101 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29


Nays—1

Blanchard

Absent—Excused

Wilson

The President then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

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

Yeas—29


Nays—1

Blanchard

Absent—Excused

Wilson

**Welcome Resolutions**

S. R. No. 57—By Senator Harde-
man: Extending welcome to students and teacher of Eighth Grade Class of Sabinal School.

S. R. No. 59—By Senator Herring: Extending welcome to students and teachers of I. W. Popham Elementary School of Del Valle.

S. R. No. 61—By Senator Hall: Extending welcome to Mrs. Richard Dean and daughters, Laurel Dean and Dana Dean, of Commerce.

S. R. No. 63—By Senators Brooks and Jordan: Extending welcome to the Honorable Alvin Baggett, mayor of Galena Park.

S. R. No. 64—By Senator Harrington: Extending welcome to Captains Glen Wortham, Carlton Grant and Lee Wheat.

Adjournment

On motion of Senator Hardeman the Senate at 11:35 o’clock a.m. adjourned until 10:30 o’clock a.m. tomorrow.
In Memory of

Lieutenant Colonel
Virgil I. (Gus) Grissom

Lieutenant Colonel Edward H. White II

Lieutenant Commander
Roger B. Chaffee

Senator Brooks offered the following resolution:

(Senate Concurrent Resolution 10)

Whereas, Three new names were inscribed indelibly in the annals of American heroism on Friday, January 27, 1967, when Lieutenant Colonel Virgil I. (Gus) Grissom, Lieutenant Colonel Edward H. White II, and Lieutenant Commander Roger B. Chaffee, Apollo I astronauts, lost their lives in a dedicated service to this great country; and

Whereas, The eyes of the nation have been trained on these young men and their fellows in the space program since it was initiated, and to every man, woman, and child in America, the death of these brave astronauts brings a sense of personal loss, of mourning for those loved deeply with a close and kindred relationship; and

Whereas, Lieutenant Colonel Grissom, nicknamed "Gus" in the American way with heroes, and at 40 the oldest of the three, was often called the "hard luck" astronaut; he flew the second U. S. manned space flight on July 21, 1961, and barely averted drowning when he had to swim for his life as the Mercury spaceship, Liberty Bell 7, sank; and

Whereas, Lieutenant Colonel Grissom’s first flight lasted 15 minutes; on March 23, he became the first man to maneuver a spacecraft on the Gemini 3 flight, when he teamed with Commander John Young on a three-orbit mission; he had been scheduled to command the first flight in the new program which would take man to the moon aboard an Apollo spacecraft in 1970; and
Whereas, This father of two was a native of Mitchell, Indiana, and a graduate of Purdue University; he was a Lieutenant Colonel in the U. S. Air Force; and

Whereas, Lieutenant Colonel White was 36; he had the distinction of taking America's first spacewalk during the four-day mission with Air Force Lieutenant Colonel James A. McDivitt on the Gemini 4 flight; and

Whereas, He was the son of a military family, a native of San Antonio, Texas, and a graduate from the U. S. Military Academy; he, also, was the father of two children; and

Whereas, Navy Lieutenant Commander Chaffee, the youngest of the three, was a pilot who had logged more than 1,800 hours in jet aircraft; he was participating in the first major rehearsal for the Apollo I flight scheduled to blast off on February 21, 1967, and had never been in space; he was named to the space program with the third group of astronauts chosen in October, 1963; and

Whereas, He was a native of Grand Rapids, Michigan, the father of two children, and the son of Donald Chaffee, himself a veteran pilot; and

Whereas, The people of Texas have taken great pride in the growth and development of the NASA complex near Houston and look with deep affection and a spirit of friendship on the men and their families who are connected with the program and make their homes near the space center; and

Whereas, The Texas Legislature wishes to pay tribute to these three valiant men who gave their lives that all the citizens of this nation might be protected and that the democratic ideals and principles upon which the United States of America was founded might be preserved; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate of Texas, the House of Representatives concurring, That this Resolution stand in recognition of the sacrifice and devotion to their nation of Lieutenant Colonel Virgil I. Grissom, Lieutenant Colonel Edward H. White II, and Lieutenant Commander Roger B. Chaffee; and, be it further

Resolved, That on behalf of the people of Texas and officials of the State of Texas, the Texas Legislature extend sympathy to the wives and children of these three brave men; that copies of this Resolution be prepared for them, and that when the two Houses of the Legislature adjourn this day, that they do so in tribute to and memory of Lieutenant Colonel Virgil I. Grissom, Lieutenant Colonel Edward H. White II, and Lieutenant Commander Roger B. Chaffee.

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The resolution was read.

On motion of Senator Strong and by unanimous consent, the names of the Lieutenant Governor and all Senators were added to the resolution as signers thereof.

The resolution was then adopted by a rising vote of the Senate.
In Memory of

Judge Thomas R. Bond

Senator Hall offered the following resolution:

(Senate Concurrent Resolution 11)

Whereas, On November 29, 1968, death removed from our midst one of our State's most distinguished citizens and one of Terrell, Texas' most valuable men, Judge Thomas R. Bond; and

Whereas, Judge Bond, the senior member of the Kaufman County Bar Association, was born in Carthage, Texas, on February 13, 1871. His family came to Terrell when he was a small child and there he maintained a home the remainder of his life. His father, a Confederate soldier, was one of the early-day merchants of the city. This son, "Judge," as he was lovingly called, was graduated from the Terrell Public Schools; and

Whereas, He went to Carthage, Texas, following his graduation and worked on a newspaper while studying law. Later he was graduated from Baylor University and after being admitted to the Bar in 1894 opened a law office in Terrell. During the ensuing years he helped to train many young lawyers. His brother, the late Chief Justice of the Court of Civil Appeals in Dallas, Joel R. Bond, was his law partner for a number of years; and

Whereas, Judge Bond served as City Attorney for the City of Terrell, Mayor, County Judge, District Judge of the 86th Judicial District and served four terms in the Texas Legislature during the 41st, 42nd, 48th and 49th Legislatures. He was a member of the Baptist Church, a charter member of the Terrell Lions Club, a member of the Kaufman County Bar Association and the Texas Bar Association; and

Whereas, He was survived by one brother, Paul Bond of Dallas; five sisters, Miss Eva Bond, Miss Mattie Bond, who is now deceased, Mrs. H. A. Crofts of Terrell, Mrs. A. Wilkinson of Dallas, Mrs. Leona Bond Bonar of Corpus Christi; and a number of nieces and nephews; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, by the Senate of Texas, the House of Representatives concurring, That in tribute to the memory of this outstanding citizen and jurist who, truly, "lived above the fog in public duty and in private thinking," that the 60th Legislature extend to his family their sympathy and their appreciation of his life and service; and be it further

Resolved, That copies of this Resolution be sent to members of his family as a gesture of their high regard.

HALL


The resolution was read.

On motion of Senator Parkhouse, and by unanimous consent, the names of the Lieutenant Governor and all Senators were added to the resolution as signers thereof.

The resolution was then adopted by a rising vote of the Senate.
In Memory of
James Lewis Boggus, Sr.

Senator Reagan offered the following resolution:

(Senate Resolution 58)

Whereas, On December 2, 1966, the Rio Grande Valley lost one of its most prominent and highly respected citizens and a beloved friend in the untimely passing of James Lewis Boggus, Sr.; and

Whereas, The wisdom and business abilities of James Lewis Boggus, Sr., were felt in every phase of community growth; and

Whereas, He was born on March 25, 1901, in San Patricio County near Odem, Texas; and as a young bookkeeper, he came to the Valley in 1917 and there began a career that made him one of the Valley’s foremost leaders in business and civic work in speaking out for his community and the Valley as a whole; and

Whereas, His life was exemplary of the wisdom and faith that showed itself in unselfish service to others in private life and in public service. He was a member of the Board of Stewards of the First Methodist Church of Harlingen, a longtime Rotarian, past president of the Harlingen Chamber of Commerce; and

Whereas, Mr. Boggus loved his service with the Family Welfare Board as that organization was one of his favorite charities. He was active in helping guide the Valley Baptist Hospital to its new and modern growth, and for many years served as a trustee on the Board of Harlingen Independent School District and then as president; and

Whereas, He was a member of the board of directors of the Texas Capital Corporation and of the board of directors of the Texas Research League in Austin. He was a director in the First National Bank in Harlingen and for years he had served on the Harlingen Municipal Water Board as a member and chairman; and

Whereas, At the time of his death he directed the growth of a far-flung system of Boggus enterprises, but selling was his first love and he never lost the magic touch. His formula for personal, business and civic success was as uncomplicated as the man himself; and

Whereas, He was married to the former Miss Maudie Nelson of Mission, Texas, who survives him. Other survivors include two sons, James Lewis Boggus, Jr. of Corpus Christi and Frank Nelson Boggus of Harlingen; a daughter, Mrs. J. L. Youngblood of Harlingen; his mother, Mrs. Mary Boggus of Odem, Texas; a brother and five sisters and eight grandchildren; and

Whereas, The Texas Senate wishes to pay tribute to this distinguished citizen; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That when the Senate of Texas of the 60th Legislature adjourns today, it do so in memory of the late James Lewis Boggus, Sr.; that a page be set aside in respect to him in the Senate Journal; and that copies of this Resolution be sent to his family with our humble appreciation for his service to others.

REAGAN
BATES

The resolution was read and was adopted by a rising vote of the Senate.